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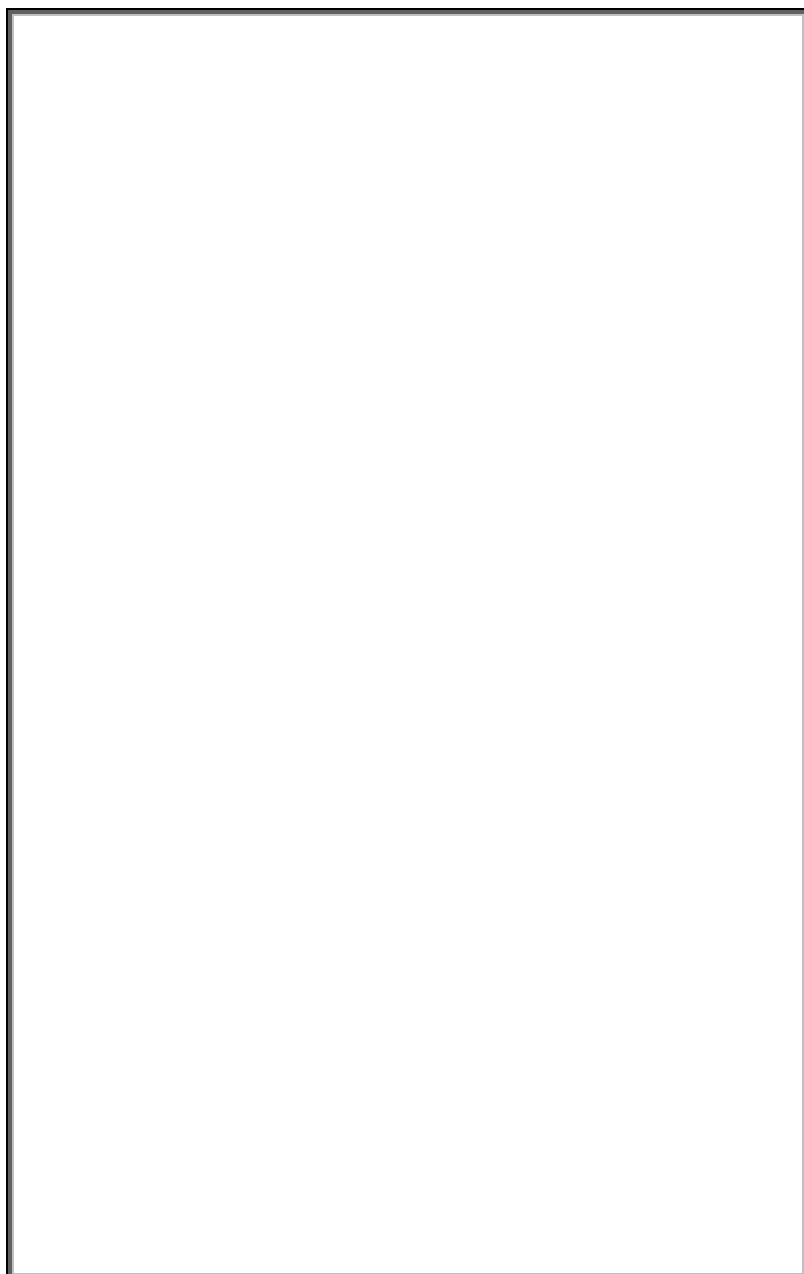
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ABILITY:

Success is 10% ability, and 90% sweat.
(Nigerian Proverb)

The attempt exceeds the ability of one, not of a multitude. (Efik Proverb)

If youth had the volition and if old age had the ability. (Corsican Proverb)

If only youth had knowledge and old age ability. (Bulgarian Proverb)

A donkey has limited abilities. (Chinese)

Anyone who keeps the ability to see beauty never grows old. (Austrian Proverb)

True generosity is the ability to accept ingratitude. (Albanian Proverb)

Our generosity should never exceed our abilities. (Albanian Proverb)

Ability will enable a man to get to the top, but character will keep him from falling.
(Albanian Proverb)

Ability is the poor man's wealth.
(Albanian Proverb)

ACTING:

Think before acting and whilst acting still think. (Dutch Proverb)

Acting is the forte of their entire race.
(Latin Proverb)

Acting in concert, like the oil-merchants in the Vela rum. (Latin Proverb)

ACTION:

A man with a sense of humor is never at a loss for words or action. (Somali Proverb)

All mouth and no trousers. All talk and no action. (Spanish Proverb)

You must face the consequences of your actions. (Spanish Proverb)

A double jointed arm follows the leg action.
(Swahili Proverb)

He who desires to make something does not announce his intentions, just turns them into actions. (Swahili Proverb)

Love yourself; get outside yourself and take action. focus on the solution; be at peace.
(Native American Sioux Proverb)

Good actions are nourishment for youths, much more than words.(African Proverb)

The hypocrite is known by his actions, not by his clothes.(Mexican Proverb)

The family of a Klingon warrior is responsible for his actions, and he is responsible for theirs.(Klingon Proverb)

A man's actions are more important than his ancestry.(Kenyan Proverb)

Vision with action is a daydream; action without vision is a nightmare.
(Japanese Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action with without vision is a nightmare.
(Japanese Proverb)

Great talk and little action.(Irish Proverb)

Every action has its consequences.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Actions have consequences.(Finnish Proverb)

Where there is action, there is waste.

(Danish Proverb)

A good action reaps another.(Bajan Proverb)

You can always tell a drunkard by his actions.(Albanian Proverb)

In great action, men show themselves as they ought to be, in small action as they are.

(Albanian Proverb)

Bad actions lead to worse reactions.(Albanian)

Action is worry's worst enemy.(Albanian)

Ideas are worth a dime dozen, but people who put them into action are priceless.

(African Proverb)

Every action has its repercussions.

(African Proverb)

A crazy man can be recognized not by his words, but by his actions.(Acholi Proverb)

For the sake of one good action, a hundred evil ones should be forgotten.(Chinese Proverb)

Counsel after action is like rain after harvest.

(Danish Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action without vision is a nightmare.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you commence a good action, leave it not incomplete.(Jewish Proverb)

Dropping water makes the rock hollow, not by its force, but by constant action.

(Latin Proverb)

Mere intentions are not to be esteemed as actions. (Latin Proverb)

Let us be judged of by our actions.(Latin)

Man punishes the action, but God the intention.(Spanish Proverb)

Action without thought is like shooting without aim.(Traditional Proverb)

The rubbish we speak is like froth on the water, actions are drops of gold.(Tibetan)

Force is that which rules the actions without regulating the will.(Traditional Proverb)

Exuberance is a good stimulus towards action, but the inner light grows in silence and concentration.(Traditional Proverb)

There is no beauty but the beauty of action.
(Traditional Proverb)

Words divide us, actions unite us.
(Traditional Proverb)

Good actions are never lost.(Turkish Proverb)

Council before action.(Traditional Proverb)

Faith is action.(Traditional Proverb)

Talking is easy, action is difficult.
(Spanish Proverb)

Resolutely in action, gently in manner.
(Latin Proverb)

Help by actions, not by words.(Latin Proverb)

Merit consists in action.(Latin Proverb)

Words are for women, actions for men.
(Italian Proverb)

Postpone not a good action.(Irish Proverb)

Virtue consists of action.(Dutch Proverb)

Action is the proper fruit of knowledge.
(English Proverb)

Actions speak louder than words.

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Actions speak louder than words.

(English Proverb)

Never repent a good action.(Danish Proverb)

The aged in council--the young in action.

(Danish Proverb)

ADVERSITY:

Adversity brings wisdom.(Vietnamese Proverb)

When you're enjoying prosperity, be wary of adversity.(Sicilian Proverb)

Prosperity makes friends, adversity tries them.
(Romanian Proverb)

In adversity is when friendship is proven.
(Portuguese Proverb)

He who swells in prosperity will shrink in adversity.(Romanian Proverb)

In the hour of adversity be not without hope.
(Persian Proverb)

Prosperity improves one's personality,
adversity cripples it. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Neighbors bring comfort in adversity but only
envy in success. (Irish Proverb)

Sweet are the uses of adversity. (English)

Pride in prosperity turns to misery in
adversity. (English Proverb)

Adversity is the touchstone of virtue.
(English Proverb)

Be frugal in prosperity, fear not in
adversity. (Chinese Proverb)

There is no education like adversity.
(Albanian Proverb)

Adversity is the stuff that shows whether you
are what you thought you were.
(Albanian Proverb)

Adversity has no friends. (Albanian Proverb)

Adversity does best discover virtue.
(Albanian Proverb)

A man will show his true colors in adversity.
(African Proverb)

A dose of adversity is often as needful as a dose of medicine. (American Proverb)

Happiness is like a sunbeam, which the least shadow intercepts, while adversity is often as the rain in the spring. (Chinese Proverb)

In times of prosperity friends will be plenty, in times of adversity, not one in twenty. (English Proverb)

In time of prosperity, friends will be plenty, in time of adversity, not one amongst twenty. (Latin Proverb)

In time of prosperity consider how you will bear adversity. (Latin Proverb)

It is prosperity that gives us friends, adversity that proves them. (Traditional Proverb)

He that considers in prosperity; will be less afflicted in adversity. (Turkish Proverb)

Adversity and loss make a man wise. (Welsh Proverb)

Adversity brings knowledge, and knowledge wisdom. (Welsh Proverb)

Adversity comes with instruction in his hand. (Welsh Proverb)

Many can bear adversity, but little contempt.
(Traditional Proverb)

Friends are known in adversity.(Portuguese)

Adversity makes a man wise, not rich.
(Romanian Proverb)

True friends are tested in adversity.
(Latin Proverb)

Hope is our only comfort in adversity.
(Latin Proverb)

Adversity is the foundation of virtue.
(Japanese Proverb)

He who does not tire, tires adversity.
(French Proverb)

Adversity is the touchstone of friendship.
(French Proverb)

Adversity makes a man wise.(French Proverb)

Adversity makes strange bedfellows.(French)

A stout heart tempers adversity.

(Dutch Proverb)

In prosperity caution, in adversity patience.

(Dutch Proverb)

In prosperity think of adversity.

(Dutch Proverb)

In prosperity think of adversity.

(Dutch Proverb)

Adversity flatters no man. (English Proverb)

ADVERTISEMENT:

An old business doesn't need advertising.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Advertising is the driving force of business.

(Russian Proverb)

Advertising is the mother of trade.

(Japanese Proverb)

Bragging saves advertising. (American Proverb)

ADVICE:

The old man gives the best advice.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

A fool may sometimes give a wise man counsel. (Vietnamese Proverb)

The strength of the old is their ready counsel. (Welsh Proverb)

Order the lazybones a task and let him give you advice. (Turkish Proverb)

Water, advice, and salt unasked for should not be given. (Sicilian Proverb)

You'll regret in vain when you scorn good advice. (Sicilian Proverb)

Go to friends for advice, woman for love, strangers for charity and relatives for nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

One who refused advice was later seen bleeding. (Shona Proverb)

Though thou hast never so many counselors, yet do not forsake the counsel of thy own soul. (Romanian Proverb)

Never advise anyone to go to war or to get married. Write down the advice of him who loves you, though you like it not at present. He that has no children brings them up well.

(Spanish Proverb)

Don't trust your enemy's advice.

(Sicilian Proverb)

One who refused advice was later seen bleeding.(Shona Proverb)

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(Sicilian Proverb)

It is one word of advice that one needs to give to a wise man, and that word keeps multiplying in his mind.(Nigerian Proverb)

Ask for advice, and then use your brain.

(Norwegian Proverb)

Though you possess prudence, old man, do not despise advice.(Panamanian Proverb)

Plans fail for lack of counsel but with many advisors, succeed.(Moroccan Proverb)

Free advice is seldom cheap.(Klingon Proverb)

She who ignores advice does not resist when being prepared for burial.(Kikuyu Proverb)

Go to the square and ask advice; go home and do what you like. (Italian Proverb)

Teeth placed before the tongue give good advice. (Italian Proverb)

He is bad that will not take advice, but he is a thousand times worse that takes every advice. (Irish Proverb)

Nothing is given as easily as advice. (French Proverb)

All receive advice. Only the wise profit from it. (Greek Proverb)

Women's counsel is cold. (English Proverb)

It is advantageous to follow advice, for you will succeed in life. (Filipino Proverb)

If the old dog barks, he gives counsel. (English Proverb)

Like counselor, like counsel. (English Proverb)

Examine well the counsel that favors your desire. (English Proverb)

A woman's advice is no great thing, but he who won't take it is a fool. (English Proverb)

Anger and haste hinder good counsel.

(English Proverb)

Counsel must be followed, not praised.

(English Proverb)

Get advice, and then make your own decision.

(Corsican Proverb)

Advice to a fool goes in one ear and out the other.

(Danish Proverb)

If you build according to every man's advice, you will have a crooked house.

(Danish Proverb)

Your brother is who gives you a honest advice.

(Arabic Proverb)

Leading by example is better than giving and advice.

(Arabic Proverb)

If there's no choice but advice, ask for the decisiveness of an advisor or the advice of a decisive person.

(Arabic Proverb)

Unasked-for advice smells bad.

(Albanian Proverb)

The wise man keeps his own counsel.

(Albanian Proverb)

A good advice is part of the Religion.

(Arabic Proverb)

Unasked-for advice smells bad.(Albanian)

Lucky men need no counsel.(Albanian)

Advice, when most needed, is least heeded.

(Albanian Proverb)

Advice, like water, takes the form of the vessel which it is poured into.(Albanian Proverb)

He who can take advice is sometimes superior to those who give it.(Albanian Proverb)

A thorn of experience is worth a wilderness of advice.(Albanian Proverb)

It's a friend who gives you advice.

(African Proverb)

Ears that do not listen to advice, accompany the head when it is chopped off. (African)

It's a bad child who does not take advice.

(African Proverb)

A woman listens only to the advice of a fool.

(African Proverb)

Follow the advice of the one who makes you cry, not from the one who makes you laugh.
(Arab Proverb)

Advice given in the midst of a crowd is loathsome.(Arab Proverb)

We may give advice, but we cannot give conduct.(American Proverb)

No one will give pauper bread, but everybody will give him advice.(Armenian Proverb)

Advice is a free gift that can become expensive for the one who gets it.(Armenian Proverb)

If your words are worthless, don't give advice.
(Chinese Proverb)

If your strength is small, don't carry heavy burdens. If your words are worthless, don't give advice.(Chinese Proverb)

Good counsel is no better than bad counsel, if it be not taken in time.(Danish Proverb)

Counsel after action is like rain after harvest.(Danish Proverb)

Advice to a fool goes in at one ear and out at the other.(Danish Proverb)

Advice after the mischief is like medicine after death. (Danish Proverb)

Advice after injury is like medicine after death. (Danish Proverb)

The best advice is found on the pillow. (Danish Proverb)

One piece of good advice is better than a bag full. (Danish Proverb)

He who will not take cheap advice, will have to buy dear repentance. (Danish Proverb)

Counsel is as welcome to him as a shoulder of mutton to a sick horse. (Dutch Proverb)

A fool may give a wise man counsel. (Dutch)

Where money and counsel are wanting, it is best not to make war. (Danish Proverb)

Counsel is irksome when the matter is past remedy. (Dutch Proverb)

Good advice is often annoying -- bad advice never is. (French Proverb)

Good advice is as good as an eye in the hand. (French Proverb)

An enemy may chance to give good counsel.

(French Proverb)

Write down the advice of him who loves you,
though you like it not at present.

(English Proverb)

He knows enough who knows how to live and
keep his own counsel.

(French Proverb)

What nectar can be drunk with the ears?

Good advice. (Indian Proverb)

There are none as deaf as those who will not
hear advice.

(Indian Proverb)

The wise must be respected, even when the
advice they give is not suitable.

(Indian Proverb)

A ragged sack holds no grain; a poor man is
not taken into counsel.

(Italian Proverb)

Crafty advice is often got from a fool.

(Irish Proverb)

Teeth placed in front of the tongue give good
advice.

(Italian Proverb)

Never trust the advice of a man in difficulty.

(Japanese Proverb)

The best horse needs a whip, intelligent men need advice, and devout women need a man.

(Jewish Proverb)

You are his father by nature, I by counsel.

(Latin Proverb)

We receive nothing with so much reluctance as advice.

(Latin Proverb)

The gladiator seeks advice, when in the very lists.

(Latin Proverb)

Advice is a stranger; if he's welcome he stays for the night; if not, he leaves the same day.

(Malagasy Proverb)

You can give a piece of advice, but not good luck along with that.

(Norwegian Proverb)

Given counsel is all the same hard to take.

(Norwegian Proverb)

When a thing is done, advice comes too late.

(Romanian Proverb)

If you wish good advice, consult an old man.

(Romanian Proverb)

If you want good advice, consult an old man.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Listening to good advice is the way to wealth.
(Persian Proverb)

The wrong-headed fool, who refuses counsel,
will come to grief. (South African Proverb)

The war is lost for too much advice.
(Sicilian Proverb)

That grief is light which is capable of counsel.
(Sicilian Proverb)

As soon as your cart is turned over, everyone
rushes to give you advice. (Russian Proverb)

Go to friends for advice; to women for pity; to
strangers for charity; to relatives for nothing.
(Spanish Proverb)

A woman's advice is of little value, but he who
does not take it is a fool. (Spanish Proverb)

Though you are a prudent old man, do not
despise counsel. (Spanish Proverb)

Advice would be more acceptable if it didn't
always conflict with our plans.
(Traditional Proverb)

Advices are like snow very gentle but can
snowball in the end. (Traditional Proverb)

Advice from your friends is like the weather,
some of it is good, some of it is bad.

(Traditional Proverb)

When the old dog barks, he gives counsel.

(Spanish Proverb)

I have enforced the law against killing certain
animals and many others, but the greatest
progress of righteousness among men comes
from the exhortation in favor of non-injury to
life and abstention from killing living beings.

(Traditional Proverb)

Grief is light that is capable of counsel.

(Traditional Proverb)

No one will say, "My father is incontinent."
Everyone will say, "He is a man of advice and
wisdom." (Tunisian Proverb)

Good advice is given; good esteem is not given.

(Turkish Proverb)

A wife's advice is not worth much, but woe to
the husband who refuses to take it. (Welsh)

Good advice is beyond all prices.

(Traditional Proverb)

Advice should be viewed from behind.

(Swedish Proverb)

When the rabbit has escaped, comes advice.
(Spanish Proverb)

Don't offer me advice; give me money.
(Spanish Proverb)

Idiots can sometimes give good advice.
(Spanish Proverb)

A resolute heart endures no counsel.
(Portuguese Proverb)

An angry man heeds no counsel.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Fools sometimes give wise men counsel.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Give me money, not advice. (Portuguese)

A fool sometimes gives good counsel.
(Spanish Proverb)

Ask for advice, and then use your head.
(Norwegian Proverb)

Take counsel of your pillow. (Latin Proverb)

Worthless is the advice of fools.
(Latin Proverb)

Time gives good advice.(Maltese Proverb)

Keep your own counsel.(Latin Proverb)

Counsel is nothing against love.(Italian)

Every fool wants to give advice.(Italian)

Good counsel comes over night.
(German Proverb)

Less advice and more hands.
(German Proverb)

Never give advice unasked.(German Proverb)

The night brings counsel.(French Proverb)

A woman's first advice is her best.
(German Proverb)

Advice is not compulsion.(German Proverb)

Advice should precede the act.
(German Proverb)

Anger hears no counsel.(German Proverb)

In love and war don't seek counsel.
(French Proverb)

Nothing is so liberally given as advice.

(French Proverb)

Advice to all, security for none.

(English Proverb)

Keep counsel of thyself first. (English Proverb)

Counsel before action. (Dutch Proverb)

Advice is least heeded when most needed.

(English Proverb)

A woman's first counsel is the best.

(Danish Proverb)

Along in counsel, alone in sorrow.

(Danish Proverb)

Take help of many, advice of few.

(Danish Proverb)

When the cart breaks down, advice
abounds. (Armenian Proverb)

Those who counsel does not pay.

(Belgian Proverb)

Night is the mother of advice.

(Corsican Proverb)

AFFECTION:

A single roll of taro top is delicious if seasoned with affection. **(Tahitian Proverb)**

The husband who lacks affection is like a house that lacks a roof. **(Sicilian Proverb)**

Mutual affection is when each gives his share. **(Ivorian Proverb)**

Food offered without affection is like food offered to the dead. **(Traditional Proverb)**

Injuries destroy affection. **(Latin Proverb)**

AGE:

The value of youth will be known in old age. **(Turkish Proverb)**

Of all weights, old age is the heaviest. **(Welsh Proverb)**

Three comforts of old age: fire, tea and tobacco. **(Welsh Proverb)**

Having grey hair because of old age is not a shame. **(Yemeni Proverb)**

There is no master who can fix the ravages of old age. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who fails to show restraint in their youth, will be miserable in their old age. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who lives foolishly as a youth, wails in old age. (Sicilian Proverb)

He, who runs in his youth, trots in his old age. (Spanish Proverb)

Like blood, like good, and like age, make the happiest marriage. (Spanish Proverb)

He who becomes blind in his old age does not lose his way. (Swahili Proverb)

Racklesse youth makes a goustie Age.
(Scottish Proverb)

Age and sins are more than are admitted.
(Sicilian Proverb)

From September to August drink the old wine and leave the must to age. (Sicilian Proverb)

How can you get smallpox in old age?

(Sicilian Proverb)

If you marry you'll suffer in your youth, if you don't marry you'll suffer in your old age.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is the rock of youth and the shoal of old age.(Sicilian Proverb)

Old age is desired, but when it comes, it's detested.(Sicilian Proverb)

Make ample provision for old age.

(Romanian Proverb)

Old age is sickness of itself.

(Romanian Proverb)

What youth is used to, age remembers.

(Romanian Proverb)

If old age was the same as wisdom, any old donkey would be a celebrated Justice.

(Portuguese Proverb)

An idle youth, a needy age.(Romanian)

Youth is intoxication without wine; old age, wine without intoxication.(Peruvian Proverb)

Cherish youth, but trust old age.

(Native American Pueblo Proverb)

Guard your tongue in youth, and in age you may mature a thought that will be of service to your people.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

Old age does not come in just one day.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Old age is not as honorable as death, but most people want it.

(Native American Crow)

In age, talk; in childhood, tears.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

The weaknesses of old age are no fit cause for laughter, since they must be our own portion at the end.

(Manx Proverb)

Old age is venerable.

(Latin Proverb)

Sense doesn't come before age.

(Irish Proverb)

Age does not give sense it only makes one go slowly.

(Finnish Proverb)

Age brings experience, and good mind wisdom.

(Greek Proverb)

An eagle's old age is worth a sparrow's youth.

(Greek Proverb)

Everyone is the age of their heart.

(Guatemalan Proverb)

Who is a piece of stick in youth will be a block of wood in old age.(Estonian Proverb)

Who is quick in youth will be diligent in old age.(Estonian Proverb)

If youth knew what age would crave, it would both get and save.(English Proverb)

Misfortunes hasten age.(English Proverb)

Old age is a hospital that takes in all diseases.(English Proverb)

Gluttony and vanity grow with age.(Cuban)

Intelligence is in the head, not in the age.
(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Old age is a thousand headaches.
(Arabic Proverb)

The real journey of discovery begins in old age.
(Angolan Proverb)

With age comes wisdom.(Albanian Proverb)

The deities of one age are the bywords of the next.(Albanian Proverb)

Age lasts; youth devours.(Albanian Proverb)

Age gives good advice when it is no longer able to give a bad example.(Albanian Proverb)

Age before beauty; pearls before swine.
(Albanian Proverb)

Age and marriage tame man and beast.
(Albanian Proverb)

A sure sign of age is loneliness.
(Albanian Proverb)

Education is the best provision for old age.
(Albanian Proverb)

A diplomat is a man who always remembers a woman's birthday but never her age.
(Albanian Proverb)

When an abomination has become of age it becomes a tradition.(African Proverb)

The gourd's neck cannot be straightened in its old age, it can only be broken.
(African Proverb)

Even a close friend cannot rescue one from old age. (African Proverb)

People fool themselves. They pray for a long life but fear old age. (Chinese Proverb)

Man fools himself. He prays for a long life, and he fears an old age. (Chinese Proverb)

The woman who tells her age is either too young to have anything to lose or too old to have anything to gain. (Chinese Proverb)

Age may wrinkle the face, but lack of enthusiasm wrinkles the soul.
(Danish Proverb)

Age makes many a man whiter, but not better. (Danish Proverb)

Man is like palm-wine: when young, sweet but without strength; in old age, strong but harsh. (Congolese Proverb)

An hour may destroy what an age was building. (English Proverb)

Age and wedlock bring a man to his nightcap. (English Proverb)

Where old age is evil, youth can learn no good.
(English Proverb)

The golden age never was the present age.

(English Proverb)

Age does not give you good sense; it only makes you go slowly. (Finnish Proverb)

It is easy to become a monk in one's old age.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

What the colt learns in youth he continues in old age. (French Proverb)

In youth, one has tears without grief; in age, grief without tears. (French Proverb)

In youth, one has tears without grief; in age, grief without tears. (French Proverb)

Age before beauty, said the devil as he threw his grandmother off the stairs.

(German Proverb)

Like blood, like means, and like age, make the happiest marriage. (German Proverb)

Old age is a disease that you die from.

(German Proverb)

What one is accustomed to in youth, one does in old age. (German Proverb)

Three things come into the house uninvited:
debts, age, and death. (German Proverb)

Who would be young in age, must in youth be
sage. (German Proverb)

Who honors not age, is unworthy of it.
(German Proverb)

Gray hair is a sign of age, not of wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

Proverbs bear age, and he who would do well
may view himself in them as in a looking
glass. (Italian Proverb)

Dying while young is a boon in old age.
(Jewish Proverb)

Even a friend cannot rescue one from old age.
(Kenyan Proverb)

An industrious life is the best security for food
in old age. (Latin Proverb)

An idle youth becomes in age a beggar.
(Latin Proverb)

Fear increasing age, for it does not come
without companions. (Latin Proverb)

The warnings of age are the weapons of youth.
(Latin Proverb)

The intemperate die young, and rarely en joy
old age.(Latin Proverb)

The habits of our youth accompany us in our
old age.(Latin Proverb)

A warrior dies in battle; a mountain climber
on the rocks, but a farmer dies of old age.
(New Zealander Proverb)

Old age is not a joy, but death is not a gain.
(Russian Proverb)

He who eats a partridge in his youth will only
be left with feathers in his old age. (Spanish)

He who at twenty understands nothing, at
thirty knows nothing, and at forty has
nothing, will lead a wretched old age.
(Spanish Proverb)

Custom in infancy becomes nature in old age.
(Spanish Proverb)

Old age is cruel for whores and magicians.
(Spanish Proverb)

Age and time do not wait for people.
(Traditional Proverb)

He who does not have common sense at age thirty will never have it. (Traditional Proverb)

Have the wisdom to abandon the values of a time that has passed and pick out the constituents of the future. An environment must be suited to the age and men to their environment. (Traditional Proverb)

For the ignorant, old age is as winter for the learned, it is a harvest. (Traditional Proverb)

It is less painful to learn in youth than to be ignorant in age. (Traditional Proverb)

In clothes we value novelty, in men, old age. (Traditional Proverb)

When saving for old age, be sure to put away a few pleasant thoughts. (Traditional Proverb)

When cutting, look at the age of the machete - Fulfulde, Nigeria. (Traditional Proverb)

A man shows in his youth what he will be in his age. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Old age is a hundred disorders. (Welsh Proverb)

Knowledge in youth is wisdom in age. (Traditional Proverb)

Age is a bad traveling companion.

(Traditional Proverb)

Sense comes with age.(Spanish Proverb)

Old age is not a blessing.(Russian Proverb)

Old age does not announce itself.

(South African Proverb)

A lazy youth, a lousy age.(Spanish Proverb)

Old age is in itself a disease.(Latin Proverb)

Sorrow brings on premature old age.(Latin)

Old age devours your youth.(Kenyan Proverb)

Old wine and friends improve with age.

(Italian Proverb)

Women only keep quiet about their age.

(German Proverb)

There is no medicine against old age.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

Age and marriage tame the beast.

(Haitian Proverb)

Age is honorable and youth is noble.

(Irish Proverb)

Old age is no protection against foolishness.
(German Proverb)

Rejoiced in youth, repented in age.
(German Proverb)

Reckless youth makes rueful age.
(French Proverb)

Every age wants its playthings.
(French Proverb)

Age and wedlock tame man and beast.
(English Proverb)

Age is a sorry travelling companion.
(Danish Proverb)

What youth learns, age does not forget.
(Danish Proverb)

Old age is ripeness. (American Proverb)

Every age has its book. (Arab Proverb)

AGREEMENT:

Setting the conditions before you make an agreement is better than having an argument in the middle of the work. (Yemeni Proverb)

With friends make agreements, with relatives make contracts. (Sicilian Proverb)

Where there is negotiation, there is hope for agreement. (Somali Proverb)

Make agreements without guile.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Two sparrows on one ear of corn make an ill agreement. (Romanian Proverb)

An agreement is more valuable than money.
(Russian Proverb)

People who have not secret agreement are beaten by a single club. (Kikuyu Proverb)

The value of ANYTHING is determined by the agreement of only two people.
(English Proverb)

Force may lead to agreement, but truth will lead to conviction. (Chinese Proverb)

If no agreement, then separation.

(Arabic Proverb)

A lean agreement is better than a fat judgment.

(American Proverb)

Two sparrows upon one ear of corn make ill agreement.

(French Proverb)

A lean agreement is better than a fat lawsuit.

(German Proverb)

A bad agreement is better than a good lawsuit.

(Italian Proverb)

Agreements should be clearly expressed, and chocolate should be served thick.

(Mexican Proverb)

One does not like hot, the other does not like cold; make it tepid to make an agreement.

(Malagasy Proverb)

An agreement is a kind of debt.

(Moroccan Proverb)

Agreement with two people, lamentation with three.

(Indian Proverb)

ALCOHOL:

Dignity is one thing that can't be preserved in alcohol. (Albanian Proverb)

Alcohol will preserve anything but a secret. (Albanian Proverb)

Enter alcohol, exit words. (Vietnamese Proverb)

AMBITION:

In the boss's eyes you'll always see ambition. (Puerto Rican Proverb)

Ambition never has its fill. (Mexican Proverb)

Where ambition begins happiness ends. (Hungarian Proverb)

Ambition makes people diligent. (English Proverb)

Ambition makes people scorn rustic living. (English Proverb)

Ambition spills the sack. (Chilean Proverb)

Caution is the downfall to ambition.

(Albanian Proverb)

Ambition is like hunting for whales -
sometimes you lose them. (Albanian Proverb)

A man without ambition is like a woman
without looks. (Albanian Proverb)

After a rich man gets rich, his next ambition is
to get richer. (American Proverb)

Ambition is putting a ladder against the sky.
(American Proverb)

He, who opens his heart for ambition, closes it
for the rest. (Chinese Proverb)

To feed the ambition in your heart is like
carrying a tiger under your arm.
(Chinese Proverb)

Meanness looks through one eye only,
ambition is blind. (Russian Proverb)

Ambition begets troubles. (Senegalese Proverb)

Ambition destroys its possessor.
(Jewish Proverb)

When ambition ends, happiness begins.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Ambition and fleas both jump high.
(German Proverb)

False ambition serves the neck.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Ambition and revenge are always hungry.
(Danish Proverb)

AMERICA:

Pains and patience would take a snail to America. (Irish Proverb)

The Pilgrim Fathers landed on the shores of America and fell on their knees; then they fell upon the aborigines. (American Proverb)

You've got to work twice as hard to get half as far as a Black person in white America.
(Traditional Proverb)

American as apple pie. (American Proverb)

ANGEL:

The house that receives no guests, never receives angels. (Turkish Proverb)

The devil seduced Eve in Italian. Eve mislead Adam in Bohemian. The Lord scolded them both in German. Then the angel drove them from paradise in Hungarian. (Polish Proverb)

Angels bend down their wings to a seeker of knowledge. (Moroccan Proverb)

A physician is an angel when employed, but a devil when one must pay him. (Latin Proverb)

When the angels arrive the demons leave. (Lebanese Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man the angel of death. (Jewish Proverb)

May your neighbors respect you, Trouble neglect you, the angels protect you, And heaven accept you. (Irish Proverb)

Not even an angel can fulfill two missions at once. (Irish Proverb)

A baby is an angel whose wings decrease as his legs increase. (French Proverb)

A woman has the form of an angel, the heart of a serpent, and the mind of an ass.

(German Proverb)

Men are not angels.(English Proverb)

When the Angels arrive, the devils leave.

(Egyptian Proverb)

When a girl whistles, the angels cry.

(Albanian Proverb)

Better stay with the devil you know than an angel you don't know.(African Proverb)

When the angels present themselves, the devils abscond.(Egyptian Proverb)

When the angels appear, the devils run away.(Egyptian Proverb)

In borrowing an angel, in repaying a devil.(French Proverb)

Crime is cunning; it puts an angel in front of every devil.(German Proverb)

All skill is in vain when an angel pees in the touchhole of your musket.(German Proverb)

Write on one of the devil's horns, "Good angel," and many will believe it.(German Proverb)

A solitary man is either a brute or an angel.
(Italian Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man for the Angel of Death.(Jewish Proverb)

Be sure to send a lazy man for the angel of death.(Jewish Proverb)

Nowadays you must go to heaven to meet an angel.(Polish Proverb)

Nowadays you have to go to heaven to meet an angel.(Polish Proverb)

If Jesus Christ comes to help me, I laugh at the angels.(Russian Proverb)

When a child walks down the road, a company of angels goes before him proclaiming, 'Make way for the image of the Holy One.'
(Traditional Proverb)

Earth Angel. (Traditional Proverb)

Street angel, house devil.(German Proverb)

A young angel, an old devil.(French Proverb)

ANGER:

To get rid of anger, first weed out the bitter roots. **(Zambian Proverb)**

The mountain makes the horse suffer, anger makes oneself suffer. **(Tywa Proverb)**

Anger is like a thorn in the heart. **(Yiddish Proverb)**

He, who gets up in anger, sits down with a loss. **(Turkish Proverb)**

There's no defense against the wrath of God. **(Sicilian Proverb)**

Anger is the only thing to put off till tomorrow. **(Slovak Proverb)**

Anger brings loss. **(Swahili Proverb)**

A brother's wrath is a devil's wrath. **(Swedish Proverb)**

A soft answer calms the wrath. **(Swedish)**

Angry cats get scratched skin. **(Swedish)**

Before an angry face keep your mouth shut. **(Sicilian Proverb)**

Rage is without reason. (Romanian Proverb)

Short folk are soon angry. (Romanian Proverb)

Both cheap and angry. (Russian Proverb)

Anger cannot stand without a strong hand.
(Romanian Proverb)

Even a small mouse has anger.
(Native American Plains Proverb)

Anger is more hurtful than the injury that
caused it. (Malabar Proverb)

A man who lets his problems get the better of
him is like a man who divorces his wife the
first time she makes him angry. (Malagasy)

By getting angry, one shows that she is
wrong. (Malagasy Proverb)

If patience hides something, anger won't
search and get. (Mamprussi Proverb)

All time spent angry is time lost being happy.
(Mexican Proverb)

Anger excites. (Klingon Proverb)

A short temper is a disadvantage. (Japanese)

Drunkenness and anger speak truthfully.
(Irish Proverb)

Drunkenness and anger, 'tis said tell the truth.(Irish Proverb)

There is nothing wickeder than a woman of evil temper.(Irish Proverb)

Anger is as a stone cast into a wasp's nest.
(Indian Proverb)

There is no point of nurturing anger inside us. Just let it go.(Indonesian Proverb)

A soft answer turns away anger.
(Irish Proverb)

He who is slow to anger is longer getting over it.(Hungarian Proverb)

Something has caused anger, despair but one was compelled to stand idly by.(Hungarian)

Three things show a man's character: his drinking, his pocket, and his anger.
(Hebrew Proverb)

When anger comes, wisdom goes.
(Hindi Proverb)

The poor man commands respect; the beggar must always excite anger.(French Proverb)

When love is given, love should be returned, anger gives no life.(Hawaiian Proverb)

All kinds of hellish devils rule an angry person.(Hebrew Proverb)

Anger in a house is like a worm in a plant.(Hebrew Proverb)

Don't be quick to get angry; rage is found in the bosom of fools.(Hebrew Proverb)

The anger is not warrantable that has seen two suns.(English Proverb)

Wrath often consumes what goodness husbands.(English Proverb)

Who is generous is lazy, who is angry is diligent.(Estonian Proverb)

As we are egged on, we rage.(Faroese Proverb)

He is a fool who cannot be angry; but he is a wise man who will not.(English Proverb)

Anger of the mind is poison to the soul.(Ecuadorian Proverb)

Anger and haste hinder good counsel.
(English Proverb)

Anger begins with folly, and ends with repentance.(English Proverb)

Anger punishes itself.(English Proverb)

If a caged bird isn't singing for love, it's singing in a rage.(Corsican Proverb)

He, who gets angry, grows old fast.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Don't let an angry man wash dishes; don't let hungry man guard rice.(Cambodian Proverb)

If you are patient in a moment of anger, you will spare yourself one hundred days of tears.(Cambodian Proverb)

Do not create in anger what you lack in reason.(Chinese Proverb)

Rage is not without reason.(Chinese Proverb)

The best answer comes from the man who isn't angry.(Arabic Proverb)

The beginning of anger is madness and the end of it is regret.(Arabic Proverb)

A soft answer turns away wrath.

(Biblical Proverb)

Three things to fear: a crumbling wall, an angry dog, and a shrew.(Arabic Proverb)

Temper your enthusiasm with judgment.

(Albanian Proverb)

He that is angry is seldom at ease.

(Albanian Proverb)

Beware the anger of a patient man.

(Albanian Proverb)

Anger dies quickly in a good man.

(Albanian Proverb)

A good remedy for anger is delay.

(Albanian Proverb)

The strongest person among men is not he who fights everyone but is he who controls his anger.(African Proverb)

A regular fighter who discards peace is bound to be fought by his own anger.

(African Proverb)

No matter how hot your anger may be it cannot cook.(African Proverb)

A fly that dances carelessly in front of a spider's web, risks the wrath of the spider's teeth. (African Proverb)

Anger against a brother is felt in the flesh, not in the bone. (African Proverb)

A chief should not create a new law when he is angry. (African Proverb)

A foolish man may be known by six things: Anger without cause, speech without profit, change without progress, inquiry without object, putting trust in a stranger, and mistaking foes for friends. (Arab Proverb)

Wrath begins in madness and ends in repentance. (Arab Proverb)

Don't promise something when you are full of joy; don't answer letters when you are full of anger. (Chinese Proverb)

Anger is always more harmful than the insult that caused it. (Chinese Proverb)

Cultivate a heart of love that knows no anger. (Cambodian Proverb)

A mother's wrath does not survive the night. (Burundian Proverb)

Never answer a letter while you are angry.

(Chinese Proverb)

In the midst of great joy, do not promise anyone anything. In the midst of great anger, do not answer anyone's letter.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you are patient in one moment of anger, you will escape a hundred days of sorrow.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you are patient in a moment of anger, you will escape a hundred days of sorrow.

(Chinese Proverb)

When you are very angry, don't go to a lawyer; when you are very hungry, don't be a poet.

(Chinese Proverb)

Better cross an angry man than a fasting man.

(Danish Proverb)

Anger is the only thing to put off until tomorrow.

(Czech Proverb)

He that can reply to an angry man is too hard for him.

(Dutch Proverb)

Hastiness is the beginning of wrath, and its end repentance.

(Dutch Proverb)

Anger is often more hurtful than the injury that caused it. (English Proverb)

He who loses his temper is in the wrong. (French Proverb)

The end of wrath is the beginning of repentance. (German Proverb)

To act in anger is like tying up a ship in a storm. (German Proverb)

One word spoken in anger may spoil an entire life. (Greek Proverb)

A fool gives full vent to his anger, but a wise man keeps him under control. (Italian Proverb)

Great anger is more destructive than the sword. (Indian Proverb)

Give away all you like, but keep your bills and your temper. (Irish Proverb)

Fear is a fine spur; so is rage. (Irish Proverb)

Never let the sun go down on your anger. (Italian Proverb)

It is truth that makes a many angry. (Italian Proverb)

Better a night full of anger than a night full of repentance. (Jewish Proverb)

If you kick a stone in anger, you'll hurt your own foot. (Korean Proverb)

When the wise man gets angry, he stops being wise. (Jewish Proverb)

Fire will not put out fire. Anger is not appeased by anger. (Latin Proverb)

By getting angry, you show you are wrong. (Malagasy Proverb)

The force of anger is broken by a soft answer. (Latin Proverb)

To spend the night in anger is better than to spend it repenting. (Senegalese Proverb)

The wrath of brothers is the wrath of devils. (Spanish Proverb)

A fool may be known by six things anger, without cause speech, without profit change, without progress inquiry, without object putting trust in a stranger, and mistaking foes for friends. (Traditional Proverb)

A person is just as big as the thing that makes him angry. (Traditional Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence. (Traditional Proverb)

Conquer a man who never gives by gifts;
Subdue untruthful men by truthfulness;
vanquish an angry man by gentleness; and
overcome the evil man by goodness.
(Traditional Proverb)

Beware of the anger of a patient man.
(Traditional Proverb)

Anger is only one letter short of danger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Patience when teased is often transformed into rage. (Traditional Proverb)

Pain in the present is experienced as hurt;
pain in the past is remembered as anger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Not the fastest horse can catch a word spoken
in anger. (Traditional Proverb)

Non-injury, truthfulness, freedom from theft,
lust, anger, and greed, and an effort to do
what is agreeable and beneficial to all

creatures this is the common duty of all castes. (Traditional Proverb)

In the midst of great joy do not promise to give a man anything in the midst of great anger do not answer a man's letter.

(Traditional Proverb)

In a noble man, anger lasts for a moment in a worldly man for two hours in a base man for a day and in an evil man until death.

(Traditional Proverb)

When a cow endeavors to scratch his ear, It means a rain shower is very near. When he thumps his ribs with an angry tail, look out for thunder, lightning and hail.

(Traditional Proverb)

Anger is the mother of treachery. (Welsh)

When the rain falls in the valley, the hill gets angry. (Yoruban Proverb)

Mildness governs more than anger.

(Spanish Proverb)

Patience overtaxed turns to rage.

(Latin Proverb)

Even a fly can show temper. (Latin Proverb)

Even the ant hath its anger.(Latin Proverb)

Hatred is a settled anger.(Latin Proverb)

Hunger and delay rise up anger.
(Latin Proverb)

Hunger sharpens anger.(Latin Proverb)

Anger is a transient madness.(Latin Proverb)

A flatterer must not lose his temper.
(Jewish Proverb)

Anger can be an expensive luxury.
(Italian Proverb)

Anger increases love.(Italian Proverb)

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Even a fly has its anger.(Italian Proverb)

Time is anger's medicine.(German Proverb)

Wrath often consumes what god gives
husbands.(Icelandic Proverb)

Anger ends in cruelty.(Indian Proverb)

Anger has no eyes.(Indian Proverb)

Love's anger is fuel to love.(German Proverb)

The best answer to anger is silence.
(German Proverb)

Anger can't stand, without a strong hand.
(German Proverb)

Anger hears no counsel.(German Proverb)

Anger without power is folly.(German Proverb)

Rage avails less than courage.
(French Proverb)

Anger is a bad adviser.(French Proverb)

Anger is a bad counselor.(French Proverb)

Dread the anger of the dove.(French Proverb)

Women are like wasps in their anger.
(English Proverb)

A soft answer turneth away wrath.
(Dutch Proverb)

A stout heart tempers adversity.
(Dutch Proverb)

Anger is a short madness.(Dutch Proverb)

A hungry man is an angry man.

(English Proverb)

Anger edges valor.(English Proverb)

Anger is short-lived in a good man.

(English Proverb)

Women are like wasps in their anger.

(English Proverb)

An empty cellar makes an angry butler.

(Danish Proverb)

ANIMAL:

Whoever needs milk, bows to the animal.

(Yiddish Proverb)

The public is an animal with many heads.

(Swedish Proverb)

There are seldom cattle without some motley animals.(Swedish Proverb)

Whoever rides into the flood, either does not own the animal or doesn't value it.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Take care of the manger and water the animals at the drinking trough.(Sicilian)

Even if an animal comes to you for protection, you give it sanctuary.(Rwandan Proverb)

Every kind of animal can be tamed, but not the tongue of man.(Filipino Proverb)

The injured animal is covered with flies.
(Nilotic Proverb)

If men were now to turn their hostility towards the cat, it would not be long before the domestic cat becomes a wild animal.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Do not kill an animal unless you intend to eat it.(Klingon Proverb)

A camel is not an animal and an Arab is not a human being.(Kurdish Proverb)

God swats flies for an animal that has no tail.
(Igbo Proverb)

The master's eye makes the animals fat.
(Hungarian Proverb)

There is no tree which a panting animal would not cling to.(Bajan Proverb)

Instead of being near a pagan you rather be near an animal. (African Proverb)

If you see an animal running in the early morning know that it is running away from something more scarily than the due.

(African Proverb)

If you haven't any sheep you won't know that a fox is a wild animal. (African Proverb)

If you are not an animal you will never find yourself in a trap. (African Proverb)

At a hunting expedition you cannot apportion the meat before you kill the animal.

(African Proverb)

Always stamp your hunting nets where the animal is going to pass. (African Proverb)

Always stamp your hunting nets where the animal is going to pass. (African Proverb)

The mountains are never so far apart but the animals find one another. (American Proverb)

Sometimes the cry of the animal is worse than the animal itself. (French Proverb)

If there were no elephant in the jungle, the buffalo would be a great animal. (Ghanaian)

Do not eat before you have fed your animal.
(Jewish Proverb)

One ass calls the other a pack animal.
(Jewish Proverb)

Good men extend their pity, even unto the most despicable animals. The moon doth not withhold the light, even from the cottage of a Chandala (outcast). (Traditional Proverb)

A mule driver is not aware of the stink of his animals. (Yemeni Proverb)

You attack a horned animal. (Latin Proverb)

APOLOGY:

Avoid what will require an apology.
(Arabic Proverb)

An apology is a good way to have the last word. (Traditional Proverb)

APPEARANCE:

Where you're not known, you're judged by your appearance. (Sicilian Proverb)

Appearances are deceiving.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Heart rather than appearance.
(Japanese Proverb)

One man differs from another in three things:
his voice, his appearance, and his mind.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Appearance cheats. (Hungarian Proverb)

Appearances are deceptive. (German Proverb)

The difference between appearances and truth
is the same as between warping and
weaving. (Corsican Proverb)

Appearance can be deceiving. A wolf can
disguise himself as a sheep.
(Dominican Proverb)

We can be deceived by fair appearance.
(Albanian Proverb)

The face is the index of the mind, but
appearances are deceitful. (Albanian Proverb)

Appearances aren't everything.
(Albanian Proverb)

A dog won't forsake his master because of poverty; a son never deserts his mother because of her homely appearance.

(Chinese Proverb)

Anxious about the shoe, but disregarding the foot. (Latin Proverb)

When the tale of bricks is doubled, then Moses makes his appearance. (Latin Proverb)

When the battle is over you make your appearance. (Latin Proverb)

Do not judge by appearances; a rich heart may be under a poor coat. (Scottish Proverb)

Never judge from appearances. (Traditional Proverb)

No reliance can be placed on appearance. (Latin Proverb)

Appearances are deceitful. (German Proverb)

Appearances can be deceiving. (English Proverb)

ARGUMENT:

Setting the conditions before you make an agreement is better than having an argument in the middle of the work. (Yemeni Proverb)

Proof rather than argument.
(Japanese Proverb)

Winning an argument does not mean one has convinced one's opponent. (Chinese Proverb)

The weaker the argument, the stronger the words. (Albanian Proverb)

Force is no argument. (Albanian Proverb)

A single fact is worth a shipload of argument.
(Albanian Proverb)

If you want to know how the true story goes, wait till the arguments start. (African Proverb)

The one who first resorts to violence shows that he has no more arguments.
(Chinese Proverb)

He who strikes the first blow admits he's lost the argument. (Chinese Proverb)

One good argument is worth more than ten better ones. (French Proverb)

Where gold chinks, arguments are of no avail.
(German Proverb)

You should not call in a cat to settle the argument of two birds.(Indian Proverb)

Truth becomes lost in the turmoil of arguments.(Latin Proverb)

The one who first shuts up in an argument is from a good family.(Slovak Proverb)

A single fact can spoil a good argument.
(Traditional Proverb)

An argument is fine only when there is to be a fight.(Traditional Proverb)

Rebuke with soft words and hard arguments.(Traditional Proverb)

Argument seldom convinces anyone against his inclinations.(Traditional Proverb)

Lower your voice and strengthen your argument.(Lebanese Proverb)

An argument against the man. (Latin Proverb)

Where gold avails, argument fails.
(German Proverb)

Use soft words and hard arguments.

(English Proverb)

ARISTOCRAT:

The farmer is a born philosopher; the aristocrat has to learn how. (Polish Proverb)

He is an aristocrat in folio. (Dutch Proverb)

ARROGANCE:

Arrogance is not gentlemanly.

(Swahili Proverb)

A tiny one seems arrogant. (Swedish Proverb)

Abundance breeds arrogance.

(Argentine Proverb)

Arrogance over the arrogant is modesty.

(Arabic Proverb)

The weed of arrogance grows on a dunghill.

(Albanian Proverb)

Arrogance is a weed that grows mostly on a dunghill. (Arab Proverb)

Arrogance is a kingdom without a crown.
(American Proverb)

How great man would be was he not so arrogant.(Jewish Proverb)

Him whom Jove would destroy him first deprives of his reason. [Arrogant, insolent, and vainglorious people work out their own ruin.]
(Latin Proverb)

Dine with arrogance, sleep with shame.
(Spanish Proverb)

Arrogance is intolerable.(Latin Proverb)

Riches cause arrogance; poverty, meekness.
(German Proverb)

Arrogance diminishes wisdom.(Arab Proverb)

ART:

Writing is the mother of eloquence and the father of artists.(Syrian Proverb)

The highest art is the art of living an ordinary life in an extraordinary manner.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Don't pass judgment on a work of art if you don't know how to create it. (Sicilian Proverb)

Poverty is the mother of all arts.
(Romanian Proverb)

Thou too art mortal. (Roman Proverb)

Art has no enemy but ignorance.
(Romanian Proverb)

Art has no enemy except ignorance.
(Latin Proverb)

To whiten ivory with dye is to spoil nature by art. (Latin Proverb)

Practice not your art, and it will soon depart.
(German Proverb)

The belly teaches all arts. (English Proverb)

He who has an art has everywhere a part.
(English Proverb)

An artist lives everywhere. (English Proverb)

Aspire to the principle, behave with virtue, abide by benevolence, and immerse yourself in the arts. (Chinese Proverb)

We have no art. (Balinese Proverb)

The greatest art is the art of life.

(Albanian Proverb)

The artist never dies.(Albanian Proverb)

Tact is the art of making a point without making an enemy.(Albanian Proverb)

Art is the right hand of nature.

(Albanian Proverb)

All the art lies in making the best of a bad market.(Albanian Proverb)

Diplomacy is the art of letting someone else have your way.(American Proverb)

To open a shop is easy; to keep it open is an art.(Chinese Proverb)

Fie upon thee, how black thou art! Said the kettle to the saucepan.(Danish Proverb)

Riches and favor go before wisdom and art.
(Danish Proverb)

The art is not in making money, but in keeping it.(Dutch Proverb)

The art of pleasing is the art of deceiving.
(French Proverb)

The art is to eat it with taste.(French Proverb)

Seekers of art; finders of the beggar's bag.
(French Proverb)

If you fail to practice your art, it will soon disappear.(German Proverb)

Art holds fast when all else is lost.
(German Proverb)

If pride were an art, how many doctors we should have.(Italian Proverb)

Home, dear home, small as thou art, to me thou art a palace.(Italian Proverb)

A well which is drawn from is improved. [Art is improved by practice.](Latin Proverb)

It is the perfection of art when no trace of the artist appears.(Latin Proverb)

Without favor, art is like a windmill without wind.(Latin Proverb)

Where art is displayed truth does not appear.
(Latin Proverb)

Practice not your art, and 'twill soon depart.
(Latin Proverb)

Arabic is a language, Persian is a delicacy and Turkish is an art. (Persian Proverb)

Knowledge without practice makes but half an artist. (Sierra Leonean Proverb)

I do not tell thee what thou art, thou wilt tell it thyself. (Spanish Proverb)

To be a merchant, the art consists more in getting paid than in making sales.
(Spanish Proverb)

A civilization is as great as its dreams, and its dreams are dreamt by artists.
(Traditional Proverb)

To be a fool at the right time is also an art.
(Swiss Proverb)

Nature passes art. (Traditional Proverb)

Art improves Nature. (Traditional Proverb)

Fortune and the arts assist each other.
(Latin Proverb)

Nature without an effort surpasses art.
(Latin Proverb)

Love is master of all arts. (Italian Proverb)

Art is the illusion of spontaneity.

(Japanese Proverb)

Necessity teaches arts. (German Proverb)

Art and knowledge bring bread and honor.

(Danish Proverb)

Art is long and life is short. (Danish Proverb)

Eye-service is the courtier's art.

(Danish Proverb)

The master derives from his art.

(Danish Proverb)

Love is the art of making exceptions.

(Darkovan Proverb)

Art and knowledge bring bread and honor.

(Danish Proverb)

Art finds its food everywhere. (Danish Proverb)

ASTRONOMY:

He who understands music understands the

cosmos. (Egyptian Proverb)

He that was born under a three-halfpenny planet shall never be worth two pence.
(Danish Proverb)

What the gods make, the planet can find use for.(Darkovan Proverb)

The sum of intelligence on the planet is a constant the population is growing.
(Traditional Proverb)

ATHEIST:

An atheist is one point beyond the devil.
(Traditional Proverb)

ATTENTION:

If you don't want to attract attention, don't start something new.(Sicilian Proverb)

It pays to pay attention.(English Proverb)

Do not weaken the attention of him who is occupied.(Egyptian Proverb)

When a child is asleep a mother's attention is on the child's stomach.(African Proverb)

A dog that barks all the time gets little attention. (Argentine Proverb)

He who comes from afar may lie without fear of contradiction as he is sure to be listened to with the utmost attention. (French Proverb)

No attention is paid to him who is always complaining. (Kenyan Proverb)

ATTITUDE:

Your whole destiny is involved in the attitude you take toward your sin. (Albanian Proverb)

If you can't change your fate, change your attitude. (Chinese Proverb)

I can alter my life by altering the attitude of my mind. (Traditional Proverb)

Attitude determines altitude. (Traditional)

AUTUMN:

A fever in autumn is either long lasting or mortal. (Sicilian Proverb)

Autumn days come quickly like the running of a hound on the moor. (Irish Proverb)

Autumn is the hush before winter. (French)

A whore in spring, a nun in autumn.
(Catalonian Proverb)

If you do not sow in the spring you will not reap in the autumn. (Irish Proverb)

A man's heart changes as often as does the autumn sky. (Japanese Proverb)

The blossoms in the spring are the fruit in autumn. (Latin Proverb)

He ate one fig and he thought the autumn had come. (Tunisian Proverb)

Chickens are counted in autumn.
(Russian Proverb)

B CATEGORY

BABIES:

It is the soil that knows that the mouse's baby is ill. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

'My mother is indeed the best baby carrier,'
says the baby. (Ugandan Proverb)

If a baby crawls up to me and pinches me, I
will get on my knees and pinch him back.
(Igbo Proverb)

You're just like a baby; one never knows what
comes and when it comes. (Finnish Proverb)

A baby is an angel whose wings decrease as
his legs increase. (French Proverb)

The mouse is silent while laboring, but when
the baby is conceived, she cries.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

A mother never thinks her baby is ugly.
(English Proverb)

The hyena does not eat its baby, and you
know how insatiable it is. (Bajan Proverb)

Don't throw the baby out with the bathwater.
(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot hear a baby cry in the mother's
womb. (African Proverb)

Troubles are like babies: the more they are
nursed, the better they grow. (African Proverb)

Even if a baby seems unpleasant to look at,
his mother never refuses him.

(African Proverb)

A woman who delivers a baby in the market
square has nothing to hide. (African Proverb)

The rich get richer, and the poor get babies.
(American Proverb)

It takes nine months to have a baby, no
matter how many people you put on the job.
(American Proverb)

Don't throw out the baby with the bath water.
(American Proverb)

Love is like a baby: it needs to be treated
tenderly. (Congolese Proverb)

If the knitter is weary the baby will have no
new bonnet. (Irish Proverb)

The baby is not yet born, and yet you say that
his nose is like his grandfather's. (Indian)

The cradle is rocked but the baby is pinched.
(Malawian Proverb)

There were already twenty in the family, so my
grandmother had a baby. (Spanish Proverb)

Mama's baby...Papa's maybe.

(Traditional Proverb)

Mother's baby, Father's maybe.

(Traditional Proverb)

BEAUTY:

A beautiful person might not have a beautiful life. (Taiwanese Proverb)

Beauty passes, but perfection remains with us. (Turkish Proverb)

Beautiful from behind, ugly in front.
(Ugandan Proverb)

Beauty is but skin-deep. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Charm is more than beauty. (Yiddish Proverb)

The man with a beautiful wife is always singing, the one with little money is always counting. (Sicilian Proverb)

Trapani, red coral, Monte San Giuliano, beautiful children. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who makes baskets, makes some ugly and some beautiful. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want beauty, you must be injured. (Swahili Proverb)

The cook does not have to be a beautiful woman. (Shona Proverb)

A woman who is young and beautiful is never poor. (Sicilian Proverb)

April makes the flowers and the beauty, but May gets all the credit. (Sicilian Proverb)

At Camu there are the boors, at Termini the brunette slaves; and at Palermo long-stemmed roses, beautiful on the outside and rotten on the inside. (Sicilian Proverb)

From the woods a beautiful pheasant, from the sea a beautiful moray eel, from the river a den eel, from the cage a beautiful chicken. (Sicilian Proverb)

Her beauty is the only dowry a beautiful girl needs. (Sicilian Proverb)

Honesty and kindness enhance every beauty. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want a beautiful woman, hurry to Syracuse: if you want her ugly, run to Terranova, go to Rosolini if you want her lazy and to Spaccaforno if you're looking for one to try. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love, beauty and money are three things that can't be hidden. (Sicilian Proverb)

Patti has beautiful fruits. (Sicilian Proverb)

Pigeon and chick, by your beak you attain beauty. (Sicilian Proverb)

Debt is beautiful after repaid.
(Russian Proverb)

Devils live in beautiful mansions.
(Russian Proverb)

Beauty but bounty avails nought.
(Scottish Proverb)

Beauty will fade, but not goodness.
(Filipino Proverb)

Beauty lies in the eyes of the beholder.
(Portuguese Proverb)

If one loves the ugly, one shall find it beautiful. (Portuguese Proverb)

Beauty fades like a flower. (Romanian Proverb)

Beauty is but a blossom. (Romanian Proverb)

Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain.
(Romanian Proverb)

Walk in the valley of our ancestors, learn of
the history, and marvel at the beauty.
(New Zealander Proverb)

Beauty is not sold and eaten.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Greatness and beauty do not belong to the
gods alone. (Nigerian Proverb)

You are sure to marry a woman either
beautiful or ugly; If ugly she will be a
punishment; if beautiful, you will share her
with others. Therefore do not marry.
(Pakistani Proverb)

Three things cause sorrow to flee; water, green
trees, and a beautiful face. (Moroccan Proverb)

An eight-sided beauty is coldhearted.
(Japanese Proverb)

Beauty is skin deep. (Japanese Proverb)

Beauty without grace like rose without smell.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Beauty is only skin deep, ugliness goes to the bone. (Irish Proverb)

Beauty never boiled the pot and ugliness never thickened it. (Irish Proverb)

Beautiful day, a gift for the traveler.
(Indonesian Proverb)

His eyes are beautiful, but his heart is a devil.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The bride is too beautiful. (Hungarian Proverb)

Ten measures of beauty descended on the world; nine went to Jerusalem, and one to the rest of the world. (Hebrew Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is as a flower without perfume. (French Proverb)

An ugly child of your own is more to you than a beautiful one belonging to your neighbor.
(Ganda Proverb)

The one who loves an unsightly person is the one who makes him beautiful. (Ganda Proverb)

Distant hills look beautiful; near ones are ugly. (Goan Proverb)

Beauty cannot be eaten with a spoon.
(Gypsy Proverb)

A beautiful ornament looks best on a beautiful woman. (Hebrew Proverb)

Beauty does not fill your tummy.
(Estonian Proverb)

Grace will last, beauty will blast.
(English Proverb)

Health and gaiety foster beauty.
(English Proverb)

Beautiful discourse is rarer than emerald, yet it can be found among the servant girls at the grindstones. (Egyptian Proverb)

Dress up a stick and it'll be a beautiful bride.
(Egyptian Proverb)

That which in the beautiful woman is grace, in the ugly woman turns to disgrace.
(El Salvadoran Proverb)

Beauty and folly go often in company.
(English Proverb)

Beauty and honesty seldom agree. (English)

Beauty draws more than oxen. (English)

Beauty is eloquent even when silent.
(English Proverb)

Beauty is only skin deep, but ugly goes
straight to the bone. (English Proverb)

Beauty may have fair leaves, yet bitter fruit.
(English Proverb)

Beauty may open doors but only virtue enters.
(English Proverb)

Beauty provoketh thieves sooner than gold.
(English Proverb)

Beautiful May mornings and beautiful
January evenings. (Corsican Proverb)

Beautiful things are never as beautiful as
those that are pleasing. (Corsican Proverb)

Beauty and folly are constant companions.
(Costa Rican Proverb)

A man possesses beauty in his quality and a
woman possesses quality in her beauty.
(Cuban Proverb)

Beer makes beautiful bodies. (Czech Proverb)

Beautiful words don't put porridge in the pot.
(Bosnian Proverb)

A fragrant bloom is not necessarily a beautiful flower; an orator may not be a crackerjack.
(Chinese Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women.
(Chinese Proverb)

It is the beautiful bird that gets caged.
(Chinese Proverb)

What appears beautiful is not always good for you. (Chinese Proverb)

You are beautiful; but learn to work, for you cannot eat your beauty. (Congolese Proverb)

Outer beauty is no good, give me inner beauty.
(Arabic Proverb)

If you're beautiful, whatever you do is fine.
(Arabic Proverb)

The leopard's skin is beautiful, but his heart evil. (Baluba Proverb)

The skin of the leopard is beautiful, but not his heart. (Baluba Proverb)

Wait for the night before saying that the day has been beautiful. (Bengali Proverb)

Who loves cats has a beautiful wife.
(Bengali Proverb)

He kills the peacock for the beauty of its feathers. (Arabic Proverb)

Don't pride over your wealth or beauty, one will be gone in a night and the other with a fever. (Arabic Proverb)

She who is a beauty is half married.
(Albanian Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is a rose without fragrance. (Albanian Proverb)

Beauty is no longer amiable than while virtue adorns it. (Albanian Proverb)

Beauty is as beauty does. (Albanian Proverb)

Beauty and folly are old companions.
(Albanian Proverb)

Age before beauty; pearls before swine.

(Albanian Proverb)

A true wife is her husband's flower of beauty.

(Albanian Proverb)

Why they like an ugly person it takes long for a beautiful person to know it. (African)

She is beautiful; she has love, understands; she respects herself and others; everyone likes, loves and honors her; she is a goddess.

(African Proverb)

It is only a stupid cow that rejoices at the prospect of being taken to a beautiful abattoir.

(African Proverb)

Getting only a beautiful woman is like planting a vine on the roadside everyone feeds on it.

(African Proverb)

Even the colors of a chameleon are for survival not beauty. (African Proverb)

Despite the beauty of the moon, sun and the stars, the sky also has a threatening thunder and striking lightening. (African Proverb)

A woman's polite devotion is her greatest beauty. (African Proverb)

A woman who pursues a man for sex loses her spiritual beauty. (African Proverb)

The beautiful is less what one sees than what one dreams. (Belgian Proverb)

Patience is the mother of a beautiful child. (Bantu Proverb)

Beauty is ten, nine of which is dressing. (Azerbaijani Proverb)

Wealth can give legs to the cripple, beauty to the ugly, and sympathy to tears. (Armenian Proverb)

The one-eyed person is a beauty in the country of the blind. (Arab Proverb)

May your life be like a wildflower, growing freely in the beauty and joy of each day. (American Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women. Wisdom is the beauty of men. (Chinese Proverb)

Beautiful girls are seldom happy, intelligent boys are seldom beautiful. (Chinese Proverb)

The peony is beautiful, yet it is supported by a stalk. (Chinese Proverb)

It's not the beauty of a woman that blinds the man, the man blinds himself.

(Chinese Proverb)

It is the beautiful bird which gets caged.

(Chinese Proverb)

If the pedestal is beautiful the statue must be even more beautiful. (Chinese Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is like a rose without scent. (Danish Proverb)

Beauty without honesty is like a rose without perfume. (Danish Proverb)

Beauty is in the eye of the beholder.

(Dutch Proverb)

Beauty is but dross if honesty be lost.

(Dutch Proverb)

Beauty, unaccompanied by virtue, is as a flower without perfume. (French Proverb)

Beauty is the eye's food but the soul's sorrow.

(German Proverb)

Age before beauty, said the devil as 'he threw his grandmother off the stairs'. (German)

You cannot make a beautiful plumage out of a pig's tail. (French Proverb)

The surface of the water is beautiful, but it is no good to sleep on. (Ghanaian Proverb)

He who marries a real beauty is seeking trouble. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Woman's beauty, the forest echo, and rainbows, soon pass away. (German Proverb)

In the dark all cats and all girls are beautiful. (Hungarian Proverb)

A beetle is a beauty in the eyes of his mother. (Italian Proverb)

What does the blind man know of the beauty of the tulip? (Indian Proverb)

There are three things that refresh the heart and reduce your grief; water, flowers, and a beautiful woman. (Indian Proverb)

The sun is still beautiful, though ready to set. (Italian Proverb)

She who is born a beauty is born betrothed. (Italian Proverb)

To the starving man the beauty of Fujiyama has no meaning. (Japanese Proverb)

If man has no tea in him, he is incapable of understanding truth and beauty.
(Japanese Proverb)

Apple blossoms are beautiful, but rice dumplings are better. (Japanese Proverb)

You have married a beauty? So much the worse for you. (Italian Proverb)

You will hate a beautiful song if you sing it often. (Korean Proverb)

Money, like a queen, gives rank and beauty.
(Latin Proverb)

He who loves a one-eyed girl thinks that one-eyed girls are beautiful. (Latin Proverb)

If you fall in love let her be a beauty; if you should steal, let it be a camel. (Lebanese)

Wickedness with beauty is the devil's hook baited. (Latin Proverb)

That fair face will as years roll on lose its beauty, and old age will bring its wrinkles to the brow. (Latin Proverb)

Pride is innate in beauty, and haughtiness is the companion of the fair. (Latin Proverb)

Ugliness with a good character is better than beauty. (Nigerian Proverb)

If you find "Miss This Year" beautiful, then you'll find "Miss Next Year" even more so. (Nigerian Proverb)

If there is character, ugliness becomes beauty; if there is none, beauty becomes ugliness. (Nigerian Proverb)

Better an ugly duckling from your own village than a beauty from foreign parts. (Romanian Proverb)

Beauty without wisdom is like a flower in the mud. (Romanian Proverb)

Beauty is the sister of idleness and the mother of luxury. (Russian Proverb)

Health and cheerfulness make beauty; finery and cosmetics cost money and lie. (Spanish Proverb)

He that would have a beautiful wife should choose her on a Sunday. (Spanish Proverb)

Never praise life in front of death, nor the beautiful day in front of night.

(Spanish Proverb)

A thing of beauty is a joy forever.

(Traditional Proverb)

Only a certain amount of flowers and jewels is beautiful. (Tibetan Proverb)

How does one measure time No, not in day, months, or years? It is measured by the most precious of all things Love. Without which all beings and things whether brave and or beautiful would perish. (Traditional Proverb)

Beauty's sister is vanity, and its daughter lust. (Traditional Proverb)

As the grace of man is in the mind, so the beauty of the mind is eloquence.

(Traditional Proverb)

There is no beauty but the beauty of action.

(Traditional Proverb)

Whoever the heart loves, she is the beauty.

(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty is not so much what you see as what you dream. (Walloon Proverb)

The cat is nature's beauty.

(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty Passes, wisdom remains.

(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty and chastity are always quarreling.

(Spanish Proverb)

He who marries a beauty marries trouble.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Beauty does not season soup. (Polish Proverb)

Time has no respect for beauty.

(Polish Proverb)

Having need of makes the ugly beautiful.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Modesty is the beauty of women.

(Scottish Proverb)

Rare is agreement between beauty and
modesty. (Latin Proverb)

The autumn of beauty is still beautiful.

(Latin Proverb)

What we possess is always beautiful.

(Latin Proverb)

Charm is stronger than beauty.

(Maltese Proverb)

Good health is the sister of beauty.

(Maltese Proverb)

Everything beautiful is loveable. (Latin Proverb)

Neither beautiful, nor young. (Latin Proverb)

Beautiful things are secured with most difficulty. (Latin Proverb)

What is good is not necessarily beautiful.

(Japanese Proverb)

Attractiveness is better than beauty.

(Jewish Proverb)

Charm is more than just beauty.

(Jewish Proverb)

Beautiful woman, beautiful trouble.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Who loves ugliness will not encounter beauty.

(German Proverb)

Every bird thinks its own nest beautiful.

(Italian Proverb)

Everything new is beautiful.(Italian Proverb)

What you love is always beautiful.
(French Proverb)

Without grace beauty is an unabated hook.
(French Proverb)

Whoever I love is the most beautiful.
(Georgian Proverb)

Beauty is a good letter of introduction.
(German Proverb)

Beautiful grapes often make poor wine.
(French Proverb)

Beauty and folly are often companions.
(French Proverb)

Beauty is silent eloquence.(French Proverb)

Beauty is potent, but money is omnipotent.
(Dutch Proverb)

Youth is beauty, even in cattle.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Beauty is only skin deep.(English Proverb)

Fancy passes beauty.(English Proverb)

One cannot make soup out of beauty.

(Estonian Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is a curse.

(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Beauty is an empty calabash.

(Cameroonian Proverb)

Beautiful roads never go far. (Chinese Proverb)

Small is beautiful. (Chinese Proverb)

Beauty carries its dowry in its face.

(Danish Proverb)

Beauty draws with a single hair.

(Danish Proverb)

Beauty is a fading flower. (Danish Proverb)

Beauty doesn't exist, men only dream it.

(Arab Proverb)

Beauty is power. (Arab Proverb)

Beauty never travels in a group.

(Arab Proverb)

Patience is beautiful. (Arab Proverb)

BELIEF:

It is unclear who has money and who faith.
(Turkish Proverb)

When bribery enters through the door, faith goes out through the chimney.
(Turkish Proverb)

Effort will not counter faith. (Swahili Proverb)

Faith can move mountains. (Swedish Proverb)

The more you know the less you believe.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Wealth and holiness, believe only half, if you believe less, you'll do better. (Sicilian Proverb)

What the eyes don't see, the heart doesn't believe. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who loses his honor loses a lot, who loses his faith, loses everything. (Sicilian Proverb)

What you see is what you believe.
(Somali Proverb)

Faith is confirmed by the heart, confessed by the tongue, and acted upon by the body.
(Suyin Proverb)

Believing is easier than investigating.

(Serbian Proverb)

Believe half of what you hear about wealth and holiness. (Sicilian Proverb)

Believe half what's recounted, the less you believe, the better you'll do. (Sicilian Proverb)

Believe only a little of what you see and nothing that you hear. (Sicilian Proverb)

Faith is salvation, not the wood of a ship. (Sicilian Proverb)

The just shall live by faith. (Romanian Proverb)

Love and faith are seen in their works. (Portuguese Proverb)

It is in our work that we discover love and faith. (Mexican Proverb)

Believe not a swearing man and a weeping woman. (Maltese Proverb)

Believe that you have it, and you will have it. (Latin Proverb)

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Faith moves mountains... of inventory.

(Klingon Proverb)

Hear all, believe nothing. (Klingon Proverb)

Whoever prays loudly, it shows he has little faith. (Hebrew Proverb)

Believe in women as in the weather in April. (Hungarian Proverb)

Faith is not a whole series of axioms but a whole way of life. (Hebrew Proverb)

The key to all action lies in belief. (English)

Faith sees by the ears. (English Proverb)

Faith without works is dead. (English Proverb)

A vain belief, unprofitable. (English Proverb)

See and believe, and in order not to make a mistake, touch. (Colombian Proverb)

Faith moves mountains. (Biblical Proverb)

Cleanliness is out of faith. (Arabic Proverb)

Believe what you see and not all you hear. (Arabic Proverb)

Who is great in faith won't be small in failure.
(Albanian Proverb)

A proof of faith is obedience.
(Albanian Proverb)

Never believe the impossible.
(Albanian Proverb)

Falsehood is the darkness of faith.
(Albanian Proverb)

Faith is that quality which enables us to believe what we know to be at least far out.
(Albanian Proverb)

Faith is the vision of the heart.
(Albanian Proverb)

A proof of faith is obedience.
(Albanian Proverb)

A day you believe is not bad, is the one that becomes bad.(African Proverb)

Being clean is the half of faith.
(Afghan Proverb)

Saying salaam is a sign of true faith.
(Afghan Proverb)

The strength of the heart comes from the soundness of the faith. (Arab Proverb)

If you hear that a mountain has moved, believe; but if you hear that a man has changed his character, believe it not. (Arab Proverb)

Believe what you see and lay aside what you hear. (Arab Proverb)

Faith and dishonesty are other words for uselessness. (Chinese Proverb)

Believe your servants but do not listen to them. (Chinese Proverb)

If you are ready to believe, you are easy to deceive. (Darkovan Proverb)

Don't do all you can, spend all you have, believe all you hear, or tell all you know. (English Proverb)

Believe the liar up to the door of his house and no further than that. (Egyptian Proverb)

It is the belief in roses that makes them flourish. (French Proverb)

A tear bedews my Delia's eye, from morn till dewy eve; but if you ask the reason why, she can't tell, I believe. (German Proverb)

Good faith is a seldom guest; when you have him, hold him fast. (German Proverb)

Only believe in the faith of a woman as you would believe in miracles. (German Proverb)

Who are ready to believe, are easy to deceive. (German Proverb)

A person consists of his faith. Whatever is his faith, even so is he. (Indian Proverb)

Faith in a lord, a cap for the fool. (Italian Proverb)

Believe a boaster as you would a liar. (Italian Proverb)

The priest's friend loses his faith, the doctor's his health, and the lawyer's his fortune. (Italian Proverb)

The man who loves is easy of belief. (Italian Proverb)

Believe that you have it, and it is yours. (Latin Proverb)

Believe nothing of what you hear, and only half of what you see. (Latin Proverb)

Believe nothing and be on your guard against everything. (Latin Proverb)

Believe not that the stream is shallow because its surface is smooth. (Latin Proverb)

Believe not that all that shines is gold. (Latin Proverb)

Believe no man more than yourself when you are spoken of. [Let your own conscience be a check against the effect of the flattery of others.] (Latin Proverb)

What people in distress most wish for, they most readily believe. (Latin Proverb)

Doubt makes the mountain which faith can move. (Persian Proverb)

Faith has no eyes; he who asks to see has no faith. (Portuguese Proverb)

He, who lost his faith, has nothing more to lose. (Spanish Proverb)

Of what you see, believe very little, of what you are told, nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

For those who believe, no proof is necessary.
For those who don't believe, no proof is possible. (Traditional Proverb)

Faith: An outward and visible sign of an inward and spiritual grace.
(Traditional Proverb)

By knowing one reaches belief. By doing one gains conviction. When you know, dare.
(Traditional Proverb)

Bonum certamen certavi, cursum consummavi, fidem servavi I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. (Traditional Proverb)

Beings which kill others should not be killed in the belief that the destruction of one of them leads to the protection of many others.
(Traditional Proverb)

It is not important what you believe, only that you believe. (Traditional Proverb)

Weave in faith and God will find the thread.
(Traditional Proverb)

Seeing is believing. (Traditional Proverb)

Believe no tales from an enemies tongue.
(Traditional Proverb)

Faith is action. (Traditional Proverb)

Faith will move mountains.
(Traditional Proverb)

Quick to believe is quickly deceived.
(Serbian Proverb)

To believe is easier than investigation.
(Serbian Proverb)

Believe him who speaks from experience.
(Latin Proverb)

Blind belief is dangerous. (Kenyan Proverb)

Love demands faith, and faith firmness.
(Italian Proverb)

Love's merchandise is jealousy and broken faith. (Italian Proverb)

Faith keeps the world going. (Indian Proverb)

Good faith stole the cow. (German Proverb)

Believe that, and drink some water.
(French Proverb)

What the people believe is true. (American)

BIRDS:

'I nearly killed the bird.' no one can eat 'nearly' in a stew. (Yoruban Proverb)

You cannot prevent the birds of sadness from passing over your head, but you can prevent them from nesting in your hair. (Swedish Proverb)

Catch the bird but watch for the wave. (Tahitian Proverb)

A child without education is like a bird without wings. (Tibetan Proverb)

One cannot eat the meat of every bird. (Turkish Proverb)

Birds of the same color fly to the same place. (Welsh Proverb)

He has gone in pursuit of the birds of the sea. (Xhosa Proverb)

A bird is known by his feathers. (Yiddish Proverb)

An artful bird can be trapped in a rotten cage. (Swahili Proverb)

When a bird builds its nest it uses the feathers of other birds. (South African Proverb)

Such bird, such egg. (Romanian Proverb)

The bird loves her nest. (Romanian Proverb)

Thou art a bitter bird, said the raven to the starling. (Romanian Proverb)

Fat cats and thin birds can share a yard, but thin cats and fat birds no way. (Rosicrucian Proverb)

A bird may be known by its flight. (Russian)

As chicken is not a bird, woman is not a human being. (Russian Proverb)

The first goes as a stake, the second as a falcon, and the third as a little bird. (Russian Proverb)

Persevere like a bird in the wind. (Samoan Proverb)

Forbear not sowing because of birds. (Romanian Proverb)

If your corn field is far from your home, the birds will eat your corn. (Pygmy Proverb)

Forbear not sowing because of birds.

(Romanian Proverb)

A bird does not change its feathers because the weather is bad.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is little by little that a bird builds its nest.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Bird goes up, bird goes down.

(Omani Proverb)

Birds align with grain, but not with the stick.

(Omani Proverb)

To the satiated bird, cherries taste bitter.

(Mexican Proverb)

The bird that has eaten cannot fly with the bird that is hungry.

(Native American Omaha Proverb)

The bird that has eaten cannot fly with the bird that is hungry.

(Native American Omaha Proverb)

Every bird is proud of its feathers.

(Maltese Proverb)

When there is shortage of figs, birds eat the fruits of the 'mugumo'.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

Birds agree when flying down, but do not agree when flying up. (Kikuyu Proverb)

You can't prevent a bird from flying over your head, but you can prevent him from making a nest in your head. (Jamaican Proverb)

As though a bird had flown up from under your feet. (Japanese Proverb)

If only I were a bird! Ah, but eating caterpillars? If someone betrays you once, it's his fault. If he betrays you twice, it's your fault. (Italian Proverb)

Little by little, the bird builds her nest. (Irish Proverb)

'so near and yet so far,' said the man when the bird lit on his gun. (Irish Proverb)

The wise bird flies lowest. (Irish Proverb)

A cage made of gold does not feed the bird inside of it. (Italian Proverb)

A wayward woman is like the weaver bird. She uses her perch on one tree to scout other trees. (Igbo Proverb)

You haven't yet caught the bird; still you are already plucking her. (Hungarian Proverb)

A bird is recognized by her feathers, a man by his friend. (Hungarian Proverb)

Man is like a bird: a bird can fly higher and higher, but only if its wings continue to move without stopping. (Hebrew Proverb)

God gives food to every bird, but does not throw it into the nest. (Hindi Proverb)

The tulip is, among flowers, what the peacock is among birds. A tulip lacks scent; a peacock has an unpleasant voice. The one takes pride in its garb, the other in its tail. (French Proverb)

The "obereku" bird should be eaten hot. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Little by little the bird makes his nest. (Haitian Proverb)

Go inquire of the other birds. (Hawaiian)

Small birds must have meat. (English Proverb)

The bird is known by his note, the man by his words. (English Proverb)

The nest of the blind bird is made by god. (English Proverb)

Small birds lay small eggs.(Faroese Proverb)

Slowly but surely, the bird builds its nest.
(Dutch Proverb)

Bread and bird: we don't discuss house
business.(Corsican Proverb)

Early bird hops further.(Czech Proverb)

Fine feathers make fine birds.(Dutch Proverb)

Living at a river, one comes to know the
nature of the fish therein; dwelling by a
mountain, one learns to recognize the
language of the birds thereupon.
(Chinese Proverb)

Two rich persons do not wish each other a
bird of ill omen.(Bajan Proverb)

Nobody wants to meet an ill-omened bird.
(Bajan Proverb)

You can't keep the birds from flying over your
head, but you can keep them from building a
nest in your hair.(Albanian Proverb)

The early bird may catch the worm, but the
second mouse gets the cheese.
(Albanian Proverb)

Birds of a color flock together.

(Albanian Proverb)

A bird is known by his note and a man by his talk. (Albanian Proverb)

The clever bird is easily trapped in the leaves at the edges. (Akan Proverb)

You can't spread a net to catch a bird that is watching you. (African Proverb)

You cannot stop planting cereals just because birds are going to feast on them. (African Proverb)

The restless grasshopper only finds rest in the gizzard of a bird. (African Proverb)

The hunter who is tracking an elephant does not stop to throw stones at birds. (African Proverb)

Though the sky belongs to the bird it can't fly when it's raining. (African Proverb)

The sweet flying ants will never be birds. (African Proverb)

It's the discontented fish that envies the solely bird. (African Proverb)

If your cornfield is far from your house, the birds will eat your corn. (African Proverb)

Birds sing not because they have answers but because they have songs. (African Proverb)

The bird, which flaps its wings too much, will drop its feathers. (African Proverb)

The bird is up in the sky but its eyes are on the ground. (African Proverb)

The best way to catch a bird is not by scaring it away. (African Proverb)

A fish and bird may fall in love but the two cannot build a home together. (African)

A feather is just a delicate thing when removed from a bird because it carries the bird everywhere in the world. (African Proverb)

Some birds are not meant to be caged their feathers are to blight and there meant to fly. (African Proverb)

If a bird does not recognize a tree, it will not rest on it. (African Proverb)

If a bird bills the rock then it trusts its beak. (African Proverb)

A restless grasshopper eventually ends up in birds teeth. (African Proverb)

No matter how high the bird flies, a hunter sets a trap on the ground. (African Proverb)

It's the discontented fish that envies the solely bird. (African Proverb)

It is only a mad dog that barks at a flying bird. (African Proverb)

It is easier to catch a bird at night than day. (African Proverb)

By coming and going, a bird constructs its nest. (African Proverb)

In the birds' court, a cockroach never wins his case. (African Proverb)

The corpse of a bird does not decompose in flight, but on the ground. (African Proverb)

If your cornfield is far from your house, the birds will eat your corn. (African Proverb)

Birds sing not because they have answers but because they have songs. (African Proverb)

You talk sweet like the bulbul bird. (Afghan)

A butterfly thinks itself a bird because it can fly. (African Proverb)

A bird may fly off the earth and land on an anthill, but it will still be on the ground. (African Proverb)

A good tree can lodge ten thousand birds. (Burmese Proverb)

Birds are caught with seed, men with money. (Armenian Proverb)

A beautiful bird is the only kind we cage. (Chinese Proverb)

Don't waste too many stones on one bird. (Chinese Proverb)

A bird does not sing because he has the answer to something, he sings because he has a song. (Chinese Proverb)

A bird can roost but on one branch, a mouse can drink not more than its fill from a river. (Chinese Proverb)

You cannot prevent the birds of sorrow from flying over your head, but you can prevent them from building nests in your hair. (Chinese Proverb)

He that hires one garden eats birds; he that hires more than one will be eaten by the birds.
(Danish Proverb)

God feeds the birds that use their wings.
(Danish Proverb)

Don't stop sowing just because the birds ate a few seeds.(Danish Proverb)

Bread is better than the song of birds.
(Danish Proverb)

A bird may be ever so small; it always seeks a nest of its own.(Danish Proverb)

Though the bird's in the net It may get away yet.(Danish Proverb)

Though the bird may fly over your head, let it not make its nest in your hair.
(Danish Proverb)

No matter how high a bird can fly, it still has to look for food on the ground.(Danish)

If you cannot get the bird, get one of its feathers.(Danish Proverb)

If a bird knew how poor he was it wouldn't sing so beautifully.(Danish Proverb)

However high a bird may soar, it seeks its food on earth. (Danish Proverb)

Bird never flew so high but it had to come to the ground for food. (Dutch Proverb)

Better afield with the birds than hanging on lords. (Dutch Proverb)

Better a bird in the hand than ten in the air. (Dutch Proverb)

Every shot does not bring down a bird. (Dutch Proverb)

By slow degrees the bird builds his nest. (Dutch Proverb)

He that will take the bird must not scare it. (English Proverb)

A hawk's marriage: the hen is the better bird. (French Proverb)

When the cage is ready the bird is flown. (French Proverb)

Too late the bird cries out when it is caught. (French Proverb)

To scare a bird is not the way to catch it. (French Proverb)

Little by little the bird builds its nest.

(French Proverb)

It is too late for the bird to scream when it is caught.

(French Proverb)

He beat the bushes and another caught the birds.

(French Proverb)

As good is an addled egg as an idle bird.

(German Proverb)

Catch the bird before you build a cage.

(Georgian Proverb)

You can cage a bird but you can't make it sing.

(French Proverb)

One beats the bush, and another catches the bird.

(German Proverb)

By going and coming, a bird weaves its nest.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

By coming and going, a bird weaves its nest.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

A new net won't catch an old bird.

(Italian)

A golden cage does not feed the bird.

(Italian Proverb)

You should not call in a cat to settle the argument of two birds. (Indian Proverb)

What is sport to the boy is the death of the bird. (Indian Proverb)

Better be a bird of the wood than a bird in the cage. (Italian Proverb)

Old birds are not caught with new nets. (Italian Proverb)

It is in vain to lay a net in sight of the birds. (Italian Proverb)

If you have money, men think you are wise, handsome, and able to sing like a bird. (Jewish Proverb)

If the bird hadn't sung, it wouldn't have been shot. (Japanese Proverb)

You can stop a bird from flying over you, but you can't stop it building a nest. (Jamaican Proverb)

When the figs are ripe all the birds want to eat. (Kenyan Proverb)

Birds fly not into our mouths ready roasted. (Latin Proverb)

As to what is future, even a bird with a long neck cannot see it, but God only.

(Latin Proverb)

In vain the net is spread in the sight of the bird.(Latin Proverb)

Imitate the snail in deliberation, the bird in execution.(Latin Proverb)

If only I were a bird! Ah, but eating caterpillars?(Palestinian Proverb)

Although the snake does not fly it has caught the bird whose home is in the sky.

(Nigerian Proverb)

A bird which eats berries can be caught, but not a bird that eats wood.

(New Zealander Proverb)

You may well have caught a bird, but have you a fire to roast it on?(Malagasy Proverb)

It is the softness of the lime that is fatal to the bird.(Malagasy Proverb)

A bird which eats berries can be caught, but not a bird that eats wood.(New Zealander)

Do not rear a bird of a bad breed.(Portuguese)

God knows why he has made the wings of some birds shorter. (Slovenian Proverb)

You know a bird from the way he flies. (Russian Proverb)

The first [cup of vodka] goes as a stake, the second as a falcon, and the third as a little bird. (Russian Proverb)

A wife should be as humble as a lamb, busy as a bee, as beautiful as a bird of paradise and faithful as a turtle dove. (Russian Proverb)

One man beats the bush, another catcheth the bird. (Spanish Proverb)

Throwing your cap at a bird is not the way to catch it. (Spanish Proverb)

A feather in hand is better than a bird in the air. (Traditional Proverb)

Thou are a bitter bird, said the raven to the starling. (Swedish Proverb)

God finds a low branch for the bird that cannot fly. (Traditional Proverb)

If your cornfield is far from your house, the birds will eat your corn. Pigmy proverb (Traditional Proverb)

The bird of time has but a little way to fly. And lo, the bird is on the wing.

(Traditional Proverb)

The bird chooses the tree, not the tree the bird.

(Traditional Proverb)

One arrow does not bring down two birds.

(Turkish Proverb)

How wonderful, O Lord, are the works of your hands, the sun and the stars, the valleys and the hills, the rivers and lakes all disclose your presence. The beasts of the field, the birds of the air bespeak your wondrous will. In your goodness you have made us able to hear the music of the world, a divine voice sings through all creations.

(Traditional Proverb)

For the birds that cannot soar, God has provided low branches.

(Turkish Proverb)

Elephants are killed for their ivory, birds for their feathers.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The hunter in pursuit of an elephant does not stop to throw stones at birds.

(Ugandan Proverb)

Birds of a color fly to the same place.

(Welsh Proverb)

This is for the birds.(Traditional Proverb)

Charm the birds out of trees.
(Traditional Proverb)

For the birds.(Traditional Proverb)

The bird leaves no trail.(Thai Proverb)

Let them be birds.(Spanish Proverb)

Little bird, little nest.(Spanish Proverb)

Little birds may pick a dead lion.
(Spanish Proverb)

Birds of prey do not flock together.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The nest made the bird dead.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Where there are birds, there is water.
(Namibian Proverb)

Birds in their little nests agree.(Latin Proverb)

A bird is distinguished by its note.
(Latin Proverb)

A crab does not beget a bird.(Ghanaian)

A fine shot never killed a bird.(Italian Proverb)

A married man is a caged bird.(Italian)

He sells the bird on the branch.
(Italian Proverb)

Old birds are hard to pluck.(German Proverb)

Bad bird, bad egg.(German Proverb)

Birds of prey do not sing.(German Proverb)

Fine birds are commonly plucked.
(French Proverb)

Flying birds have no master.(French Proverb)

A fine cage won't feed the bird.
(French Proverb)

Birds of a feather flock together.
(Dutch Proverb)

Cats don't catch the old birds.(Dutch Proverb)

Old birds are not caught with cats.
(Dutch Proverb)

Where the bird was hatched it haunts.
(Dutch Proverb)

The noisy fowler catches no birds.

(English Proverb)

The prettiest birds are in a cage.

(Chinese Proverb)

According to his pinions the bird flies.

(Danish Proverb)

Old birds are not caught with chaff.

(Danish Proverb)

BIRTH:

The place of your birth is less important than how you live. (Turkish Proverb) -

Birth is the messenger of death.

(Syrian Proverb)

A man prolonging his age sees a camel giving birth. (Somali Proverb)

These youth taught their mother to give birth.

(Somali Proverb)

Birth is much, but breeding is more.

(Spanish Proverb)

Breeding rather than birth.

(Japanese Proverb)

Noble birth is a poor dish at table.

(English Proverb)

People should be mourned at their birth, not
at their death.(Corsican Proverb)

Set aside emergencies and help a woman
giving birth.(Corsican Proverb)

A loving wife is often blessed with the birth of
a tenth child.(Bosnian Proverb)

The buried do not give birth.(African Proverb)

Give me, mother, luck at my birth, then throw
me if you will on the rubbish heap.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

Only three things in life are certain birth,
death and change.(Arab Proverb)

Nobility of soul is more honorable than
nobility of birth.(Dutch Proverb)

One for sorrow; two for mirth; three for a
wedding; four for a birth. (French Proverb)

Great birth is a very poor dish at table.
(Greek Proverb)

Birth, ancestry, and that which you yourself have not achieved can hardly be called your own. (Greek Proverb)

The three most beautiful sights: a potato garden in bloom, a ship under sail, and a woman after the birth of a child.

(Irish Proverb)

High birth is a poor dish on the table.

(Italian Proverb)

Nobility of conduct is a greater recommendation than nobility of birth.

(Latin Proverb)

That country will I call mine which supports me, not that which gave me birth.

(Latin Proverb)

If age and experience came at birth, we would have neither youth nor mirth.

(Russian Proverb)

Among noblemen, high rank is attained by knowledge among warriors, by valor among businessmen, by grain and money only among the poor by birth. (Traditional Proverb)

Every goodbye is the birth of a memory.

(Traditional Proverb)

Birth is not a beginning death is not an end.
(Traditional Proverb)

The person who has been a slave from birth does not value rebellion.(Yoruban Proverb)

Birth is the only remedy against death.
(Nigerian Proverb)

A Champion bull starts from birth.
(Kenyan Proverb)

BIRTHDAY:

When a cock invites a cockroach for a birthday party, he has prepared dinner for himself.
(African Proverb)

A son should be treated as a prince for five years as a slave for ten years but from his sixteenth birthday, as a close friend.
(Traditional Proverb)

BLESSING:

When you stand with the blessings of your mother and God, it matters not who stands against you.(Yoruban Proverb)

Tribulations and blessings, if you have them,
keep them.(Sicilian Proverb)

A warning to the wise is a blessing, to the fool
an insult.(Swahili Proverb)

Blessings are better than wealth.
(Swahili Proverb)

Use the means, and God will give the blessing.
(Romanian Proverb)

From you motion, from God blessing.
(Persian Proverb)

In movement, there is blessing.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Hurry hurry has no blessings.
(Kenyan Proverb)

Blessings do not come in pairs; misfortunes
never come singly.(Chinese Proverb)

Movement is a blessing.(Arabic Proverb)

Every delay has its blessings.(Arabic Proverb)

A calamity is often a blessing in disguise.
(Albanian Proverb)

He who wakes up early in the morning
receives a bundle of blessings.

(African Proverb)

Every misfortune is a blessing.

(African Proverb)

Blessings of ancestors are greater than those
of a living human being.

(African Proverb)

God has said, God has said, "Start moving so
that I may start blessing."

(Afghan Proverb)

Whoever gossips about his relatives has no
luck and no blessing.

(Dutch Proverb)

To remain young while growing old is the
highest blessing.

(German Proverb)

As long as you have the blessing of your
parents it does not matter even if you live in
the mountains.

(Greek Proverb)

A child may have too much of his mother's
blessing.

(Latin Proverb)

A visitor comes with ten blessings, eats one,
and leaves nine.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Good health and good sense are two great
blessings.

(Latin Proverb)

Happiness comes from sharing one's self and one's blessings. (Traditional Proverb)

When difficulties are overcome they begin blessing. (Traditional Proverb)

Haste has no blessing. (Swahili Proverb)

Blessings on him that said Face about. (Spanish Proverb)

Old age is not a blessing. (Russian Proverb)

This grief will prove a blessing. (Latin Proverb)

No blessing is bestowed on a secret. (Jewish Proverb)

Hurrying has no blessing. (Kenyan Proverb)

It is a blessing in disguise. (Japanese Proverb)

Blessings brighten as they take their flight. (Italian Proverb)

Count your blessings. (German Proverb)

BODY:

Like soap for the body so are tears for the soul.(Yiddish Proverb)

The body is a sponge, the soul an abyss.
(Yiddish Proverb)

What soap is to the body, laughter is to the soul?(Yiddish Proverb)

Faith is confirmed by the heart, confessed by the tongue, and acted upon by the body.
(Suyin Proverb)

Your companion's body is beside.(Swahili)

The soul goes to God, the body to the earth, and belongings to those to whom they should go.(Sicilian Proverb)

The best wine is that a body drinks of another man's cost.(Romanian Proverb)

When the headaches all the body is the worse.(Romanian Proverb)

If the camel once gets his nose in a tent, the body will soon follow.(Saudi Arabian Proverb)

It is worse to be sick in the soul than in body.
(Polish Proverb)

A healthy mind for a healthy body.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Envy follows merit like the shadow follows the body. (Nicaraguan Proverb)

It is an unthinking man who achieves prosperity, and then finds with time, that his body can no longer pass through the door.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Grow old, body, the heart still remains.

(Ndebele Proverb)

The crooked bannock straightens the body.

(Manx Proverb)

The force which a body at rest exercises on a body in motion impinging upon it.

(Latin Proverb)

While alive in rags; when dead in satin to cover the body. (Kashmiri Proverb)

You know your body best. (Japanese Proverb)

Like the body that is made up of different limbs and organs, all mortal creatures exist depending upon one another.

(Hindu Proverb)

Parents give birth to the body of their children,
but not always to their characters.

(Ganda Proverb)

If the goat says it will become a sheep, there
will always be black spots on its body.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

To bow the body is easy; to bow the will is
hard. (English Proverb)

The pain of the little finger is felt by the whole
body. (Filipino Proverb)

My Ka dwells in my body. Insult it not.

(Egyptian Proverb)

All work and no play make Jack a dull body.

(English Proverb)

The soul to God, and the body to the Earth.

(Corsican Proverb)

One washes the body in vain if one does not

wash the soul. (Cuban Proverb)

There's no evil that lasts a hundred years, nor
a body that can endure it. (Cuban Proverb)

In a healthy body, a healthy spirit.

(Czech Proverb)

Train equally the mind and body.

(Confucian Proverb)

Inside a well-nourished body, the soul remains longer.(Bengali Proverb)

Industry keeps the body healthy,

(Albanian Proverb)

When your leg is sinking your whole body should fill it.(African Proverb)

When the head of a snake is cut off, the rest of his body is an ordinary rope.(African Proverb)

The raised hand cares not for its own recognition, but for that of the body below.

(African Proverb)

Not everything on the body that swells is a boil.(African Proverb)

He that fought the lion must surely have the lion's claws in his body.(African Proverb)

When the heart acts the body is its slave.

(African Proverb)

The sickness of the body is the cure of the mind.(Basque Proverb)

Easier to bend the body than the will.

(Chinese Proverb)

A man need never revenge himself; the body of his enemy will be brought to his own door.

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The mind is the emperor of the body.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who has a straight body is not worried about his crooked shadow. (Chinese Proverb)

When the heart is at ease, the body is healthy.

(Chinese Proverb)

What is said over the dead lion's body, could not be said to him alive. (Congolese Proverb)

The shirt is nearer to the body than the coat.

(Danish Proverb)

When the wolf's ears appear, his body is not far off. (Danish Proverb)

Death is a shadow that always follows the body. (English Proverb)

When the head is sick the whole body is sick.
(Dutch Proverb)

A healthy soul cannot live in a dry body.
(French Proverb)

The tiredness of the body is the health of the soul.(French Proverb)

Doctors purge the body, ministers the conscience, lawyers the purse.
(German Proverb)

Man without woman, is head without body;
woman without man, is body without head.
(German Proverb)

The shadow should be the same length as the body.(Indonesian Proverb)

Wisdom is lost in a fat man's body.
(Japanese Proverb)

The plagiarist turns the body inside-out and changes the bones.(Japanese Proverb)

If you sit by the river long enough, you will see the body of your enemy float by.
(Japanese Proverb)

A bath refreshes the body, tea refreshes the mind. (Japanese Proverb)

What soap is for the body, tears are for the soul? (Jewish Proverb)

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No one is free who is a slave to his body. (Latin Proverb)

If the headaches all the members of the body suffer. (Latin Proverb)

When the head acheth, all the body is the worse. (Latin Proverb)

The force which a body at rest exercises on a body in motion impinging upon it. [Stolid immobility or masterly inactivity.] (Latin Proverb)

Rest strengthens the body, the mind too is thus supported; but unremitting toil destroys both. (Latin Proverb)

Pain of mind is worse than pain of body. (Latin Proverb)

Do not measure another man's coat on your body. (Malay Proverb)

Do not refuse the body what it asks for.

(Mexican Proverb)

Where the body wants to rest, there the legs must carry it. (Polish Proverb)

Sometimes the body becomes healthy by being very sick. (Persian Proverb)

Three things must epigrams, like bees, have all, a sting, and honey, and a body small.

(Spanish Proverb)

He, who takes a wife for her body, will lose the body and keep the wife. (Traditional Proverb)

As is the human body, so is the cosmic body.
As is the human mind, so is the cosmic mind.
As is the microcosm, so is the macrocosm. As
is the atom, so is the universe.

(Traditional Proverb)

My whole body is covered with eyes. Behold it.
Be without fear I see all around.

(Traditional Proverb)

Like the body that is made up of different limbs and organs, all moral creatures must depend on each other to exist.

(Traditional Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together.

(Traditional Proverb)

The body is the house of God. That is why it is said, 'Man know thyself.' (Traditional Proverb)

The physician prescribes the medicine; the vulture waits for the body. (Turkish Proverb)

Like two golden birds perched on the selfsame tree, intimate friends, the ego and the Self dwell in the same body. The former eats the sweet and sour fruits of the tree of life while the latter looks on in detachment. As long as we think we are the ego, we feel attached and fall into sorrow. But realize that you are the Self, the Lord of life, and you will be freed from sorrow. When you realize that you are the Self, supreme source of light, supreme source of love, you transcend the quality of life and enter into the unitive state.

(Traditional Proverb)

Your body is the temple of knowledge.

(Traditional Proverb)

Pain is only weakness leaving the body.

(Traditional Proverb)

When the spleen increases, the body diminishes. (Spanish Proverb)

Thick body, weak soul. (Persian Proverb)

The body is killed by the mouth. (Malawian Proverb)

A Dog that steals sells its body. (Kenyan Proverb)

Sickly body, sickly mind. (German Proverb)

When goods increase the body decreases. (French Proverb)

BOOK:

In the world of books, the mind-set of the reader is of great importance. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

Give an apple to the little ones, a book to the old. (Sicilian Proverb)

Beware the man of one book. (Roman Proverb)

Seek truth in meditation, not in moldy books.
Look in the sky to find the moon, not in the
pond.(Persian Proverb)

Knowledge is rooted in all things--the world is
a library.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Books are preserved parts of minds.
(Japanese Proverb)

God protect us from him who has read but
one book.(Italian Proverb)

There is no thief like a bad book.
(Italian Proverb)

There is no worse thief than a bad book.
(Italian Proverb)

The death of an elderly man is like a burning
library.(Ivorian Proverb)

A man without a book is blind.
(Icelandic Proverb)

Blind is a man without a book.
(Icelandic Proverb)

A book is like a garden in the pocket.
(Indian Proverb)

A good laugh and a long sleep are the two best cures in the doctor's book. (Irish Proverb)

He lies as if he read from a book.
(Hungarian Proverb)

What! No star, and you are going out to sea?
Marching, and you have no music? Traveling,
and you have no book? What! No love, and you
are going out to live? (French Proverb)

More is to be got from one teacher than from
two books. (German Proverb)

Books provide knowledge, life furnishes
understanding. (Hebrew Proverb)

Education is what you know, not what's in the
book. (Egyptian Proverb)

A picture is worth a thousand words, and yet
picture books are for infants. (English Proverb)

A load of books does not equal one good
teacher. (Chinese Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart,
heaven to the soul, all else to the ears.
(Chinese Proverb)

Diligence is the vehicle on the paths of
Mountains of Books; endurance is the vessel
on the courses of the Seas of Learning.

(Chinese Proverb)

To open a book brings profit.

(Chinese Proverb)

Wisdom is in the books. (Burmese Proverb)

The best to sit with in all times is a book.

(Arabic Proverb)

The best place in the world is on the back of a
horse, and the best thing to do in time is to
read a book. (Arabic Proverb)

Women are like books: too much gilding
makes men suspicious that the binding is the
most important part. (Albanian Proverb)

The best part of a book is not the thought it
contains but the thought it suggests.

(Albanian Proverb)

Choose your friends like your books, few but
choice. (Albanian Proverb)

Choose your friends like your books: few but
choice. (Albanian Proverb)

A house without books is like a room without windows. (Albanian Proverb)

When an old man dies, a library burns down. (African Proverb)

Every time an old man dies it is as if a library has burnt down. (African Proverb)

Book stands by itself and experience stands by itself. (African Proverb)

The sight of books removes sorrows from the heart. (African Proverb)

A book is a garden carried in the pocket. (Arab Proverb)

If you want to keep something secret from black folks, put it between the covers of a book. (American Proverb)

Borrowed wives, like borrowed books, are seldom returned. (American Proverb)

A single conversation across the table with a wise man is worth a month's study of books. (Chinese Proverb)

A man is happy when he has books, but happier still when he does not need them. (Chinese Proverb)

A closed mind is like a closed book; just a block of wood. (Chinese Proverb)

A book is like a garden carried in the pocket. (Chinese Proverb)

If your books are not read, your descendants will be ignorant. (Chinese Proverb)

Schoolmaster, stick to your books; farmer, to your pigs. (Chinese Proverb)

Many books do not use up words; many words do not use up thoughts. (Chinese Proverb)

It is better to be without a book than to believe it entirely. (Chinese Proverb)

It is better to be entirely without a book than to believe it entirely. (Chinese Proverb)

When you have read a book for the first time, you get to know a friend; read it for a second time and you meet an old friend. (Chinese Proverb)

A donkey that carries a lot of books is not necessarily learned. (Danish Proverb)

The priest to his book, the peasant to his plough. (Danish Proverb)

It is vain to fish without a hook, or learn to read without a book. (Danish Proverb)

God deliver me from a man of one book. (Dutch Proverb)

Arms, women, and books should be looked at daily. (Dutch Proverb)

You can't tell a book by its cover. (Darkovan Proverb)

Some men have only one book in them, others a library. (English Proverb)

A pack of cards is the devil's prayer book. (German Proverb)

Word by word the big books are made. (French Proverb)

Who cannot work out his salvation by heart will not do it by book. (French Proverb)

No more teachers, no more books, no more teacher's dirty looks. (German Proverb)

A library is a repository of medicine for the mind. (Greek Proverb)

A book is a good friend when it lays bare the errors of the past. (Indian Proverb)

A good laugh and a long sleep are the best cures in the doctor's book. (Irish Proverb)

Better than the ignorant are those who read books; better still are those who retain what they read; even better are those who understand it; the best of all are those who go to work. (Indian Proverb)

God save me from him who studies but one book. (Italian Proverb)

There is no worse robber than a bad book. (Italian Proverb)

There is no robber worse than a bad book. (Italian Proverb)

Only through suffering and sorrow do we acquire the wisdom not found in books. (Japanese Proverb)

Knowledge without wisdom is a load of books on the back of an ass. (Japanese Proverb)

A wise man without a book is like a workman with no tools. (Moroccan Proverb)

Books are hindrances to persisting stupidity. (Spanish Proverb)

Your belly is not a book. (Latvian Proverb)

Never judge a book by its cover.

(Italian Proverb)

Years know more than books.(Italian Proverb)

A teacher is better than two books.

(German Proverb)

A good book praises itself.(German Proverb)

A great book is a great evil.(Dutch Proverb)

He is a man as a book.(Dutch Proverb)

Beware of a man of one book.

(English Proverb)

Don't judge a book by its cover.

(English Proverb)

A wicked book cannot repent.

(Chinese Proverb)

Scholars talk books, butchers talk pigs.

(Chinese Proverb)

Every age has its book.(Arab Proverb)

BOREDOM:

To ward off the boredom of life, eat snails in May and fish in August. (Sicilian Proverb)

Together, it's cramped; apart, it's boring. (Russian Proverb)

He who speaks too much is tiresome; he who speaks too little is boring. (Mexican Proverb)

No enemy is boring. (Klingon Proverb)

Without the companionship even paradise would be boring. (Arab Proverb)

To tell the truth is dangerous; to listen to it is boring. (Danish Proverb)

Work relieves us from three great evils, boredom, vice, and want. (French Proverb)

The Hungarian is far too lazy to be bored. (German Proverb)

A bore is a person who brightens a room simply by leaving it. (Traditional Proverb)

Boredom is the father of all sins. (German)

One must learn to be bored. (French)

BRAIN:

When brains are needed, brawn won't help.
(Yiddish Proverb)

Where there is breast there can be no brain.(Somali Proverb)

A big heart is better than a big brain.
(Swahili Proverb)

A bettlesie brain cannot lye.(Scottish Proverb)

Much laughter, little brains.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Tell her she is handsome, and you will turn her brain.(Portuguese Proverb)

Do not offer salt or brains.(Romanian Proverb)

Ask for advice, and then use your brain.
(Norwegian Proverb)

When the cock is euphoric, the brain is amnesic.(Maltese Proverb)

The brain is not in the pocket, but in the head.(Macedonian Proverb)

Money spent on brain is never spent in vain. (English Proverb)

Mouth is in gear, brain is in neutral. (English Proverb)

Brain is better than brawn. (English Proverb)

The greatest poorness is the lack of brains. (Arabic Proverb)

The heart has eyes that the brain knows nothing of. (Albanian Proverb)

An idle brain is the devil's workshop. (Albanian Proverb)

Your aspirations are in heaven, but your brains are in your feet. (Afghan Proverb)

If you don't have a brain, join the army; if you don't have rice, use beans instead. (Burmese Proverb)

An ounce of patience is worth a pound of brains. (Dutch Proverb)

A handful of patience is worth a bushel of brains. (Dutch Proverb)

A handful of patience is worth more than a bushel of brains. (Dutch Proverb)

The mob has many heads but no brains.

(English Proverb)

A brain is worth little without a tongue.

(French Proverb)

If the brain sows not corn, it plants thistles.

(German Proverb)

Brains are not to be found in the beard.

(Indian Proverb)

Half a brain is enough for him who says
little. (Italian Proverb)

Everyone thinks he has more than his share of
brains. (Italian Proverb)

All the brains are not in one head.

(Italian Proverb)

Many complain of their looks, but none of
their brains. (Jewish Proverb)

You are ushered in according to your dress;
shown out according to your brains.

(Jewish Proverb)

Long whiskers cannot take the place of brains.

(Russian Proverb)

He who has to deal with a blockhead has need of much brain. (Spanish Proverb)

He who deals with a blockhead will need a lot of brains. (Spanish Proverb)

He, who at thirty has no brains, will never purchase an estate. (Spanish Proverb)

The brain, that sows not corn, plants thistles. (Spanish Proverb)

The price of your hat isn't the measure of your brain. (Traditional Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together. (Traditional Proverb)

One ounce of good luck is better than a ton of brains. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Some many heads, so many brains. (Italian Proverb)

The world is governed with little brains. (Italian Proverb)

A beard signifies lice, not brains. (Greek Proverb)

Fat head, less brains. (Italian Proverb)

Long on hair, short on brains.
(French Proverb)

BREAST:

A child does not die because the mother's breasts are not dry. (Nigerian Proverb)

The speech of a maiden should no man trust nor the words which a woman says; for their hearts were shaped on a whirling wheel and falsehood fixed in their breasts.
(Norse Proverb)

The hen doesn't have breasts, but she can still feed her chicks. (African Proverb)

A mother of twin should have impartial breasts. (African Proverb)

A child can play with its mother's breasts, but not its father's testicles. (African Proverb)

Heaven on earth is to be found on horseback, reading books and between a woman's breasts. (Arab Proverb)

If a young woman says no to marriage just wait until her breasts sag.

(Burundian Proverb)

Breasts adorn a woman and make a man look ugly. (Jewish Proverb)

Breasts are never too heavy for the chest. (Martiniquais Proverb)

Firm breasts don't last long. (Creole Proverb)

BREATHING:

All breathing, existing, living, sentient creatures should not be slain nor treated with violence, nor abused, nor tormented, nor driven away. This is the pure unchangeable law. (Traditional Proverb)

Three things give us hardy strength: sleeping on hairy mattresses, breathing cold air, and eating dry food. (Welsh Proverb)

BREVITY:

Brevity is pleasing. (Latin Proverb)

Brevity is the soul of wit.(Latin Proverb)

BROTHER:

You can trust your brother, your father, your mother, but never your wife.
(Zambian Proverb)

Look to your near neighbor rather than to your distant brother.(Yemeni Proverb)

A brother is a cooking pot, and a neighbor is a cooking pot lid.(Swahili Proverb)

A quarrel between brothers costs soul and life.
(Swedish Proverb)

A bad brother is far better than no brother.
(Swahili Proverb)

Brothers, rivers and priests are three bad neighbors.(Sicilian Proverb)

A slothful man is a Beggars brother.
(Scottish Proverb)

For a ducat brother will sell brother.
(Polish Proverb)

Better is a neighbor that is near than a brother far off. (Romanian Proverb)

The lazy is a brother of the beggar. (Mexican Proverb)

The camel never sees his own hump, but that of his brother is always in his eyes. (Moroccan Proverb)

Impatience with your brother is in the flesh, it doesn't reach the bone. (Mamprussi Proverb)

Wives serve, brothers inherit. (Klingon Proverb)

A man has the same last name as his brother. (Igbo Proverb)

When the brothers fight to the death, a stranger inherits their father's estate. (Ibo Proverb)

The man who is ready to lend is the beggar's brother. (English Proverb)

Seek strength, not to be greater than my brother, but to fight my greatest enemy -- myself. (Eskimo Proverb)

The dead man's heirs are many, but not his brothers. (Faroese Proverb)

A trial between brothers has no winners or losers. (Ekonda Proverb)

Between brothers, whether the trial is won or lost, makes no difference. (Ekonda Proverb)

A good friend is worth more than a bad brother. (Croatian Proverb)

I can get another husband but never another brother. (Corsican Proverb)

An unmarried woman is not honored, even if she has 10 brothers. (Burmese Proverb)

Sleep is the brother of Death.
(Chinese Proverb)

Your brother is who gives you a honest advice.
(Arabic Proverb)

Your brother is that who consoles you.
(Arabic Proverb)

You need a brother, without one you're like a person rushing to battle without a weapon.
(Arabic Proverb)

I against my brother, I and my brother against our cousin, I, my brother and our cousin against the neighbors, All of us against the foreigner. (Bedouin Proverb)

You can live without a brother but not without a friend. (Arabic Proverb)

When your son grows up, become his brother. (Arabic Proverb)

The deserter is the brother of the murderer. (Arabic Proverb)

Get together like brother, and keep each other in check like strangers. (Arabic Proverb)

Brothers are like hands and feet. (Albanian Proverb)

A brother may not be a friend. (Albanian Proverb)

Anger against a brother is felt in the flesh, not in the bone. (African Proverb)

A snake and millipede can both crawl on their bellies but this doesn't make them brothers. (African Proverb)

A sin against a brother or sister is an offence against the gods. (African Proverb)

It is better to host a good stranger than a bad brother. (African Proverb)

If your brother is rich it doesn't mean you're rich. (African Proverb)

The first day you see a friend; the next day, a brother. (Afghan Proverb)

The first day you meet, you are friends; the next day you meet, you are brothers. (Afghan Proverb)

Between brother and brother, accounts should be square. (Afghan Proverb)

Brothers love each other when they are equally rich. (African Proverb)

Who throws stones at night, kills his own brother. (Beninese Proverb)

The wrath of brothers is fierce and devilish. (Arab Proverb)

Know each other as if you were brothers; negotiate deals as if you were strangers to each other. (Arab Proverb)

A friend is worth more than a brother. (Cameroonian Proverb)

A good neighbor is better than a brother far off. (Danish Proverb)

There were once three brothers: a lie, theft and the gallows. (Czech Proverb)

Idleness is hunger's mother, and of theft it is bull brother. (Dutch Proverb)

A landmark is very well placed between the fields of two brothers. (French Proverb)

I met a hundred men going to Delhi and everyone is my brother. (Indian Proverb)

A good friend is often better than a brother. (Jewish Proverb)

A dog by your side is better than a brother mile away. (Persian Proverb)

Your close neighbor is better than your faraway brother. (Palestinian Proverb)

When I had money everyone called me brother. (Polish Proverb)

Treat your superior as a father, your equal as a brother, and your inferior as a son. (Persian Proverb)

A friend by thee is better than a brother far off. (Scottish Proverb)

The wrath of brothers is the wrath of devils.

(Spanish Proverb)

A brother is a friend God gave you a friend is a brother your heart chose for you.

(Traditional Proverb)

A brother is a friend God gave you a friend is a brother your heart chose for you.

(Traditional Proverb)

Destiny makes us brothers, None goes his way alone, All that we sent into lives of others, Comes back into our own.

(Traditional Proverb)

Money is best when acquired by one's own hands. It is not so good when inherited. It is bad when it is a brother's. It is worst when it is a woman's.

(Traditional Proverb)

The man who knows how to lead one of his brothers towards what he has known may one day be saved by that very brother.

(Traditional Proverb)

Brothers and sisters are as close as hands and feet.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

All fools are brothers.

(Swedish Proverb)

Between brothers, two witnesses and a notary.
(Spanish Proverb)

Fire has no brother.(Nigerian Proverb)

He who eats alone is Satan's brother.
(Persian Proverb)

Three brothers, three fortresses.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A brother is like one's shoulder.
(Somali Proverb)

Most bitter are the quarrels of brothers.
(Latin Proverb)

Money is money's brother.(Italian Proverb)

Three brothers, three castles.
(Italian Proverb)

Penny is penny's brother.(German Proverb)

Exile is the brother of death.(Berber Proverb)

Two happy days are seldom brothers.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Silence is a brother of delight.(Arab Proverb)

BUDGET:

A budget is a planned method of worrying.
(Traditional Proverb)

The poor man's budget is full of schemes.
(Traditional Proverb)

BUDDHISM:

Cover the back of an image of Buddha with gold leaf.(Thai Proverb)

Not to know is to be a Buddha.
(Japanese Proverb)

Even the Buddha's face, only until the third.
(Japanese Proverb)

Like a Buddha met with in hell.
(Japanese Proverb)

Present Buddha with borrowed flowers.
(Chinese Proverb)

The heart of a little child is like the heart of Buddha.(Chinese Proverb)

As long as time is not pressing one does not burn incense; when it becomes urgent one kisses the feet of Buddha. (Chinese Proverb)

He who carves the Buddha never worships him. (Chinese Proverb)

We forget even incense in easy times; come hard times, we embrace the Buddha's feet. (Chinese Proverb)

To serve the creatures is to serve the Buddha. (Traditional Proverb)

Zen is like looking for the spectacles that are sitting on your nose. (Traditional Proverb)

The mouth prays to Buddha, but the heart is full of evil. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Learning Zen is a phenomenon of gold and dung. Before you understand it, it's like gold; after you understand it, it's like dung. (Zen Proverb)

Before you study Zen, a bowl is a bowl and tea is tea. While you are studying Zen, a bowl is no longer a bowl and tea is no longer tea. After you've studied Zen, a bowl is again a bowl and tea is tea. (Zen Proverb)

BUREAUCRACY:

Men will always lose the battle against cholera and bureaucracy. (Tibetan Proverb)

BUSINESS:

What business does a dog have in the shop of the blacksmith? (Turkish Proverb)

Everybody's business is nobody's business. (Vietnamese Proverb)

The devil sups with the tax collector. (Togolese Proverb)

Let every man mind his own business. (Spanish Proverb)

A business is good, when both parties make a good bargain. (Swedish Proverb)

If you engage in a business you don't understand, your money will fly away. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you have a business you have to smile at everyone. (Sicilian Proverb)

New advice for a new business.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Trade is the mother of money.

(Romanian Proverb)

Two of a trade seldom agrees.

(Romanian Proverb)

Friends are friends, business are business.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A dog may die from too much walking, but a fool dies from worrying about someone else's business. (Romanian Proverb)

He that learns a trade has a purchase made.

(Romanian Proverb)

Peace is good for business. (Klingon Proverb)

War is good for business. (Klingon Proverb)

Business and folding screens must be crooked to stand. (Japanese Proverb)

Business is a two-way street.

(Japanese Proverb)

A fly, a harlot, a beggar, a rat, and gusty wind; the village-boss and the tax collector - these seven are always annoying to others. (Indian)

Make no headache of what is not your business. (Hungarian Proverb)

Every man should practise only his trade. (Hungarian Proverb)

In a trade someone always loses. (Finnish Proverb)

Folks say there is a lack of four sorts of people on earth: of priests, else one would not have six or seven benefices; of gentleman, else every boor would not want to be a squire; of whores, else married women and nuns would not carry on the trade; of Je. (German Proverb)

Schnapps is schnapps and business is business. (German Proverb)

He that has no good trade, it is to his loss. (English Proverb)

Business first, pleasure after. (English)

Business is business. (English Proverb)

Drive your business; do not let it drive you. (English Proverb)

Bread and bird: we don't discuss house business. (Corsican Proverb)

Set thy expense according to thy trade.

(Dutch Proverb)

A fierce dog ruins a liquor store business.

(Chinese Proverb)

To open a business is very easy; to keep it open is very difficult.

(Chinese Proverb)

What isn't your duty isn't your business.

(Albanian Proverb)

The devil always tends to his own business.

(Albanian Proverb)

Rise early, live soberly, and apply yourself with industry.

(Albanian Proverb)

Industry keeps the body healthy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Industry is fortune's right hand and frugality her left.

(Albanian Proverb)

Diseases are the tax on pleasures.

(Albanian Proverb)

Commerce flourishes by circumstances precarious.

(Albanian Proverb)

Business neglected is business lost.

(Albanian Proverb)

Business is business, and love is love.

(Albanian Proverb)

Industry need not wish. (Albanian Proverb)

Industry keeps the body healthy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Industry is fortune's right hand and frugality
her left. (Albanian Proverb)

The lion said: I am the best one to take care of
my business. (Arab Proverb)

When pleasure interferes with business, give
up business. (American Proverb)

No matter how bad a child is, he is still good
for a tax deduction. (American Proverb)

He who loves peace minds his own business.
(Chinese Proverb)

Great business is good; to sit and sip this
glass is better. (Chinese Proverb)

A handful of trade, a handful of gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

God save you from a man who has but one
business. (French Proverb)

A partner in the business will not put an obstacle to it. (Ethiopian Proverb)

There are no foolish trades, there are only foolish people. (French Proverb)

Let everyone mind his own business, and the cows will be well tended. (French Proverb)

He who cannot speak well of his trade does not understand it. (French Proverb)

Folks say there is a lack of four sorts of people on earth: of priests, else one would not have six or seven benefices; of gentleman, else every boor would not want to be a squire; of whores, else married women and nuns would not carry on the trade; of Jews, else Christians would not practise usury. (German Proverb)

A huckster, who cannot pass off mouse-turd for pepper, has not learned his trade. (German Proverb)

On poor people's beards the young barber learns his trade. (German Proverb)

Millers, tailors, and weavers are not hanged, or the trade would soon be extinct. (German Proverb)

Work is our business; its success is God's.
(German Proverb)

When the devil grows poor he becomes a tax collector.(Greek Proverb)

Every one finds fault with his own trade.
(Italian Proverb)

Every man has a good wife and a bad trade.
(Italian Proverb)

He who does not teach his son a trade teaches him to steal.(Jewish Proverb)

Good luck in business is like the froth on an ox's face.(Japanese Proverb)

Even a thief takes ten years to learn his trade.
(Japanese Proverb)

Don't draw another's bow, don't ride another's horse, and don't mind another's business.
(Latin Proverb)

Boldness in business is the first, second, and third thing.(Latin Proverb)

Men see more of the business of others than of their own.(Latin Proverb)

When you're out of luck in the coffin making business, no one dies. (Lebanese Proverb)

Prying with sidelong glance into other people's business. (Latin Proverb)

The man of your own trade is your enemy. (Portuguese Proverb)

Let every man mind his own business, and leave others to theirs. (Portuguese Proverb)

A hangman is a good trade; he doth his work by daylight. (Spanish Proverb)

If you are going to die you will die in the dark even if you have been in the candle business. (South American Proverb)

Trust in God, but mind your own business. (Russian Proverb)

He who has a trade may travel through the world. (Spanish Proverb)

To your son give a good name and a trade. (Spanish Proverb)

Who is your enemy? A man of your own trade. (Spanish Proverb)

He that has a trade has an estate.

(Traditional Proverb)

Because he has so many trades, he is unemployed.

(Tunisian Proverb)

Do not leave to the morning the business of the evening.

(Turkish Proverb)

To believe a business impossible is the way to make it so.

(Turkish Proverb)

There are no old friendships in business.

(Ukrainian Proverb)

Secrecy is the soul of business.

(Traditional Proverb)

Tools of the trade.

(Traditional Proverb)

Want is the mother of industry.

(Traditional Proverb)

Honesty is the soul of business.

(Traditional Proverb)

Who has a trade may go anywhere.

(Spanish Proverb)

Two of a trade can never agree.

(Spanish Proverb)

Two of a trade never agree. (Spanish Proverb)

What's everybody's business is nobody's business. (Spanish Proverb)

Every man to his trade. (Portuguese Proverb)

Lying pays no tax. (Portuguese Proverb)

Advertising is the driving force of business
(Russian Proverb)

There are tricks in all trades. (Italian Proverb)

There are tricks in every trade.
(Italian Proverb)

Advertising is the mother of trade.
(Japanese Proverb)

Many trades, begging the best.
(German Proverb)

Mind your own business. (German Proverb)

Prudent pauses forward business.
(German Proverb)

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(German Proverb)

Without business, debauchery.

(French Proverb)

Business before pleasure.(German Proverb)

Bustle is not industry.(German Proverb)

Trade follows the flag.(French Proverb)

Trade knows neither friends or kindred.

(French Proverb)

Punctuality is the sole of business.

(French Proverb)

Set your expense according to your trade.

(Dutch Proverb)

Time is the soul of business.(English Proverb)

Seven trades but no luck.(Arab Proverb)

BUTTERFLY:

Today butterflies, tomorrow wasps.

(Namibian Proverb)

When the fox is hungry, he eats butterflies.

(Namibian Proverb)

No matter how big the butterfly may be, it cannot be called a bat. (African Proverb)

Proverbs are like butterflies, some are caught and some fly away. (German Proverb)

Butterflies forget that they were once caterpillars. (Swedish Proverb)

Butterflies come to pretty flowers. (Korean Proverb)

C CATEGORY

CAR:

When the mouse laughs at the car, there is a hole nearby. (Beninese Proverb)

Trust in god but lock your car. (Albanian)

You must grease the wheels if you would have the car run. (Italian Proverb)

CAT:

Walk like the cat around hot porridge. (Swedish Proverb)

When the cat's away, the rats dance on the table. (Swedish Proverb)

The mouse fell from the ceiling, and the cat cried "Allah!". (Syrian Proverb)

The cornered rat will lick the balls of the cat. (Turkish Proverb)

If you play with a cat, you must not mind her scratch. (Yiddish Proverb)

When the cat hops around, bad weather is on the way. (Sicilian Proverb)

When the cat washes its face, you know it's going to rain. (Sicilian Proverb)

A meowing cat is never a good mouse catcher. (Spanish Proverb)

When the cat's away the rats will play. (Spanish Proverb)

A cat can never be made to lie on its back. (Swahili Proverb)

When the cat goes away, mice reign. (Swahili Proverb)

Angry cats get scratched skin. (Swedish Proverb)

Daughter of a cat, if she doesn't bite she scratches. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you have to have animals in your house, don't have either a dog or a cat with a red coat. (Sicilian Proverb)

It is ill to draw a strea before an old Cat. (Scottish Proverb)

It is well said, but who will bell the Cat? (Scottish Proverb)

That which hussies spares, Cats eat. (Scottish Proverb)

Thou wilt get no more of the cat, but the skin. (Scottish Proverb)

Ye breed of the cat, ye would fain have fish, but ye have na will to wet your feet. (Scottish Proverb)

When cat is absent, mice dance. (Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

If you have to have animals in your house, don't have either a dog or a cat with a red coat. (Sicilian Proverb)

Cat died of curiosity. (Russian Proverb)

Without a cat mice have no restrictions.

(Russian Proverb)

A gloved Cat was never a good Hunter.

(Scottish Proverb)

A half-penny Cat may look to the King.

(Scottish Proverb)

Cats eats that Hussies spares.

(Scottish Proverb)

The cat is hungry when a crust contents her.

(Romanian Proverb)

The cat would eat fish and would not wet her feet.

(Romanian Proverb)

The person taking legal action often gives up an ox to win a cat.

(Romanian Proverb)

Like the cat in the tree, getting caught up in the chase can leave us in an awkward place.

(Rosicrucian Proverb)

The cat is hungry when a crust contents her.

(Romanian Proverb)

A house without a dog or a cat is the house of a scoundrel.

(Portuguese Proverb)

At night all cats are brown.

(Portuguese)

If you don't have a dog, you hunt with a cat.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The cat bit your tongue.(Portuguese Proverb)

If men were now to turn their hostility towards the cat, it would not be long before the domestic cat becomes a wild animal.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Go slowly and come slowly so that the cat won't gore you.(Persian Proverb)

It's easy to trust a cat once you put the cream out of reach.(Mexican Proverb)

The lap of its owner is security enough for a cat.(Mexican Proverb)

The rat that knows but one hole is soon caught by the cat.(Mexican Proverb)

The rat who only knows about one hole will soon be caught by the cat.(Mexican Proverb)

Never kill the cat that cries.
(Namibian Proverb)

When a mouse makes fun of a cat, there is a hole nearby.(Lebanese Proverb)

A coin to a cat.(Japanese Proverb)

Feed a dog for three days and it is grateful for three years. Feed a cat for three years and it forgets after three days. (Japanese Proverb)

The cat is a saint when there are no mice about. (Japanese Proverb)

To change like the eyes of a cat.
(Japanese Proverb)

When the cat mourns for the mouse does not take her seriously. (Japanese Proverb)

Fine words don't feed cats. (Italian Proverb)

As honest as a cat when the meat is out of reach. (Irish Proverb)

She wipes the plate with the cat's tail.
(Irish Proverb)

She would drink the cream and say the cat she had was an old rogue. (Irish Proverb)

The cat is always dignified, until the dog comes by. (Irish Proverb)

When the cat is out the mouse can dance.
(Irish Proverb)

As honest as a cat when the meat is out of reach. (Irish Proverb)

Everything troubles you and the cat breaks your heart.(Irish Proverb)

If a cat had a dowry, she would often be kissed.(Irish Proverb)

If the cat sits long enough at the hole, she will catch the mouse.(Irish Proverb)

It is to please herself that the cat purrs.
(Irish Proverb)

Even a cat is a lion in her own lair.(Indian)

It's a brave bird that makes its nest in the cat's ear.(Indian Proverb)

He plays with somebody as a cat plays with a mouse.(Hungarian Proverb)

If the cat's away, the mice will dance.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Dog and cat friendship.(Hungarian Proverb)

He buys a cat in a poke.(Hungarian Proverb)

He goes around it like a cat goes around hot mush.(Hungarian Proverb)

Cats like man are flatterers.(French Proverb)

Well knows the cats whose ear she licks.

(French Proverb)

Don't make a mouse of yourself, or else you will be eaten by cats.

(German Proverb)

The rat knows full well that, if the cat is old and feeble, its claws are not.

(Haitian Proverb)

You don't buy a cat in a bag.

(Haitian Proverb)

Raining cats and dogs.

(English Proverb)

While the cat is away, the mice will play.

(English Proverb)

Ye're very foresighted, like Forsyth's cat.

(English Proverb)

You can have no more of a cat than her skin.

(English Proverb)

Who cuddles a cat, his farmyard will be blessed.

(Estonian Proverb)

Who takes care of a cat will take care of a horse too.

(Estonian Proverb)

A mouse that wants to die goes to sniff the cat's nose.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

It is a bold mouse that nestles in the cat's ear.
(English Proverb)

The dream of cats is all mice.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Beware of the cat that licks from the front but
claws from behind.(English Proverb)

Curiosity killed the cat. Satisfaction brought it
back, that's why the cat has nine lives.
(English Proverb)

Mother sets aside and the cat eats.
(Corsican Proverb)

What can a cat do if its master is crazy?
(Corsican Proverb)

When the cat's away the mice will play.
(Danish Proverb)

Buying a cat in a bag.(Dutch Proverb)

For the cat's violin.(Dutch Proverb)

He feels like a cat in a strange warehouse.
(Dutch Proverb)

When the cat is not home, the mice dance on
the table.(Dutch Proverb)

Dogs are dogs, but cats are people.

(Chinese Proverb)

Going to law is losing a cow for the sake of a

cat.(Chinese Proverb)

It is difficult to catch a black cat in a dark room -- especially if the cat isn't there.

(Chinese Proverb)

He that wills not to feed a cat feeds the mice.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

A hobbling cat is better than a fast horse when rats swarm the palace.(Chinese Proverb)

A lame cat is better than a swift horse when rats infest the palace.(Chinese Proverb)

A mouse-catching dog steps on the cats' paws.

(Chinese Proverb)

Don't give away anything and then take it back, or the person you gave it to will don't give away anything and then take it back, or the person you gave it to will "set a cat boil for you."(Bajan Proverb)

Cat luck en' dog luck.(Bajan Proverb)

A cat can look at de queen.(Bajan Proverb)

Out of desperation he calls the cat 'madam'.
(Arabic Proverb)

The cat may look at the queen.
(Albanian Proverb)

Go softly; come softly, so that the cat does not
gore you. (Arabic Proverb)

You will never find a cat on a cold hearth.
(Albanian Proverb)

There are more ways than one to kill a cat.
(Albanian Proverb)

Cats that wear gloves catch no mice.
(Albanian Proverb)

When cats are hairdressers, rats will always
go around with uncombed hair.
(African Proverb)

When a rat mocks a cat then you know there
is a hole nearby. (African Proverb)

When a cat wants to eat its own kitten it
accuses them of smelling like rats.
(African Proverb)

Two cats can never be equal; one will always
be bigger than the other. (African Proverb)

The way a cat walks is not the way it catches a rat. (African Proverb)

It is the absence of a cat that allowed the rat to climb onto the table. (African Proverb)

A rat never goes near a cat's celebration venue. (African Proverb)

If you have a dog to worship you, you must have a cat to ignore you. (African Proverb)

If stretching were wealth, the cat would be rich. (African Proverb)

The cat may look like a lion, but that does not make it a lion. (African Proverb)

A mouse does not share a bowl with a cat. (African Proverb)

If a cat wants to look after your fish don't believe him. (African Proverb)

Call a cat a cat. (African Proverb)

No matter how angry a rat may be it will be eaten by a cat. (African Proverb)

However big a rat is, it can't threaten a cat. (African Proverb)

In the eyes of the mouse the cat is a lion.
(Albanian Proverb)

No matter how much the world changes, cats will never lay eggs.(Bambara Proverb)

Because the cat was given no meat, he said it was Friday.(Armenian Proverb)

The dreams of a cat are full of mice.
(Arab Proverb)

Careless rat chewing on a cat's tail: beware lightning!(Chinese Proverb)

A rat who gnaws at a cat's tail invites destruction.(Chinese Proverb)

A peasant between two lawyers is like a fish between two cats.(Catalonian Proverb)

You come with a cat and call it a rabbit.
(Cameroonian Proverb)

When the cat gets too old, the mice are not afraid any more.(Burmese Proverb)

Settling a dispute through the law is like losing a cow for the sake of a cat.
(Chinese Proverb)

It's not the fleas of the dog that make the cat meow. (Chinese Proverb)

If a rat wants to die it bites a cat's tail.
(Chinese Proverb)

When the cat is gone, the mice come out to stretch. (Chinese Proverb)

Win a cat and lose a cow -- the consequence of litigation. (Chinese Proverb)

A cat goes to a monastery, but she still remains a cat. (Congolese Proverb)

What is play to the cat is death to the mouse. (Danish Proverb)

We are all well placed, said the cat, when she was seated on the bacon. (Danish Proverb)

The mouse may find a hole, be the room ever so full of cats. (Danish Proverb)

When the cat and the mouse agree the farmer doesn't stand a chance. (Danish Proverb)

In a cat's eye, all things belong to cats.
(English Proverb)

You've got to stare the cat down out of the tree. (Dutch Proverb)

When the cat's away, it is jubilee with the mice. (Dutch Proverb)

Two cocks in one house, a cat and a mouse, an old man and young wife, are always in strife. (Dutch Proverb)

All cats are not to be set down for witches. (French Proverb)

A cat may go to a monastery, but she still remains a cat. (Ethiopian Proverb)

A girl without a needle is like a cat without a claw. (Estonian Proverb)

He is like a cat; he always falls on his feet. (French Proverb)

He has a good pledge of the cat that has her skin. (French Proverb)

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To do like the monkey, get the chestnuts out of the fire with the cat's paw. (French Proverb)

If you want to live long, be healthy and fat, drink like a dog and eat like a cat. (German Proverb)

He, who makes a mouse of himself, will be eaten by the cats. (German Proverb)

He goes about it like a cat round hot milk. (German Proverb)

The cat would eat fish, but would not wet her feet. (Georgian Proverb)

In a place without dogs they teach the cats to bark. (Georgian Proverb)

You pull chestnuts from the fire with a cat's paw. (French Proverb)

Who is born of a cat will run after mice. (French Proverb)

It is too much to expect of a cat that she should sit by the milk and not lap it. (German Proverb)

There are more ways of killing a cat than choking it with cream. (German Proverb)

What is sport to the cat is death to the mouse. (German Proverb)

To live long, eat like a cat, drink like a dog. (German Proverb)

To catch rats the cats take off their gloves.
(German Proverb)

Would you live long, be healthy and fat, drink like a dog and eat like a cat.(German Proverb)

Who will not feed the cats, must feed the mice and rats.(German Proverb)

After eating nine hundred rats, the cat is now going on a pilgrimage.(Indian Proverb)

In the long run even a dog will compromise with the cat.(Hungarian Proverb)

When the cat's stomach is full, the rat's back is bitter.(Haitian Proverb)

Nature breaks through the eyes of the cat.
(Irish Proverb)

A Tyrone woman will never buy a rabbit without a head for fear it's a cat.
(Irish Proverb)

You should not call in a cat to settle the argument of two birds.(Indian Proverb)

Better be the head of a cat than the tail of a lion.(Italian Proverb)

To have eye one on the cat and another on the frying-pan.(Italian Proverb)

The mouse does not leave the cat's house with a bellyful.(Italian Proverb)

The more you stroke the cat's back the more set sets up her tail.(Italian Proverb)

That that comes of a cat will catch mice.
(Italian Proverb)

Thank you, pretty pussy, was the death of my cat.(Italian Proverb)

How can the cat help it if the maid be a fool?
(Italian Proverb)

Don't take seriously the cat who mourns for a mouse.(Japanese Proverb)

A good cat does not need a collar of gold.
(Japanese Proverb)

Meat that the cat brings in never gets to your plate.(Jamaican Proverb)

When a cat wants to eat her kittens, she says they look like mice.(Kurdish Proverb)

You can throw a cat whoever you want; it always falls on its feet.(Jewish Proverb)

One should not send a cat to deliver cream.
(Jewish Proverb)

Fain would the cat fish eat, but she is loath to
wet her feet.(Latin Proverb)

A woman hath nine lives like a cat.
(Latin Proverb)

As long as the mouse keeps still you can be
sure that the cat stays on guard.
(Malagasy Proverb)

If you are too sparing with the cat's food, the
rats will eat your ears.(Lebanese Proverb)

You let the cat out of the bag.(Latin Proverb)

Do not let the cat watch over the bacon.
(Persian Proverb)

When the mice laugh at the cat, there is a hole
nearby.(Nigerian Proverb)

The rat cannot call the cat to account.
(Nigerian Proverb)

When you treat someone like a wild cat, he
will steal your chickens.(Malagasy Proverb)

It is not from the love of God that the cat
catches mice.(Persian Proverb)

The man who takes legal action often loses an ox to win a cat.(Romanian Proverb)

In a house where two daughters live, the cat dies of thirst.(Romanian Proverb)

You can't kill a dog just to save a cat's tail.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

The rat does not leave the cat's house with a bellyful.(Portuguese Proverb)

The cat is a good friend, only she scratches.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Don't let the cat out of the bag.
(Portuguese Proverb)

When the cat and the mouse agree, the grocer is ruined.(Persian Proverb)

That smells bad, said the cat about meat that it cannot reach.(Persian Proverb)

It is not from the love of God that the cat catches mice.(Persian Proverb)

A house without a dog, a cat, or a little child is a house without joy or laughter.
(Scottish Proverb)

A mewling cat is never a good mouser.

(Spanish Proverb)

When a mouse makes fun of a cat, there is a hole. (Senegalese Proverb)

I would as soon see your nose be cheese, and the cat get the first bite of it.

(Scottish Proverb)

It is better to be a mouse in a cat's mouth than a man in a lawyer's hands.

(Spanish Proverb)

They whip the cat, if our mistress does not spin. (Spanish Proverb)

The mouse that knows but one hole is soon caught by the cat. (Spanish Proverb)

One eye on the frying-pan and the other on the cat. (Spanish Proverb)

A house without either a cat or a dog is the house of a scoundrel. (Traditional Proverb)

Give a servant a proper meal and the cow will give more milk and the cat will drink less.

(Swedish Proverb)

Who is to carry the cat to the water?

(Spanish Proverb)

Black cat or white cat If it can catch mice, it's a good cat.(Traditional Proverb)

It's for her own good that the cat purrs.
(Traditional Proverb)

The dream of a cat is filled with mice.
(Traditional Proverb)

When the cat is not home, the mice will dance on the table.(Traditional Proverb)

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What would a young cat do but eat mice.
(Traditional Proverb)

If a cat wants to eat her kittens, she'll say that they look like mice.(Turkish Proverb)

When the cat's away the mouse sits on its throne.(Vietnamese Proverb)

All cats are gray in the dark.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

The cat is nature's beauty.
(Traditional Proverb)

The cat's meow.(Traditional Proverb)

Look what the cat dragged in.

(Traditional Proverb)

Who is to bell the cat?(Spanish Proverb)

A cat has nine lives.(Traditional Proverb)

As uneasy as a cat near water.

(Traditional Proverb)

The cat is friendly, but scratches.

(Spanish Proverb)

Meowing cats catch fewer mice.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A devotee's face and a cat's claws.

(Spanish Proverb)

Never throw the cat at the dog.

(Netherlands Antillean Proverb)

Who saves, saves for the cat.(Italian Proverb)

Words won't feed cats.(Italian Proverb)

Giving gold coins to a cat.(Japanese Proverb)

When the cat's away the mice dance.

(Italian Proverb)

Giving gold coins to a cat.(Japanese Proverb)

A muffled cat is no good mouser.

(Italian Proverb)

By night all cats are black.(Italian Proverb)

Fair words won't feed a cat.(Italian Proverb)

When the cat's away the mice play.

(German Proverb)

Beware of people who dislike cats.

(Irish Proverb)

Flatters, like cats, lick and then scratch.

(German Proverb)

No one likes to bell the cat.(German Proverb)

Singed cats live long.(German Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping cat.(French Proverb)

Mewing cats catch no mice.(Georgian Proverb)

A cat is a lion to mouse.(German Proverb)

A cat may look at a king.(German Proverb)

At night all cats are grey.(German Proverb)

Care killed the cat.(German Proverb)

Curiosity killed the cat.(German Proverb)

All cats are alike grey at night.(French)

By night all cats are grey.(French Proverb)

Cats don't catch the old birds.(Dutch Proverb)

Don't buy a cat in a sack.(Dutch Proverb)

When the cat sleeps, the mice play.
(Dutch Proverb)

Cats hide their claws.(English Proverb)

Cats don't catch the old birds.(Dutch Proverb)

Don't buy a cat in a sack.(Dutch Proverb)

Which cat does not gorge a mouse?
(Chinese Proverb)

Politeness pleases even a cat.(Czech Proverb)

Wanton kittens make sober cats.
(Danish Proverb)

Cats don't catch mice to please God.
(Afghan Proverb)

After dark all cats are leopards.(American)

CHANCE:

You must take the chance to forge whilst the iron is hot. (Swedish Proverb)

You have to make the most of the chances that come your way. You have to strike while the iron is hot. (Spanish Proverb)

The bigger the chance, the less the security. (Sicilian Proverb)

Whim rules the child, and weather the field, each is open to chance. (Norse Proverb)

Deliberation often loses a good chance. (Latin Proverb)

There is always a chance. (Klingon Proverb)

The foreign person is blind and the killed person has no chance. (Kurdish Proverb)

No one can be expected to be an expert at something before they have got the chance to practice it. (Finnish Proverb)

Chance favors the prepared mind. (English Proverb)

Look to your enemy for a chance to succeed. (Chinese Proverb)

Chance all; see what destiny yields.

(Angolan Proverb)

A fool by chance may say a wise thing.

(Dutch Proverb)

When the cat and the mouse agree the farmer
doesn't stand a chance. (Danish Proverb)

When cat and mouse agree, the farmer has no
chance. (Danish Proverb)

Eggs are put to hatch on a chance.

(French Proverb)

He that leaves certainty and sticks to chance,
When fools pipe he may dance.

(French Proverb)

Too late to grieve when the chance is past.

(French Proverb)

A person who misses a chance and the
monkey who misses its branch -- both cannot
be saved. (Indian Proverb)

Don't call a man honest just because he never
had the chance to steal. (Jewish Proverb)

A man is not honest simply because he never
had a chance to steal. (Jewish Proverb)

A merchant's happiness hangs upon chance,
winds, and waves. (Japanese Proverb)

He who waits for a chance may wait for a long
time. (Nigerian Proverb)

Old love and wood will burn as soon as they
get the chance. (South American Proverb)

One cannot refuse to eat just because there is
a chance of being choked. (Traditional Proverb)

One who waits for chance may wait a year.
(Yoruban Proverb)

A timid man has little chance.
(Danish Proverb)

Romance without finance; don't stand a
chance. (American Proverb)

It's all fate and chance. (Arab Proverb)

CHANGE:

When the music changes, then the rhythm of
the dance must change also. (Tuareg Proverb)

A broke merchant counted his small change.
(Turkish Proverb)

When the weather changes, the beast sneezes.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Lordships changes manners.
(Scottish Proverb)

Change yourself, and your luck will change.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Change yourself, change your fortunes.
(Portuguese Proverb)

There is no death, only a change of worlds.
(Native American Duwamish Proverb)

Though change is no robbery.(Malay Proverb)

If you are too shy to ask, you might lose your way. When you go away, the conversation changes.(Malay Proverb)

Change seeds taking them from different calabashes.(Kikuyu Proverb)

Death and marriages make changes.
(Irish Proverb)

A change of event such as the death of a leader, will lead to other changes.
(Indonesian Proverb)

The more things change, the more they stay the same. (English Proverb)

He, who changes, suffers. (Corsican Proverb)

All things change, and we change with them. (Chinese Proverb)

Crisis brings opportunity and change. (Chinese Proverb)

The only sure thing about luck is that it's sure to change. (Albanian Proverb)

Change of fortune hurts a wise man no more than a change of the moon. (Albanian Proverb)

In this world, nothing is permanent except change. (Albanian Proverb)

If you are always dwelling in trouble, change your address. (Albanian Proverb)

If you dance with the devil you can't change him but he will change. (African Proverb)

If the rhythm of the drum beat changes, the dance step must adapt. (African Proverb)

At that particular time a mad person gives you something take it immediately before he changes his mind. (African Proverb)

A foolish man may be known by six things:
Anger without cause, speech without profit,
change without progress, inquiry without
object, putting trust in a stranger, and
mistaking foes for friends.(Arab Proverb)

A change is as good as a rest.(Arab Proverb)

No matter how much the world changes, cats
will never lay eggs.(Bambara Proverb)

Only three things in life are certain birth,
death and change.(Arab Proverb)

Rivers and mountains may change; human
nature, never.(Chinese Proverb)

If you can't change your fate, change your
attitude.(Chinese Proverb)

April weather, woman's love, rose-leaves, dice,
and card-luck, change every moment.
(German Proverb)

All things change, and we change with them.
(Latin Proverb)

Change yourself, and fortune will change with
you.(Portuguese Proverb)

The less things change, the more they remain
the same.(Sicilian Proverb)

You must tolerate that which you cannot change. (Spanish Proverb)

A fool may be known by six things anger, without cause speech, without profit change, without progress inquiry, without object putting trust in a stranger, and mistaking foes for friends. (Traditional Proverb)

Change not a clout 'till May be out. (Traditional Proverb)

What is impossible to change is best to forget. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

When the music changes, so does the dance. (West African Proverb)

Women, wind, and fortune, soon change. (Spanish Proverb)

Woman, wind, and luck soon change. (Portuguese Proverb)

Only fools are glad when governments change. (Romanian Proverb)

Go away and the conversation changes. (Malawian Proverb)

Who changes country changes luck. (Italian Proverb)

Who often changes, damages. (French Proverb)

Honors change manners. (French Proverb)

Long absence changes friends.
(French Proverb)

The cricket cries, the year changes.
(Cameroonian Proverb)

CHARACTER:

Watch your character; it becomes your
destiny. (Tibetan Proverb)

Don't look at the shape -- look at the
character. (Turkish Proverb)

Every person admires his own character.
(Turkish Proverb)

Blood is inherited; character is earned.
(Venezuelan Proverb)

Character is always corrupted by prosperity.
(Icelandic Proverb)

Three things show a man's character: his
drinking, his pocket, and his anger.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A man of character is resistant to temptation.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Parents give birth to the body of their children,
but not always to their characters.
(Ganda Proverb)

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost. When
health is lost, something is lost; when
character is lost, all is lost.
(German Proverb)

A slave shows his true character, not while he
is enslaved but when he becomes a master.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A man's studies pass into his character.
(English Proverb)

Seeing a man is seeing his character.
(Corsican Proverb)

A good character is real beauty that never
fades. (Burmese Proverb)

If there is beauty in character, there will be
harmony in the home. (Chinese Proverb)

If you want to know someone's character, look
at the friends he keeps. (Chinese Proverb)

If there is righteousness in the heart, there will be beauty in the character.

(Confucian Proverb)

Reputation is what you are in the light; character is what you are in the dark.

(Albanian Proverb)

Man's only real possession is his character.

(Albanian Proverb)

Like a fence, character cannot be strengthened by whitewash. (Albanian Proverb)

If you take care of your character, your reputation will take care of itself.

(Albanian Proverb)

Character is what you are in the dark when no one else is around. (Albanian Proverb)

Character is what we are; reputation is what others think we are. (Albanian Proverb)

If you damage the character of another, you damage your own. (African Proverb)

Before killing the chicken carefully observe the character of your guest. (African Proverb)

A person's character is like pregnancy it cannot be hidden. (African Proverb)

If you hear that a mountain has moved,
believe; but if you hear that a man has
changed his character, believe it not.

(Arab Proverb)

Character is what you are in the dark.

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The wolf changes only his coat -- not his
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If there is character, ugliness becomes beauty;
if there is none, beauty becomes ugliness.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Before the chicken carefully observe the
character of your guest.(Mandingo Proverb)

A house has the character of the man who
lives in it.(Traditional Proverb)

Character, like a kettle, once mended, always
requires repairs.(Traditional Proverb)

Character is a diamond that scratches every
other stone.(Traditional Proverb)

One can easily judge the character of a person
by the way they treat people who can do
nothing for them.(Traditional Proverb)

When the character of the person is not clear to you, look at his friends.

(Traditional Proverb)

Everyone admires his own character.

(Turkish Proverb)

Character is a victory, not a gift.

(Traditional Proverb)

Clothes cover up character.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Character can be built on daily routine.

(Japanese Proverb)

Character is habit long continued.

(Greek Proverb)

Character is easier kept than recovered.

(English Proverb)

CHARITY:

Gifts are the key to the female heart.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

Gifts dissolve rocks. (Traditional Proverb)

Gifts break rocks and melt hearts.

(Uruguayan Proverb)

For the ugly vice of begging, there's the virtue of not giving. (Venezuelan Proverb)

The poor didn't have but gave to charity.

(Sicilian Proverb)

There are four things to which you should not lend credence: love of women, the charity of friars, and sun in the winter and clouds in the summer. (Sicilian Proverb)

Where there is no love there is no charity.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A nice day, a gift for a street peddler.

(Swahili Proverb)

Charity is the matter of the heart not of the pocket. (Swahili Proverb)

Giving advice but no one listens.

(Swahili Proverb)

Charity does not lessen you; going to church does not hinder you. (Swedish Proverb)

Charity supports both the giver and receiver.

(Swedish Proverb)

Giving promptly is like giving twice.

(Sicilian Proverb)

The door is always open to the bearer of gifts.

(Sicilian Proverb)

No man ought to look a gift horse in the mouth. (Romanian Proverb)

Who receives a gift sells his liberty.

(Romanian Proverb)

Do not look at gift horse's mouth.

(Russian Proverb)

Giving much to the poor doth enrich a man's store. (Romanian Proverb)

One doesn't examine the teeth of a gift horse.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Charity begins at home. (Romanian Proverb)

Gifts blind the eyes. (Romanian Proverb)

Giving much to the poor doth enrich a man's store. (Romanian Proverb)

Sharing and giving are the ways of God.

(Native American Sauk Proverb)

To take revenge on an enemy, give him an elephant -- first he must thank you for the gift, and then the elephant's appetite will deplete your enemy's resources.

(Nepalese Proverb)

A guest is a gift, a thief a tragedy.

(Nilotic Proverb)

The best gifts are those which expect no return.

(Norwegian Proverb)

I tried to do charity, I burned.

(Persian Proverb)

Often the best way of giving oneself what one lacks is to take from oneself what one has.

(Persian Proverb)

They don't count the teeth of a gift horse.

(Persian Proverb)

You don't look a gift horse in the mouth.

(Mexican Proverb)

If we wonder often, the gift of knowledge will come.

(Native American Arapaho Proverb)

Inner peace and love are the greatest of God's gifts.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

One does not give a gift without a motive.

(Malian Proverb)

Monday's child is fair of face, Tuesday's child is full of grace, and Wednesday's child is full of woe. Thursday's child has far to go, Friday's child is loving and giving, Saturday's child works hard for its living, and a child that's born of the Sabbath day.

(Latin Proverb)

Don't trust Yridians who bring gifts.

(Klingon Proverb)

There's nothing wrong with charity... as long as it winds up in your pocket.

(Klingon Proverb)

He who receives a gift does not measure.

(Kenyan Proverb)

People count the refusals, do not count the gifts.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

Charity is the spice of riches.

(Jewish Proverb)

Old thanks cannot be used for new gifts.

(Italian Proverb)

Big bellies were never generous.

(Irish Proverb)

A kind word is like charity.

(Islamic Proverb)

Beautiful day, a gift for the traveler.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Just because a loan is old, that does not make it a gift.(Hungarian Proverb)

If you want to control your soul, hand it as a gift to your intellect.(Hebrew Proverb)

The greatest charity is to enable the poor to earn a living.(Hebrew Proverb)

Do not look at the tooth of a gift horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

A healthy person who begs for food is an insult to a generous farmer.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

Who is generous is lazy, who is angry is diligent.(Estonian Proverb)

Never look a gift horse in the mouth.
(English Proverb)

He, who has no charity, deserves no mercy.
(English Proverb)

Charity bread has hard crusts.
(English Proverb)

Don't trust the Greek bearing gifts.

(English Proverb)

Giving what one does not possess is always a sign of charity.(Corsican Proverb)

Aspire to the principle, behave with virtue, abide by benevolence, and immerse yourself in the arts.(Chinese Proverb)

Charity is not a bone you throw to a dog, but a bone you share with a dog.(Chinese Proverb)

Great wealth is a gift from heaven; moderate wealth results from frugality.

(Chinese Proverb)

One favors him from whom one has in the past received a gift.(Bajan Proverb)

Your relations are more deserving of your generosity.(Arabic Proverb)

More generous than Hatim.(Arabic Proverb)

Be generous to a generous person and you'd win him, be generous to a mean person and he'd rebel on you.(Arabic Proverb)

True generosity is the ability to accept ingratitude.(Albanian Proverb)

The giver makes the gift precious.

(Albanian Proverb)

The generous can forget that they have given,
but the grateful can never forget that they
have received. (Albanian Proverb)

Our generosity should never exceed our
abilities. (Albanian Proverb)

No friendship can survive the gift of gold.
(Albanian Proverb)

A gift is better than a promise.
(Albanian Proverb)

Education is a gift that none can take away.
(Albanian Proverb)

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but a bone you share with your dog.
(Albanian Proverb)

Charity is a virtue of the heart and not of the
hand. (Albanian Proverb)

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(Albanian Proverb)

You don't give someone a goat for a gift and
still hold on to the rope. (African Proverb)

A genuine gift is like water when it flows out it can never return.(African Proverb)

Authority is in generosity.(African Proverb)

A true friend is a special gift.(African Proverb)

Generosity is white and pure like milk.
(African Proverb)

Generosity has its disadvantages.
(African Proverb)

You are like a tree, giving your shade to the outside.(Arab Proverb)

The best act of generosity is that which is quickly done.(Arab Proverb)

The maker of laws must be severe; who executes them must be generous.
(Chinese Proverb)

The doorway to charity is difficult to open and difficult to close.(Chinese Proverb)

It is difficult to repay the gifts you get at a wedding or a funeral.(Chinese Proverb)

The generous man grows rich in giving, the miser poor in taking.(Danish Proverb)

He that's long a giving knows not how to give.
(Dutch Proverb)

Take care how you beseech the gods for a gift,
for they will give it to you.(Darkovan Proverb)

Kinsmen are born, but friendship is a gift of
the gods.(Darkovan Proverb)

The generous man enriches himself by giving;
the miser hoards himself poor.
(Dutch Proverb)

A silent woman is a gift from God.
(French Proverb)

If you give a gift to a rich man, the devil
sniggers.(French Proverb)

Charity looks at the need and not at the
cause.(German Proverb)

Charity gives itself rich, covetousness hoards
itself poor.(German Proverb)

A small gift is better than a great promise.
(German Proverb)

Promises have legs. Only a gift has hands.
(German Proverb)

What's of no use is too dear at a gift.

(German Proverb)

He who accepts the gift loses his liberty.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A loan, though old, is not a gift.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Giving advice to a stupid man is like giving salt to a squirrel.

(Indian Proverb)

Three things that can't be taught: generosity, poetry and a singing voice.

(Irish Proverb)

True happiness lies in giving it to others.

(Indian Proverb)

Never heed the color of a gift horse.

(Italian Proverb)

Injurious is the gift that takes away freedom.

(Italian Proverb)

Men would not be richer for being miserly; generosity does not make a man poorer.

(Jewish Proverb)

Don't look a gift horse in the mouth.

(Jewish Proverb)

Charity and pride have different aims, yet both feed the poor. (Jewish Proverb)

If you receive a gift don't measure it.
(Kenyan Proverb)

What you give for the cause of charity in health is gold; what you give in sickness is silver; what you give after death is lead.
(Jewish Proverb)

These three are the marks of a Jew: a tender heart, self-respect, and charity.
(Jewish Proverb)

Monday's child is fair of face, Tuesday's child is full of grace, and Wednesday's child is full of woe. Thursday's child has far to go, Friday's child is loving and giving, Saturday's child works hard for its living, and a child that's born of the Sabbath day is fair and wise and good and gay. (Latin Proverb)

It doubles the value of a gift to be well-timed.
(Latin Proverb)

He gives well and bountifully who accompanies the gift with a pleasing look.
(Latin Proverb)

We never profit by the gifts of the wicked.
(Latin Proverb)

The goodwill accompanying the gift is the best portion of it. (Latin Proverb)

Promises must not fill the place of gifts.
(Latin Proverb)

A beggar will always be a beggar even if they give him the whole world as a gift.
(Persian Proverb)

What is bought is cheaper than a gift.
(Portuguese Proverb)

To be slow in giving and to refuse, are alike.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Promising is not giving, but serves to content fools. (Portuguese Proverb)

Every one sings as he has the gift, and marries as he has the luck. (Portuguese Proverb)

In this world generous people have no money and those with money are not generous.
(Persian Proverb)

Giving advice to the ignorant is like the rain falling on muddy ground. (Persian Proverb)

A bad man's gift is like his master.
(Spanish Proverb)

He who refuses a gift will not fill his barn.

(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

Charity begins at home, but shouldn't end there.

(Scottish Proverb)

There is nothing better than a rich wife and a generous mother-in-law.

(Russian Proverb)

Giving gifts to the rich is like pouring water into the sea.

(Russian Proverb)

Look not a gift horse in the mouth.

(Spanish Proverb)

Life is a gift for which we pay dearly.

(Spanish Proverb)

Go to friends for advice; to women for pity; to strangers for charity; to relatives for nothing.

(Spanish Proverb)

Conquer a man who never gives by gifts;
Subdue untruthful men by truthfulness;
Vanquish an angry man by gentleness; And
overcome the evil man by goodness.

(Traditional Proverb)

Masters who sacrifice for servants will receive the gift of loyalty.

(Traditional Proverb)

Truth, self control, asceticism, generosity, non-injury, constancy in virtue these are the means of success, not caste or family.

(Traditional Proverb)

When you see an old man amiable, mild, equable, content, and good-humored, be sure that in his youth he has been just, generous, and forbearing. In his end he does not lament the past, nor dread the future he is like the evening of a fine day. (Traditional Proverb)

As to deserving, know that the gift of Heaven is free this gift of Knowledge is so great that no effort whatever could hope to 'deserve' it.

(Traditional Proverb)

Giving just a crumb to the hungry is worth more than giving lunch to the satisfied.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The devil always takes back his gifts.

(Ukranian Proverb)

Character is a victory, not a gift.

(Traditional Proverb)

Charity, not cheating. (Traditional Proverb)

Gifts make their way through stone walls.

(Traditional Proverb)

There is no disinterested gift.

(Spanish Proverb)

Charity well regulated begins at home.

(Spanish Proverb)

Giving alms never lessens the purse.

(Spanish Proverb)

Gifts break rocks. (Portuguese Proverb)

Gifts from enemies are dangerous.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Fear the Greeks bearing gifts. (Russian)

The poorer, the more generous.

(Russian Proverb)

For a paltry gift, little thanks. (Latin Proverb)

A small gift, but well-timed. (Latin Proverb)

Charity covers a multitude of sins.

(Jewish Proverb)

Charity excuseth not cheating.

(Jewish Proverb)

Old thanks are not for new gifts.

(Italian Proverb)

Mutual gifts cement friendship.

(Ivorian Proverb)

Giving gold coins to a cat.(Japanese Proverb)

Indifference is a generous kind of intolerance.

(Japanese Proverb)

Fortunes, heaven-born gifts.(Italian Proverb)

Gifts are often losses.(Italian Proverb)

Giving is fishing.(Italian Proverb)

A gift, though small, is welcome.

(Greek Proverb)

Gifts are according to the giver.

(German Proverb)

Ingratitude sickens benevolence.

(German Proverb)

Liberty is God's gift, liberties the devil's.

(German Proverb)

Charity sees the need, not the cause.

(German Proverb)

No purchase like a gift.(French Proverb)

Beware of Greeks bearing gifts.

(English Proverb)

Secret gifts are openly rewarded.

(Danish Proverb)

Unwrapping a gift wraps up enmity.

(Arab Proverb)

Be just before you're generous.

(Chinese Proverb)

Favour and gifts disturb justice.

(Danish Proverb)

Gifts make friendship lasting.

(Danish Proverb)

Gifts should be handed, not thrown.

(Danish Proverb)

God gives little folks small gifts.

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God gives little folks small gifts.

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Each day provides its own gifts.

(American Proverb)

CHARM:

Charm is more than beauty.(Yiddish Proverb)

The bocor gives you a protective charm, but he doesn't tell you to sleep in the middle of the highway. (Haitian Proverb)

The third's the charm. (English Proverb)

Our native land attracts us with some mysterious charm, never to be forgotten. (Latin Proverb)

Who lives in exile finds that spring has no charm. (Russian Proverb)

Charm the birds out of trees. (Traditional Proverb)

Third time is the charm. (Portuguese Proverb)

Small things have their own peculiar charm. (Latin Proverb)

Charm is stronger than beauty. (Maltese Proverb)

Charm is more than just beauty. (Jewish Proverb)

CHILDREN:

Old proverbs are the children of truth. (Welsh Proverb)

We have all been children. (Swedish Proverb)

Children and drunks always speak the truth.
(Traditional Proverb)

One father is better at caring for ten children
than ten children are for one father.
(Traditional Proverb)

We have not inherited the earth from our
ancestors; we have only borrowed it from our
children. (Traditional Proverb)

The man to whom god gives no children, the
devil gives nieces and nephews.
(Venezuelan Proverb)

It's better to have lots of children than to have
lots of material goods. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Trapani, red coral, Monte San Giuliano,
beautiful children. (Sicilian Proverb)

Debts are like children: the smaller they are
the more noise they make. (Spanish Proverb)

Are you a duck your mind is with your
children? (Swahili Proverb)

Debts are like children: the smaller they are
the more noise they make. (Spanish Proverb)

Are you a duck your mind is with your children?(Swahili Proverb)

If you love other people's children, you will love your own even more.(Swahili Proverb)

Alike children play the best.(Swedish Proverb)

All are children.(Swedish Proverb)

Children act in the village as they have learned at home.(Swedish Proverb)

Children travel from the heart to the heart.
(Swedish Proverb)

Children's bread is hard to chew.
(Swedish Proverb)

Where there are many midwives, children will be feeble.(Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

Children and the deaf are the punishment of God.(Sicilian Proverb)

In Polizzi you'll find water, fog, kites, and priests with children, commissions and delegates.(Sicilian Proverb)

Raising children engenders love.
(Sicilian Proverb)

The fathers ate the cranberries and the children are left with the aftertaste.

(Russian Proverb)

The mare of the smith and the children of the shoemaker always go barefooted.

(Scanian Proverb)

One father can support ten children; ten children cannot support one father.

(Romanian Proverb)

The fathers have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge.

(Romanian Proverb)

Children raised, doubled work.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Raised children, doubled work.

(Portuguese Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? "Child, it is spinning, having children, making money, and weeping.(Portuguese Proverb)

Building and marrying of children are great wasters.(Romanian Proverb)

Children when they are little make parents fools, when they are great they make them mad.(Romanian Proverb)

Before you choose a counselor, watch him with his neighbor's children.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

A person who has children does not die.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is an irresponsible adult that creates enmity because of a disagreement that arises between two children. (Nigerian Proverb)

When a woman has ten children, there is nothing that happens in the night that she does not know about. (Nigerian Proverb)

A mother's tenderness for her children is as discreet as the dew that kisses the earth.

(Nilotic Proverb)

The supreme treasure is knowledge, the middle treasure is children, and the lowest treasure is material wealth.

(Mongolian Proverb)

The ones that matter the most are the children. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

The ones that matter most are the children. They are the true human beings.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Remember that your children are not your own, but are lent to you by the creator.

(Native American Mohawk Proverb)

As a crab walks, so walk its children.

(Kpelle Proverb)

Treat the earth well. It was not given to you by your parents. It is loaned to you by your children. (Kenyan Proverb)

Treat the world well. It was not given to you by your parents. It was willed to you by your children. (Kenyan Proverb)

Children yoke parents to the past, present and future. (Japanese Proverb)

Never trust a woman, even if she has borne you seven children. (Japanese Proverb)

Respect old people, and be gentle with children. (Japanese Proverb)

The old should be treated with due respect. Children should be treated with gentleness. (Japanese Proverb)

We can laugh happily with our children, but not with money. (Japanese Proverb)

We are all Adam's children. (Italian Proverb)

Don't tell secrets to the children of your relatives.(Irish Proverb)

Our good life sure is there for us, unless we learned some bad conduct in our home as children.(Icelandic Proverb)

A house without children is a graveyard.
(Indian Proverb)

A rainy day is not a day for children.
(Irish Proverb)

Small children, a headache; big children, heartache.(Hebrew Proverb)

Even if gypsy children are dropped from the sky.(Hungarian Proverb)

Buy, buy, the children will pay the debts.
(Finnish Proverb)

Parents give birth to the body of their children, but not always to their characters.
(Ganda Proverb)

We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors; we borrow it from our children.
(Haida Proverb)

If you plan for a year, plant kalo. If you plan for ten years, plant koa. If you plan for one-hundred years, teach the children.

(Hawaiian Proverb)

Slop your hogs before you feed your children.

(English Proverb)

Wife and children are bills of charges.

(English Proverb)

Children and fools must not play with edged tools. (English Proverb)

Children learn to creep before they can go.

(English Proverb)

Little children, little problems; big children, big problems. (Corsican Proverb)

Equal children play best. (Danish Proverb)

The shoemaker's children go barefoot.

(Danish Proverb)

It is easy to be the father of children already born. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Parents are the first teachers of the children. (Burmese Proverb)

A crazy father and mother make sensible children. (Corsican Proverb)

More kindhearted than a mother to her children. (Arabic Proverb)

Quarrelling is peculiar to the woman who has got male children. (Bajan Proverb)

When a woman is hungry, she says, When a woman is hungry, she says, "Roast something for the children that they might eat."
(Ashanti Proverb)

The difference between adults and children is that adults don't ask questions.
(Albanian Proverb)

Men fear death as children do going in the dark. (Albanian Proverb)

Home is the father's kingdom, the children's paradise, the mother's world.
(Albanian Proverb)

Fools and children should never look at unfinished work. (Albanian Proverb)

When a rich man wants children, he gets dollars, when a poor man wants dollars, he gets children. (Arab Proverb)

Children are buttonholes that hold their parents together. (Arab Proverb)

We do not inherit the land from our ancestors; we borrow it from our children. (American)

Children's love is like water in a basket. (Argentine Proverb)

One father can feed seven children, but seven children cannot feed one father. (Cameroonian Proverb)

He who has a lot of money and no children is not rich; he who has many children and no money is not a pauper. (Chinese Proverb)

Treat thoughts as guests and wishes as children. (Chinese Proverb)

Children and fools shouldn't play with edged tools. (Danish Proverb)

Little children, little sorrows; big children, great sorrows. (Danish Proverb)

He who marries a widow with three children, marries four thieves. (Danish Proverb)

Children suck the mother when they are young and the father when they are old. (English Proverb)

Whoever is ashamed to sleep with his wife will never have children. (Egyptian Proverb)

More precious than our children are the children of our children. (Egyptian Proverb)

We are all Adam's children, but silk makes the difference. (English Proverb)

God helps three sorts of people: fools, children and drunkards. (French Proverb)

Children have more need of models than critics. (French Proverb)

A mother can more easily feed seven children than seven children can feed one mother. (French Proverb)

Children who get everything they ask for seldom succeed in life. (Filipino Proverb)

A silly daughter teaches her mother how to bear children. (Ethiopian Proverb)

No ape but swears he has the handsomest children. (German Proverb)

Many children, and little bread, is a painful pleasure. (German Proverb)

When a woman is hungry, she says, "Roast something for the children that they may eat." (Ghanaian Proverb)

Children learn to creep ere they can learn to go. (Haitian Proverb)

Children will tell you what they do, men what they think and older people what they have seen and heard. (Gypsy Proverb)

Bricks and mortar make a house, but the laughter of children makes a home. (Irish Proverb)

My father's planted for me, and I planted for my children. (Jewish Proverb)

Who has no children does not know what love is. (Italian Proverb)

The devil will not bother you in a house full of children. (Kurdish Proverb)

We have not inherited this land from our ancestors; rather we have borrowed it from our children. (Kenyan Proverb)

It is the duty of children to wait on elders, and not the elders on children. (Kenyan Proverb)

Whoever marries for money will have unworthy children. (Jewish Proverb)

Once it was the parents who taught their children to talk; now the children teach their parents to keep quiet. (Jewish Proverb)

Married life without children is as the day deprived of the sun's rays. (Latin Proverb)

He is a fool who spares the children after having killed the father. (Latin Proverb)

Old men's children are rarely of good constitution. (Latin Proverb)

Children of the same mother do not always agree. (Nigerian Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? Daughter, it is spinning, bearing children, and weeping. (Portuguese Proverb)

How did you rear so many children? By being fondest of the little ones. (Portuguese Proverb)

Children: one is one, two is fun, and three is a houseful. (Portuguese Proverb)

Children tell in the highway what they hear by the fireside. (Portuguese Proverb)

Children pick up words, as pigeons peas, and utter them again as God shall please.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Children speak in the field what they hear in the house.(Scottish Proverb)

When misers die, children open up their coffers.(Russian Proverb)

Debts are like children, the smaller they are the louder they scream.(Spanish Proverb)

Mother, what is marrying? Spinning, bearing children, and crying, daughter.

(Spanish Proverb)

A mother's heart is always with her children.

(Traditional Proverb)

Avoid those who don't like bread and children.

(Swiss Proverb)

God makes three requests of his children Do the best you can, where you are, with what you have, now.(Traditional Proverb)

We didn't inherit the land from our fathers. We are borrowing it from our children.

(Traditional Proverb)

Treat the earth well it was not given to you by your parents, it was loaned to you by your children. We do not inherit the Earth from our Ancestors; we borrow it from our Children.

(Traditional Proverb)

The ritual of marriage is not simply a social event it is a crossing of threads in the fabric of fate. Many strands bring the couple and their families together and spin their lives into a fabric that is woven on their children.

(Traditional Proverb)

The best gifts parents can give their children are roots and wings.(Traditional Proverb)

You have a lifetime to work, but children are only young once.(Traditional Proverb)

Children are the bridge to heaven.

(Traditional Proverb)

Children and fools tell the truth.(Spanish)

Children should be seen and not heard.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A greedy father has thieves for children.

(Serbian Proverb)

Proverbs are the children of experience.

(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

A bad mother wishes for good children.
(Spanish Proverb)

Children married, cares increased.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Children grow up, with or without parents.
(Japanese Proverb)

Thirteen nuns, fourteen children!
(German Proverb)

Old men are twice children. (Greek Proverb)

Children aren't dogs; adults aren't gods.
(Haitian Proverb)

Children have wide ears and long tongues.
(Haitian Proverb)

Beloved children have many names.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Heaven protects children, sailors, and
drunken men. (German Proverb)

Our neighbor's children are always the worst.
(German Proverb)

There are no children now-a-days.
(French Proverb)

Children and fools speak the truth.

(German Proverb)

Children are what they are made.

(French Proverb)

Children and fools are prophets.

(French Proverb)

Children and fools have merry lives.

(French Proverb)

Children are poor men's riches.

(English Proverb)

Late children are early orphans.

(English Proverb)

Children have a hair of their father.

(Belgian Proverb)

Bad children? Guilty parents!

(Burmese Proverb)

Children are the reward of life.

(Congolese Proverb)

Blacksmith's children are not afraid of sparks.

(Danish Proverb)

Children and drunken men speak the truth.

(Danish Proverb)

Children are a poor man's wealth.

(Danish Proverb)

Children are certain cares, but uncertain comforts. (Danish Proverb)

Children are certain sorrow, but uncertain joy. (Danish Proverb)

Children are the riches of the poor. (Danish Proverb)

Pretty children sing pretty songs. (Danish Proverb)

CHRISTIANITY:

The thief who can't steal anymore has become a Christian. (Sicilian Proverb)

Fresh port and new wine send a Christian to the churchyard. (Spanish Proverb)

Alms do not decrease, going to church does not hinder. (Swedish Proverb)

Charity does not lessen you; going to church does not hinder you. (Swedish Proverb)

A Christian is more of a scoundrel than a rascal of a non-believer. (Sicilian Proverb)

Get a Christian doctor and a pagan lawyer. (Sicilian Proverb)

Like priest, like church. (Russian Proverb)

The church is near but the road is icy; the bar is far away but I'll walk carefully. (Russian Proverb)

The good won't be spoiled in an inn, so the bad won't be mended in a church. (Polish Proverb)

Christmas in mud, Easter in snow. (Romanian Proverb)

As poor as a church mouse. (Manx Proverb)

Christ is powerful, but more powerful is destiny. (Icelandic Proverb)

A goose never voted for an early Christmas. (Irish Proverb)

He is as poor as a church mouse. (Hungarian Proverb)

He, who is a friend of Christ, will soon find salvation. (Hungarian Proverb)

Black Christmas, white Easter.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Two are holy: a church and a sauna.

(Finnish Proverb)

What the church doesn't take, the exchequer carries away.

(English Proverb)

Where god builds a church, the devil will build a chapel.

(English Proverb)

No matter how long the procession, it still ends up in church.

(Filipino Proverb)

Christ doesn't pay every Friday evening.

(Corsican Proverb)

Christmas on the balcony, Easter by the fire.

(Corsican Proverb)

Whether bad or good, Christ doesn't say why it happens.

(Corsican Proverb)

It costs something to be a Christian, but it costs more to be a sinner.

(Albanian Proverb)

Good resolutions are like babies crying in church, they should be carried out immediately.

(African Proverb)

Christmas comes, but once a year is enough. (American Proverb)

The sound of a church bell at times has more effect than a sermon. (American Proverb)

A good example is like a bell that calls many to church. (Danish Proverb)

Without money one cannot go anywhere, not even to church. (Croatian Proverb)

The church is an anvil which has worn out many hammers. (Danish Proverb)

It is good to be priest at Easter, child in Lent, peasant at Christmas, and foal in harvest-time. (Danish Proverb)

He that has the luck leads the bride to church. (Dutch Proverb)

All are not saints that go to church. (Dutch Proverb)

When the devil gets into the church he seats himself on the altar. (Dutch Proverb)

Christmas has been talked of so long that it has come at last. (French Proverb)

Do not choose your wife on your way to the church. (Estonian Proverb)

What the child hears at the fireside is soon known at the parish church. (French Proverb)

He who is near the Church is often far from God. (French Proverb)

In the visible church the true Christians are invisible. (German Proverb)

He who lives by the church shall serve the church. (German Proverb)

Folks say there is a lack of four sorts of people on earth: of priests, else one would not have six or seven benefices; of gentleman, else every boor would not want to be a squire; of whores, else married women and nuns would not carry on the trade; of Jews, else Christians would not practise usury. (German Proverb)

Let the devil get into the church, and he will mount the altar. (German Proverb)

O what we must suffer for the sake of God's church! Said the abbot, when the roast fowl burned his fingers. (German Proverb)

The nearer the church the farther from God. (German Proverb)

When Christ was along, the devil tempted him. (German Proverb)

What is not taken by the Church is taken by the Exchequer. (German Proverb)

Where God builds a church, the devil builds a chapel. (German Proverb)

The gypsy church was made of pork and the dogs ate it. (Gypsy Proverb)

A cask of wine works more miracles than a church full of saints. (Italian Proverb)

When the goat goes to church, he does not stop till he gets to the altar. (Irish Proverb)

A turkey never voted for an early Christmas. (Irish Proverb)

He is a good dog who goes to church. (Italian Proverb)

All are not saints who go to church. (Italian Proverb)

Many scruple to spit in church, and afterwards defile the altar. (Italian Proverb)

The church is nearby, God is far away. (Lithuanian Proverb)

If it weren't for sorrow and bad times, every day would be Christmas. (Lithuanian Proverb)

The blood of the martyrs is the seed of the Church. (New Zealander Proverb)

Too many candles will burn down the church. (Portuguese Proverb)

Love one another said Christ, but he didn't mention anything about preferences. (Polish Proverb)

In church, in the taverns, and in coffins all men are equal. (Polish Proverb)

To set fire to a church is not so bad as to speak ill of a virgin. (Serbian Proverb)

He who would thrive must follow the church, the sea, or the king's service. (Spanish Proverb)

Fresh port and new wine send a Christian to the churchyard. (Kill a man before his time.) (Spanish Proverb)

The church, the sea, or the royal household, for whoever would thrive. (Spanish Proverb)

What Christ does not take the exchequer takes. (Spanish Proverb)

The Jew ruins himself with Passovers, the Moor with wedding feasts, and the Christian with lawsuits. (Spanish Proverb)

Bells call others, but themselves enter not into the Church. (Traditional Proverb)

The church is near, but the way is icy. The tavern is far, but I will walk carefully. (Ukranian Proverb)

Too much wax burns the church. (Portuguese Proverb)

Jesus Christ was crucified by public opinion. (Russian Proverb)

More unlucky than dogs in church. (Italian Proverb)

Near the church far from God. (Italian Proverb)

When there is nothing the church loses. (Italian Proverb)

With the Gospel men may become heretics. (Italian Proverb)

Poor is the church without music. (Irish)

Christmas comes but once a year. (Italian)

Green Christmas, white Easter.

(German Proverb)

Lawyers are bad Christians.(German Proverb)

A church stone drops gold.(Gaelic Proverb)

A baptized Jew is a circumcised Christian.

(German Proverb)

After Christmas comes Lent.(German Proverb)

Christians have no neighbors.(German)

The better lawyer, the worse Christian.

(Dutch Proverb)

Another year will bring another Christmas.

(Danish Proverb)

No church without a sermon.(Czech Proverb)

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CITIZENSHIP:

Respect for ones parents is the highest duty of civil life.(Chinese Proverb)

A civil question deserves a civil answer.
(French Proverb)

CITY:

When in the city of the pretenders. Be pretending.(Thai Proverb)

Wives from the mountains and husbands from the cities.(Sicilian Proverb)

Many are the lords of the cities and the slaves of women.(Sicilian Proverb)

Monreale, a city without comfort, either it rains, or the wind blows, or bells ring for the dead.(Sicilian Proverb)

If each person would sweep before his own house, the city would soon be clean.
(Polish Proverb)

Better a patient man than a warrior, one who controls his temper than one who takes a city.
(Moroccan Proverb)

A shy woman is worth a city, a shy man is worth a goat.(Kurdish Proverb)

If every man would sweep before his own door, the city would soon be clean.(Italian Proverb)

You can close the city gates, but you can't close the people's mouths. It's better to flee and stay alive than to die and become a hero. A timely tear is better than a misplaced smile.(Iranian Proverb)

When you're in a strange city, adopt its manners.(Hebrew Proverb)

Do not dwell in a city where a horse does not neigh nor a dog bark.(English Proverb)

When you are poor, you will have no visitors even if you live in a crowded city; once you become rich, you'll be surprised by visitors from alleged relatives even if you live in a remote location.(Chinese Proverb)

The disgrace of the city is the fault of the citizens.(Albanian Proverb)

A bad man in Zion City is a good man in Chicago.(American Proverb)

The scholar builds the cities, the woman knocks them down.(Chinese Proverb)

The city, whose physician has the gout, is in a bad state. (Jewish Proverb)

You can close the city gates but not the mouths of men. (Persian Proverb)

If you enter the city of the blind, cover your eyes. (Persian Proverb)

'Hamburgers' and 'Frankfurters' are named after cities in Germany. (Traditional Proverb)

Do not dwell in a city whose governor is a physician. (Traditional Proverb)

If every man would sweep his own door-step the city would soon be clean. (Welsh Proverb)

Good and bad make up a city. (Portuguese Proverb)

A great city a great desert. (Latin Proverb)

CLOTHING:

There is no bad weather only bad clothing. (Swedish Proverb)

Who dresses in the clothing of others, will soon undress. (Sicilian Proverb)

That which eats you up is in your clothing.
(Swahili Proverb)

A pretty person looks pretty in every clothing.
(Polish Proverb)

Kyoto people ruin themselves for clothing.
Osaka people for food. (Japanese Proverb)

There is no such thing as bad weather, only
bad clothing. (African Proverb)

When God gives a child, he also gives the
clothing. (Estonian Proverb)

There's no shame in clothing you haven't cut
yourself. (Norwegian Proverb)

Insecurity is love dressed in a child's
clothing. (Traditional Proverb)

Needle and thread are half clothing.
(Spanish Proverb)

A wolf in sheep's clothing. (Dutch Proverb)

Wolves are often hidden under sheep's
clothing. (Danish Proverb)

COFFEE:

Out of all cookery, the coffee laced with schnapps is the best. (Scanian Proverb)

Coffee and love taste best when hot. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Coffee is our bread. (Ethiopian Proverb)

No bread is too hard for warm coffee. (Filipino Proverb)

Coffee from the top of the cup and chocolate from the bottom. (Cuban Proverb)

An American will go to hell for a bag of coffee. (American Proverb)

Coffee has two virtues, it's wet and it's warm. (Dutch Proverb)

Coffee and love are best when they are hot. (German Proverb)

You can't take the milk back from the coffee. (Jamaican Proverb)

A cup of coffee commits one to forty years of friendship. (Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as night, hot as hell,
and strong as love. (Traditional Proverb)

Men should be like coffee, hot sweet and
strong. (Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as Hell, strong as
death, and sweet as love. (Turkish Proverb)

COMMUNISM:

Communism is a cow of many; well milked
and badly fed. (Spanish Proverb)

COMMUNITIES:

If the imam farts, the community will shift.
(Turkish Proverb)

The elders of a community are the voice of
God. (Nigerian Proverb)

In a community, your reputation matters. In a
strange place, your clothing counts.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Join the community: the wolf snatches only the stray sheep that wanders off from the flock. (Hebrew Proverb)

The community is Israel's rampart. (Hebrew Proverb)

We must not appoint a leader over the community without first consulting the people. (Hebrew Proverb)

Using writings to form a community. (Confucian Proverb)

The wealth of the greedy ultimately goes to the community. (African Proverb)

In a community it's better every person to have a little of something than one person to have everything. (African Proverb)

Community is not made by force. (Afghan Proverb)

Communities begin by building their kitchen. (French Proverb)

COMPETENCE:

Stay within your level of competence. (Sicilian Proverb)

A small competence is best.(Latin Proverb)

COMPETITION:

Never let the competition know what you're thinking.(Klingon Proverb)

Once you've started a competition, you must carry it to the finish.(African Proverb)

People will ignore their misfortunes and their interests when they are in competition with their pleasures.(French Proverb)

Competition is the whetstone of talent.
(Traditional Proverb)

Compete not with a friend.(Latin Proverb)

Compete, don't envy.(Arab Proverb)

COMPLAINT:

Pay what you owe, and be cured of your complaint.(Spanish Proverb)

Complaining to someone other than God is disgraceful.(Arabic Proverb)

Complaining is the weak's weapon.

(Arabic Proverb)

A man who was always complaining was quite rightly sent to hell. (Arabic Proverb)

A man who was always complaining was quite rightly sent to hell. "Why are you burning damp wood?" was his first comment.

(Arab Proverb)

It's as difficult to be rich without bragging as it is to be poor without complaining.

(Chinese Proverb)

Instead of complaining that the rosebush is full of thorns, be happy that the thorn bush has roses. (German Proverb)

No attention is paid to him who is always complaining. (Kenyan Proverb)

If the judge is against you, you should withdraw the complaint. (Moroccan Proverb)

The rich are always complaining.

(Zulu Proverb)

Patience cures many an old complaint.

(Traditional Proverb)

Abstinence and fasting cure many a complaint. (Danish Proverb)

CONCEIT:

Answer a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own conceit. (Biblical Proverb)

Conceit is the self satisfaction of a jackass. (Albanian Proverb)

The monkey says there is nothing better than poverty to unlearn man of his conceit. (Ghanaian Proverb)

CONFESSION:

Better to be wrongfully excommunicated than to make a death bed confession. (Sicilian Proverb)

Confession without contrition serves no purpose. (Sicilian Proverb)

Confessions without contrition and prayers without intentions are time lost. (Sicilian Proverb)

The more sins you confess, the more books you will sell. (American Proverb)

Confess you were wrong yesterday it will show you are wise today. (Traditional Proverb)

He, who keeps his mouth shut, dies without confession. (Walloon Proverb)

Confess and be hanged. (Portuguese Proverb)

Confession is good for the soul.
(Scottish Proverb)

Open confession is good for the soul.
(Scottish Proverb)

Revenge is a confession of pain.
(Latin Proverb)

The joker confesses. (Italian Proverb)

He that jokes, confesses. (Italian Proverb)

Confession is the first step to repentance.
(English Proverb)

CONFIDENCE:

In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength. (Togolese Proverb)

Pass by the place that was robbed with confidence. (Sicilian Proverb)

He, who once ventures to lie, deserves no more confidence. (Hungarian Proverb)

The bridge between joy and sorrow is not long. Confidence begets confidence. (German Proverb)

Do not be excessively timid or excessively confident. (Cuban Proverb)

Confidence of success is almost success. (Albanian Proverb)

Confidence is a plant of slow growth. (Albanian Proverb)

Have confidence, but beware in whom. (Latin Proverb)

Many promises impair confidence. (Latin Proverb)

Confidence begets confidence. (German)

Politeness wins the confidence of princes.
(Chinese Proverb)

CONSCIENCE:

The best asset is a clean conscience.
(Polish Proverb)

No one else can represent your conscience.
(Native American Anishinabe Proverb)

A wealthy man can afford anything except a conscience.(Klingon Proverb)

A good conscience is a soft pillow.
(German Proverb)

The belly does not have a conscience.
(German Proverb)

A clear conscience is far more valuable than money.(Filipino Proverb)

A good conscience is a continual feast.
(English Proverb)

In the courtroom of the conscience, a case is always in progress.(Dutch Proverb)

A clear conscience is the greatest armor.
(Chinese Proverb)

You can't kid your conscience.
(Albanian Proverb)

Conscience is only another name for truth.
(Albanian Proverb)

A guilty conscience is a hidden enemy.
(Albanian Proverb)

A clear conscience is a good pillow.
(Albanian Proverb)

A clear conscience is a coat of mail.
(Albanian Proverb)

The man whose conscience is clear will never
fear a knock on the door at midnight.
(Chinese Proverb)

You may often feel that heavily on your back
which you took lightly on your
conscience.(Danish Proverb)

A clear conscience is more valuable than
wealth.(Filipino Proverb)

There is no pillow so soft as a clear
conscience.(French Proverb)

Doctors purge the body, ministers the conscience, lawyers the purse.(German)

Better a good conscience without wisdom than wisdom without a good conscience.
(German Proverb)

A good conscience is like a soft pillow.
(German Proverb)

A lie has no author, nor a liar a conscience.
(Indian Proverb)

Conscience is as good as a thousand witnesses.(Italian Proverb)

A good conscience is better than a big wage.(Jamaican Proverb)

A pain that pricks the conscience is more effective than a lot of whiplashes.
(Jewish Proverb)

A clear conscience is a wall of brass.
(Latin Proverb)

My conscience is more to me than what the world says. (Latin Proverb)

Conscience is what tells you not to do what you have just done.(Spanish Proverb)

A turn of the key is better than the conscience of a friar. (Spanish Proverb)

Conscience is the dog that can't bite, but never stops barking. (Traditional Proverb)

Be the master of your will and the slave of your conscience. (Traditional Proverb)

It is always term-Time in the Court of Conscience. (Traditional Proverb)

Conscience is the nest where all good is hatched. (Welsh Proverb)

A clear conscience is a soft pillow. (Traditional Proverb)

Conscience is the voice of the soul. (Polish Proverb)

A grand eloquence, little conscience. (Spanish Proverb)

At the bar of one's own conscience. (Latin Proverb)

Conscience betrays guilt. (Latin Proverb)

Conscience is as a thousand witnesses. (Latin Proverb)

A guilty conscience is a lively enemy.
(Indian Proverb)

Conscience is the chamber of justice.
(Italian Proverb)

Conscience makes cowards of us all.
(Italian Proverb)

The belly has no conscience.
(German Proverb)

Conscience cannot be compelled.
(English Proverb)

CONSTITUTION:

He keeps watch over a good castle that has guarded his own constitution. (Latin Proverb)

Old men's children are rarely of good constitution. (Latin Proverb)

Idleness ruins the constitution.
(Latin Proverb)

The constitution is paper, bayonets are steel. (Haitian Proverb)

COOKING:

The more chefs, the better the soup.

(Swedish Proverb)

A frog living at the bottom of the well thinks that the sky is as small as a cooking pot lid.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

A brother is a cooking pot, and a neighbor is a cooking pot lid. (Swahili Proverb)

Rice is all one but they are many ways of cooking it. (Swahili Proverb)

Two smells of cooking meat break the hyena's legs. (Kikuyu Proverb)

A person, who never travels, believes his mother's cooking is the best in the world. (Kiganda Proverb)

The broth is cooking, and now we have to act as one. (Bedouin Proverb)

Too many cooks, cooking at the same time makes the day take long to break. (African Proverb)

Removing a piece of yam from the pot of yam doesn't stop the rest from cooking. (African)

If you sit with us, you will get like us; if you sit beside a cooking pot, you will get black.

(Afghan Proverb)

Never eat in a restaurant where the chef is thin.(Chinese Proverb)

We all like lamb; each has a different way of cooking it.(Chinese Proverb)

Even if a chef cooks just a fly, he would keep the breast for himself.(Polish Proverb)

If a pot is cooking, the friendship will stay warm.(Traditional Proverb)

CONTEMPLATION:

Seek truth in meditation, not in moldy books. Look in the sky to find the moon, not in the pond.(Persian Proverb)

Those who rush things too much, without reflection, can be surpassed by those who take their time.(Malagasy Proverb)

Obeisance to the self that is a reflection of eternal reality.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Woman, impromptu; man, on reflection.
(Italian Proverb)

Study without reflection is a waste of time;
reflection without study is dangerous.

(Chinese Proverb)

Mistaking the reflection of a bow in a cup for a
snake. (Chinese Proverb)

First bake the strudel then sit down and
ponder. (Austrian Proverb)

When in charge, ponder. (Albanian Proverb)

Reading makes a full man, meditation a
profound man, discourse a clear man.
(Albanian Proverb)

As soon as you question someone's integrity, it
is a reflection of your own. (African Proverb)

When in charge, ponder. When in trouble,
delegate. When in doubt, mumble. (American)

If you see in your wine the reflection of a
person not in your range of vision, don't drink
it. (Chinese Proverb)

Ponder long before you act. (Latin Proverb)

Pondering over many things by night.
(Latin Proverb)

Woman decides impromptu; man, on reflection. (Italian Proverb)

Women are wise impromptu, fools on reflection. (Italian Proverb)

At a good bargain pause and ponder. (Italian Proverb)

A reflection does not see itself. (African)

COUNTRIES:

The zawan of your own country is better than the wheat of strangers. (Syrian Proverb)

Having drunk the country's water, one should obey the country's laws. (Tibetan Proverb)

He who enjoys the first fruit of a country is son of that country. (Swahili Proverb)

The destroyer of a country is a citizen of that country. (Swahili Proverb)

A new doctor is a plague on the country. (Sicilian Proverb)

Dress up a country bumpkin and he looks like a baron. (Sicilian Proverb)

Where is well with me, there is my country.
(Romanian Proverb)

The whole Soviet country is visible from the Kremlin. (Russian Proverb)

All the Corn in the Country is not shorn by the Kempers. (Scottish Proverb)

A prophet has no honor in his own country.
(Romanian Proverb)

The clown is best in his own country, and the gentleman anywhere. (Mexican Proverb)

Govern a country as you would roast a crocodile on a spit. (Malagasy Proverb)

Gold rain drops on a foreign country, where else rain of stones drops on our country, but our country is better. (Malay Proverb)

A good man finds his native soil in every country. (Mexican Proverb)

Learning means loving the country.
(Laotian Proverb)

Destroy a country, but its mountains and rivers remain. (Japanese Proverb)

Forgetting your native tongue means forgetting your native country. (Japanese Proverb)

The country is in ruins, and there are still mountains and rivers. (Japanese Proverb)

If one comes to a fork of the road in a strange country, she stops to think. (Jabo Proverb)

One-eye man a king a blind country. (Jamaican Proverb)

Nobody is a prophet in his own country. (Hungarian Proverb)

In a treeless country, the castor-oil plant is a big tree. (Hindi Proverb)

The hyena of your own country does not break your bones. (Giryama Proverb)

The skin creaks according to the country. (Ethiopian Proverb)

In every country dogs bite. (English Proverb)

With your hat in your hand you can travel the entire country. (Dutch Proverb)

Negotiate a river by following its bends; enter a country by following its customs. (Cambodian)

On entering a country, ask what is forbidden, on entering a village, ask what are the customs, on entering a private house, ask what should not be mentioned.

(Chinese Proverb)

Loving your country is pious.(Arabic Proverb)

You can't be in the town and be in the country too.(Bajan Proverb)

There is no return, worse luck; for could I return, I would foresee what has come into the country.(Bantu Proverb)

Young man, countries practice witchcraft on one another.(Bantu Proverb)

He builds a castle by demolishing a country.(Arabic Proverb)

Days are countries.(Arabic Proverb)

Any visitor to the country who drinks from the River Bengo will never want to leave.(Angolan Proverb)

To lie about a far country is easy.(Amharic)

An honest citizen is an exile in his own country.(Albanian Proverb)

A foreign cock can never crow in a foreign country. (African Proverb)

The mud of one country is the medicine of another. (Afghan Proverb)

The one-eyed person is a beauty in the country of the blind. (Arab Proverb)

The one-eyed person is a beauty in the country of the blind. (Arab Proverb)

An old friend met in a far country is like rain after drought. (Chinese Proverb)

On entering a country, ask what is forbidden, on entering a village, ask what the customs, on entering a private house are, and ask what should not be mentioned. (Chinese Proverb)

It is easier to govern a country than a son. (Chinese Proverb)

Going into a country the first time, ask what is forbidden; on entering a village, ask what the customs are; on entering a private house, ask what should not be mentioned. (Chinese)

To meet an old friend in a distant country is like the delight of rain after a long drought. (Chinese Proverb)

A clever man's inheritance is found in every country. (Danish Proverb)

No man is a prophet in his own country. (French Proverb)

A prophet is not without honor save in his own country. (German Proverb)

A country can be judged by the quality of its proverbs. (German Proverb)

The good cow gets sold in its own country. (Maltese Proverb)

The turtle lays thousands of eggs without anyone knowing, but when the hen lays an egg, the whole country is informed. (Malay)

When you are looking for a country with no tombstones you will find yourself in the land of cannibals. (Malagasy Proverb)

The king inherits a country -- the people only hard work. (Malagasy Proverb)

A good citizen owes his life to his country. (Russian Proverb)

A drop of water in the eyes of the Tsar costs the country many handkerchiefs. (Russian)

If the farmer is poor then so is the whole country. (Polish Proverb)

You can take the boy out of the country, but you can't take the country out of the boy. (Rwandan Proverb)

The one-eyed man is a king in the country of the blind. (Spanish Proverb)

A great war leaves the country with three armies - an army of cripples, an army of mourners, and an army of thieves. (Traditional Proverb)

Either drive this camel to pasture or leave the country. (Traditional Proverb)

The prosperity of a country is in accordance with its treatment of the aged. (Traditional Proverb)

Follow the customs or flee the country. (Zulu Proverb)

Every country has its custom. (Spanish Proverb)

For God and our country. (Latin Proverb)

God, King, Country. (Latin Proverb)

It's a free country.(Italian Proverb)

Who changes country changes luck.
(Italian Proverb)

Every country is a fatherland.(Greek Proverb)

So many countries, so many customs.
(German Proverb)

Dogs have teeth in all countries.
(Dutch Proverb)

COURAGE:

It's not so terrible when you lose money. When
courage is lost, all is lost.(Yiddish Proverb)

Some have been thought brave because they
didn't have the courage to run away.
(Traditional Proverb)

The brave is known by his fame.
(Turkish Proverb)

In the home of the coward they laugh while in
the home of the brave they cry.
(Ugandan Proverb)

Even the brave are scared by a lion three times: first by its tracks, again by its roar, and one last time face to face. (Somali Proverb)

Courage is not the same as fighting someone stronger than you. (Swahili Proverb)

Courage wins over sickness. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who is brave eats two. (Russian Proverb)

Boldness is the fruit of hope. (Filipino Proverb)

Charms do not perform miracles on the shelf; they perform for those who are brave. (Nigerian Proverb)

Courage is the father of success. (Nigerian Proverb)

The spirit that keeps one going when one has no choice of what else to do must not be mistaken for valor. (Nigerian Proverb)

The weak warrior wearing sandals overcomes the brave with a thorn in his foot. (Nigerian Proverb)

To fight once shows bravery, but to fight all the time is stupid. (Oromo Proverb)

Courage is illusion; balance is the best we can get. (Moroccan Proverb)

Be brave where bravery is honorable.
(Native American Assiniboine Proverb)

Everything is pardoned the brave..
(Kurdish Proverb)

Mr. Not-present was the brave man.
(Lamba Proverb)

A beard is a symbol of courage.
(Klingon Proverb)

Always it is the brave ones who die.
(Klingon Proverb)

Mr. Not-present was the brave man.
(Lamba Proverb)

A wise man does not lose his way, a brave man does not fear. (Japanese Proverb)

The man of courage never lost it.
(Irish Proverb)

Criticism of the brave is behind his back.
(Igbo Proverb)

It's a brave bird that makes its nest in the cat's ear. (Indian Proverb)

Luck belongs to the brave.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Those who train themselves in wisdom
cultivate true courage. (Hebrew Proverb)

Who can find a woman of valor? Her price is
far above rubies. (Hebrew Proverb)

True courage knows how to suffer.

(Haitian Proverb)

None but the brave deserve the fair.

(English Proverb)

A man of courage never wants weapons.

(English Proverb)

Cowards die many times, but a brave man
only dies once. (English Proverb)

You can be a king, if you are brave.

(Burmese Proverb)

You fail if you're afraid. Or brave, you may
become a king. (Burmese Proverb)

Alertness and courage is life's shield.

(Burmese Proverb)

One can't die if he's brave. Even when he dies his name lasts forever. (Burmese Proverb)

Strength does not correspond with courage. (Bajan Proverb)

Opinion comes before the bravery of the braves. (Arabic Proverb)

One man with courage is a majority. (Albanian Proverb)

Without justice, courage is weak. (Albanian)

One man with courage is a majority. (Albanian Proverb)

Have the courage not to adopt another's courage. (Albanian Proverb)

Happiness is a form of courage. (Albanian Proverb)

Fortune can take away riches but not courage. (Albanian Proverb)

Courage without conduct is like a ship without ballast. (Albanian Proverb)

Courage is fear that has said its prayers. (Albanian Proverb)

Boldness does not always succeed.

(Albanian Proverb)

Behind every sweaty face of a cattle rustler is a story of determination and courage.

(African Proverb)

A scared dog barks to pretend to its master but a brave dog bits to protect him.

(African Proverb)

The fox will catch you with cunning, and the wolf with courage.

(Albanian Proverb)

There are three friends in this world: courage, sense, and insight.

(African Proverb)

Earth belongs to the brave but heaven to those who deserve it.

(Basque Proverb)

Courage is ten; nine is the ability to escape.

(Azerbaijani Proverb)

To threaten the brave with death is like promising water to a duck.

(Arab Proverb)

The world goes as men make it go; and men are free to make it go otherwise, if they have the courage.

(Darkovan Proverb)

To-day stately and brave, to-morrow in the grave.

(Dutch Proverb)

Against change of fortune set a brave heart.
(French Proverb)

A coward often deals a mortal blow to the brave.(French Proverb)

To call war the soil of courage and virtue is like calling debauchery the soil of love.
(German Proverb)

Let him not be a lover who has not courage.
(Italian Proverb)

Let him not be a lover who has not courage.
(Italian Proverb)

You cannot discover new oceans unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore.
(Italian Proverb)

A fire is nourished by its own ashes.
[Difficulties embolden rather than impede the brave.](Latin Proverb)

When you have no choice, mobilize the spirit of courage.(Jewish Proverb)

Fortune smiles on the brave, and frowns upon the coward.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune fears the brave and crushes the cowardly.(Latin Proverb)

Courage is the mistress and queen of all virtues. (Latin Proverb)

By a brave endurance of unavoidable evils, we conquer them. (Latin Proverb)

Boldness in business is the first, second, and third thing. (Latin Proverb)

Hope gives strength and courage, and saves an otherwise dying man from his grave. (Latin Proverb)

Hitherto I gave you credit for having horns. [I gave you credit for not being wanting in courage.] (Latin Proverb)

Bravery without foresight is like a blind horse. (Persian Proverb)

Seek the brave in prison and the stupid among the clergy. (Russian Proverb)

It little avails the unfortunate to be brave. (Spanish Proverb)

In the face of love and death, courage is useless. (Spanish Proverb)

For whom sword and courage are not enough, corselet and lance will not be enough. (Spanish Proverb)

Before the time, great courage; when at the point, great fear. (Spanish Proverb)

And old rat is a brave rat. (Traditional Proverb)

All the brave men are dead.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fortune favors the brave. (Latin Proverb)

Fortune helps the brave. (Latin Proverb)

Be brave, not ferocious. (Latin Proverb)

Brave men lived before Agamemnon.
(Latin Proverb)

Courage is a kingdom without a crown.
(Jewish Proverb)

Two-thirds of help is to give courage.
(Irish Proverb)

Rage avails less than courage.
(French Proverb)

Courage is often caused by fear.
(French Proverb)

A short sword for a brave man.
(French Proverb)

An old rat is a brave rat.(French Proverb)

Anger edges valor.(English Proverb)

Discretion is the better part of valor.
(English Proverb)

Courage mounteth with occasion.
(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Courage cannot be bought at the inn.
(Corsican Proverb)

Bravery without intelligence is not bravery.
(Arab Proverb)

COURTESY:

Punctuality is the politeness of kings.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Pluck not a courtesy in the bud.
(English Proverb)

He that asketh a courtesy promiseth a kindness.(English Proverb)

Full of courtesy, full of cunning.
(Chinese Proverb)

Politeness is not sold in the bazaar.

(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Too much courtesy, too much craft.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy on one side only never lasts for long.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy is the password to safety.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy is appropriate for gentlemen and necessary for thieves. (Albanian Proverb)

Be cautious but polite. (Albanian Proverb)

When your neighbor walks through your orchard, the polite thing to do is to ignore it.

(Chinese Proverb)

Courtesy that is all on one side cannot last long. (French Proverb)

When you are polite, the others think they are wearing flowers. (Japanese Proverb)

Less of your courtesy, and more of your purse. (Latin Proverb)

Courtesy on one side can never last long.

(Persian Proverb)

To serve our elders is a duty, our equals it is polite, but serving the young is humiliating.

(Serbian Proverb)

Nothing is nobler than politeness, and nothing more ridiculous than ceremony.

(Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers. (Traditional)

Full of courtesy, full of craft. (Latin Proverb)

Too much politeness is impertinent.

(Japanese Proverb)

An excess of courtesy is discourtesy.

(Japanese Proverb)

Politeness is what warmth to wax.

(German Proverb)

Politeness travels on short fares.

(German Proverb)

Punctuality is the politeness of princes.

(French Proverb)

Learn politeness from the impolite.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Courtesy never offended anybody.

(Chinese Proverb)

Politeness wins the confidence of princes.

(Chinese Proverb)

Too much politeness conceals deceit.

(Chinese Proverb)

Polite words open iron gates.(Croatian Proverb)

Politeness pleases even a cat.(Czech Proverb)

If you have no money, be polite.

(Danish Proverb)

COW:

You don't miss the cow until the stall is empty.(Swedish Proverb)

Building the fence, when the cows are all stole.(Thai Proverb)

To love a cow, tie it up; to love a child, hit him/her.(Thai Proverb)

Who wants yoghurt in winter must carry a cow in his pocket.(Turkish Proverb)

You master, I master, who milking this cow?
(Turkish Proverb)

When hitting the horn of a single cow, the
horns of a thousand cows hurt.(Tywa Proverb)

The goat is not big in a cow town.(Vai Proverb)

The tail of the cow watches to the right and
left.(Wadchagga Proverb)

They have taken the cow by the horns in order
to milk it better.(Sudanese Proverb)

A cow is not oppressed by its own hump.
(Swahili Proverb)

A single hand cannot slaughter a cow.
(Swahili Proverb)

The eater of a goat pays back a cow.
(Swahili Proverb)

He that owes the Cow goes nearest her tail.
(Scottish Proverb)

He tints never a Cow, that grate for a needle.
(Scottish Proverb)

It is a bare Moor that he goes over, and gets
not a Cow.(Scottish Proverb)

Take a man by his word, and a Cow by her horn. (Scottish Proverb)

For a cow and a calf you need a man and a stable boy. (Sicilian Proverb)

For the very best, drink milk from the goat, ricotta from the sheep and cheese from the cow. (Sicilian Proverb)

Plow with the oxen and seed with the cows at their own pace. (Sicilian Proverb)

Cows forget that they were calves. (Russian)

Set a cow to catch a hare. (Romanian Proverb)

Cows forget that they were calves.
(Russian Proverb)

God bestows no horns upon an ill-tempered cow. (Russian Proverb)

God does not give horns to a cow that likes to gore. (Russian Proverb)

Overseas, a cow a quarter of kopeck, but a ruble to ship. (Russian Proverb)

Overseas, a cow costs a quarter of kopeck, but it will cost a ruble to ship it here. (Russian)

A good Cow may have an ill Calf.

(Scottish Proverb)

An ill-wily Cow should have short horns.

(Scottish Proverb)

Better saucht with little aucht, nor care with many cow. (Scottish Proverb)

Bring a Cow to the Hall, and she will run to the byre again. (Scottish Proverb)

You can wait till the cows come home.

(Polish Proverb)

God keeps away flies from the tailless cow.

(Nigerian Proverb)

When mother cow is cropping grass, her young one watches her mouth. (Nigerian)

To win a dispute is to gain a chicken and lose a cow. (Mexican Proverb)

The cow has no owner. (Maasai Proverb)

Milk belongs to the cow, but the bull cow gets the publicity. (Malay Proverb)

Whoever is fond of cream should take the cow around with him. (Kurdish Proverb)

The only friendly cow is the one which gives milk. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Any man who owns a cow can always find a woman to milk her. (Irish Proverb)

'Every man to his fancy, and me to my own fancy,' said the old woman when she kissed her cow. (Irish Proverb)

Everyone is nice till the cow gets into the garden. (Irish Proverb)

There's little value in the single cow. (Irish Proverb)

Where comes a cow the wise man lay down, there follows a woman, and where comes a woman follows trouble. (Irish Proverb)

A man of one cow - a man of no cow. (Irish Proverb)

God takes care of a blind cow. (Hindi Proverb)

All cows are black in the dark. (Hungarian Proverb)

Cow's diets have never been sustained on grass grown in May. (Finnish Proverb)

Rather a man without a cow for the summer than without a wife for Christmas night.

(Finnish Proverb)

However black a cow is, the milk is always white.

(Gambian Proverb)

When they came to milk the cow she said "I am an ox", and when they came to harness her she said "I am a cow".

(Georgian Proverb)

It is easier to milk a cow that stands still.

(Gypsy Proverb)

A cow, a cow.

(Hebrew Proverb)

They think a calf a large beast that never saw a cow.

(English Proverb)

When the cow has been sold with firmness you may relax for a while and go for a better one.

(English Proverb)

Why pay for the cow when the milk is free?

(English Proverb)

Cow dung can't be gathered where no cow has been.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Her horns are too heavy for the cow.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

It's the owner of the cow who walks close to her tail. (Faroese Proverb)

No cows, no cares. (English Proverb)

Don't eat the calf in the cow's belly. (English)

You can't take a cow from a man who has no cows. (Danish Proverb)

Milk the cow, but don't pull off the udder. (Dutch Proverb)

Forgetting the cow, when going out to plough. (Burmese Proverb)

Harrow before the cow. (Burmese Proverb)

Old cows like young grass. (Burmese Proverb)

Going to law is losing a cow for the sake of a cat. (Chinese Proverb)

The cow is given a present when her calf is carried away. (Bajan Proverb)

The good milking cow is praised after her death. (Bajan Proverb)

Two poor cows do make up good dung. (Bajan Proverb)

When yuh ain't got horse, ride cow.

(Bajan Proverb)

The more cowherds there are, the worse the cows are looked after. (Bengali Proverb)

Why buy the cow when you can get the milk for free? (Albanian Proverb)

There's no use asking the cow to pour you a glass of milk. (Albanian Proverb)

Cows can catch no rabbits. (Albanian Proverb)

Night brings the cows' home.

(Albanian Proverb)

Don't buy a cow to get a glass of milk.

(Albanian Proverb)

When a cow is crying, a dog is making a party.

(African Proverb)

You cannot reject the head of a cow simply because the eye scares you. (African Proverb)

The horns cannot be too heavy for the cow that bears them. (African Proverb)

The cow engenders the man. (African Proverb)

He who has got experience can milk a running cow. (African Proverb)

No matter how much milk a cow has, you cannot milk butter from it. (African Proverb)

No matter how black a cow is the milk is always white. (African Proverb)

It's too late to fatten a cow on the market day. (African Proverb)

An elephant cannot thin to a cow size. (African Proverb)

While the butchers were arguing, the cow dropped dead. (Afghan Proverb)

Too many butchers spoil the cow. (Afghan Proverb)

A fool looks for dung where the cow never browsed. (African Proverb)

Settling a dispute through the law is like losing a cow for the sake of a cat. (Chinese Proverb)

Win a cat and lose a cow -- the consequence of litigation. (Chinese Proverb)

A little dog, a cow without horns, and a short man, are generally proud. (Danish Proverb)

A cow is not called dappled unless she has a spot. (Danish Proverb)

The udder of a neighbor's cow is always bigger. (Croatian Proverb)

It is better to be a bull for a year than a cow for a hundred years. (Croatian Proverb)

I own a cow in heaven, but I cannot drink her milk. (Congolese Proverb)

Many a cow stands in the meadow and looks wistfully at the common. (Danish Proverb)

It is not for the good of the cow when she is driven in a carriage. (Danish Proverb)

The cow is milked, not the ox; the sheep is shorn, not the horse. (Danish Proverb)

The cow does not know the value of her tail till she has lost it. (Danish Proverb)

Many a cow stands in the meadow and looks wistfully at the common. (Danish Proverb)

It is not for the good of the cow when she is driven in a carriage. (Danish Proverb)

First a turnip, then a sheep; next a cow, and then the gallows.(Dutch Proverb)

You cannot take a cow from a man who has none.(Danish Proverb)

He that bulls the cow must keep the calf.
(English Proverb)

You never know how a cow catches a rabbit.(Dutch Proverb)

As soon dies the calf as the cow.
(French Proverb)

A cow does not know what her tail is worth until she has lost it.(French Proverb)

The cow knows the cowherd but not the owner.(Ethiopian Proverb)

I have a cow in the sky, but cannot drink her milk.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Horns are not too heavy for the cow.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

A fool looks for dung where the cow never grazed.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Better a goat that can give milk than a cow that cannot. (Estonian Proverb)

If it only depends on swearing, the cow is ours. (French Proverb)

He who recovers but the tail of his cow does not lose all. (French Proverb)

When a cow is lost it is something to recover its tail, were it only to make a handle for one's door. (French Proverb)

Let everyone mind his own business, and the cows will be well tended. (French Proverb)

Greatness alone is not enough or the cow would outrun the hare. (German Proverb)

Go to the law for a sheep and lose your cow. (German Proverb)

Better a good cow than a cow of a good kind. (German Proverb)

Why buy a cow when milk is so cheap? (French Proverb)

Why buy a cow if you can get the milk for free. (French Proverb)

It is not till the cow has lost her tail that she discovers its value.(German Proverb)

Of what use is it that the cow gives plenty of milk, if she upset the pail.(German Proverb)

The cow does not lick a strange calf.
(German Proverb)

The beadle's cow may graze in the churchyard.
(German Proverb)

The bailiff's cow and another's cow are two different cows.(German Proverb)

What should a cow do with a nutmeg?
(German Proverb)

Better to drink the milk than to eat the cow.
(Icelandic Proverb)

Passing from mouth to mouth it was learned by a thousand, and by the time it came to be heard by the king he learned of how a cow laid an egg.(Greek Proverb)

Milk the cow, but do not pull off the udder.
(Greek Proverb)

The day will come when the cow will have use for her tail.(Irish Proverb)

It is often that a cow does not take after its breed. (Irish Proverb)

Everyone is nice until the cow gets into the garden. (Irish Proverb)

If you are buying a cow, make sure that the price of the tail is included. (Indian Proverb)

He who wants milk should not sit in the middle of a field and wait for a cow to back up to him. (Italian Proverb)

He who lets the goat be laid on his shoulders is soon after forced to carry the cow. (Italian Proverb)

All is not butter that comes from the cow. (Italian Proverb)

If you let them put the calf on your shoulders, it will not be long before they clap on the cow. (Italian Proverb)

When a fool has the cow by the horns, the wise man can milk it. (Jewish Proverb)

Two farmers each claimed to own a certain cow. While one pulled on its head and the other pulled on its tail, the cow was milked by the lawyer. (Jewish Proverb)

It is difficult to teach a cow to climb a tree.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Only when the tree is big and strong can you
tether a cow to it.(Liberian Proverb)

Nobody will plough the land except its cows.
(Palestinian Proverb)

It is idle to swallow the cow and choke on the
tail.(Romanian Proverb)

The headache is mine and the cows are ours.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Before you milk a cow tie it up.
(South African Proverb)

Every man to his taste, as the man said when
he kissed his cow.(Scottish Proverb)

You don't milk a cow with your hands in your
pockets.(Russian Proverb)

In a rickety stable the cow produces no milk.
(Russian Proverb)

God does not give to the cow that butts.
(Russian Proverb)

He who goes to law for a sheep loses his cow.
(Spanish Proverb)

Cow of many -- well milked and badly fed.
(Spanish Proverb)

Communism is a cow of many; well milked
and badly fed.(Spanish Proverb)

Cheese from the ewe, milk from the goat,
butter from the cow.(Spanish Proverb)

Three things are not to be trusted; a cow's
horn, a dog's tooth, and a horse's hoof.
(Spanish Proverb)

Where it is customary the cow is brought to
bed.(Swiss Proverb)

Give a servant a proper meal and the cow will
give more milk and the cat will drink less.
(Swedish Proverb)

I don't care how many pails of milk I lose, as
long as I don't lose the cow.(Traditional)

Better a calf of one's own than a jointly owned
cow.(Traditional Proverb)

Never kick a cow chip on a hot day.
(Traditional Proverb)

In winter the milk goes to the cow's horns.
(Traditional Proverb)

Often a cow does not take after its breed.

(Traditional Proverb)

When a cow endeavors to scratch his ear, it means a rain shower is very near. When he thumps his ribs with an angry tail, look out for thunder, lightning and hail.

(Traditional Proverb)

A bull went to impregnate a cow, and he came back a fetus. (Tunisian Proverb)

You cannot push a cow's head down unless it is drinking water by its own will.

(Traditional Proverb)

You are sitting in peace (unharmd) as the nose of a cow that feeds among thorn trees and shows no scars. Luganda, Uganda.

(Traditional Proverb)

Whoever is fond of cream should take the cow around with him. (Traditional Proverb)

What is good for the buffalo is good for the cow. (Vietnamese Proverb)

When the cows come home.

(Traditional Proverb)

Play a harp before a cow. (Traditional Proverb)

Don't have a cow.(Traditional Proverb)

Fat as a cow.(Traditional Proverb)

Milk the cow that standeth still.
(Spanish Proverb)

The gentle calf sucks all the cows.
(Portuguese Proverb)

First the stable, then the cow.
(Russian Proverb)

What a cow eats a calf drinks.
(Senegalese Proverb)

In the darkness all cows are black.
(Slovak Proverb)

Cows do not indulge in horseplay.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Cows have no business in horseplay.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Who steals a calf, steals a cow.
(German Proverb)

Kill a cow to donate shoes.(Indian Proverb)

Good faith stole the cow.(German Proverb)

Black cows give white milk. (German Proverb)

Even ill-natured cows give milk.
(German Proverb)

Wicked cows have short horns.
(Dutch Proverb)

Cursed cows have short horns.
(Chinese Proverb)

COWARDICE:

In the home of the coward they laugh while in
the home of the brave they cry.
(Ugandan Proverb)

A brave man dies once, a coward a thousand
times. (Somali Proverb)

Hurriedness is not necessarily the daughter of
foolishness, and delay is not necessarily the
daughter of cowardice. (Puerto Rican Proverb)

Coward, strangle your fear, or else you will
strangle yourself. (Ovambo Proverb)

The brave man lives until the coward wants.
(Mexican Proverb)

Death is nothing and pain is nothing, but cowardice is crime and disgrace, the greatest punishment.

(Native American Dakota Proverb)

A brave dies but once - a coward many times.

(Native American Iowa Proverb)

Coward people have no country of their own.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Tis better to be a coward than fool-hardie.

(French Proverb)

Even over cold pudding, the coward says, "It will burn my mouth."

(Galla Proverb)

Being careful is not being a coward.

(Haitian Proverb)

I refuse to fight does not mean I am a coward.

(Fang Proverb)

The coward falls.

(Faroese Proverb)

Avoiding danger is not cowardice. Courage without discretion is no good.

(Filipino Proverb)

The destiny of a coward comes from over him.

(Arabic Proverb)

When a coward sees a man he can beat he becomes hungry for a fight. (African Proverb)

Tears never flow in the house of a coward. (African Proverb)

It is in the house of a coward that people gather and point to the tomb of yesterday's warrior. (African Proverb)

A brave man dies but once, a coward many times. (American Proverb)

One who does what he says is not a coward. (African Proverb)

A coward's fear may make a coward valiant. (French Proverb)

Even over cold pudding, the coward says: "It will burn my mouth." (Ethiopian Proverb)

Six things have no business in the world: a fighting priest, a coward knight, a covetous judge, a stinking barber, a soft-hearted mother, and an itchy baker. (French Proverb)

Put a coward to his metal an' he'll fight the devil. (Irish Proverb)

It is better to be a coward for a minute than dead for the rest of your life. (Irish Proverb)

Necessity and opportunity may make a coward valiant. (Italian Proverb)

Fortune smiles on the brave, and frowns upon the coward. (Latin Proverb)

Find a cruel man and you see a coward. (Latin Proverb)

If you spit in the face of a coward he'll tell you that it's raining. (Lebanese Proverb)

Caution is not cowardice; even the ant's march armed. (Ugandan Proverb)

A coward has no scar. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

Coward against coward, the assailant conquers. (Spanish Proverb)

A coward is full of precaution. (Somali Proverb)

A bully is always a coward. (Spanish Proverb)

Hidden velour is as bad as cowardice. (Latin Proverb)

The eye is a coward. (Kenyan Proverb)

Strength avails not a coward. (Italian Proverb)

One coward makes ten. (German Proverb)

Cowardice will not prolong life.

(Finnish Proverb)

Better be a coward than foolhardy.

(French Proverb)

Despair gives courage to a coward.

(English Proverb)

A coward sweats in water. (Ethiopian Proverb)

CRIME:

It is the crime that causes the shame, and not the punishment. (Swedish Proverb)

Crime doesn't pay. (Portuguese Proverb)

The crime accuses itself. (Mexican Proverb)

Easily grasped are the crimes of a hog.

(Icelandic Proverb)

Gossip is more horrible than a capital crime.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Be not ashamed of mistakes and thus make them crimes. (Confucian Proverb)

Poverty is not a crime, but it's better not to show it. (Brazilian Proverb)

If stupidity were a crime, half the human race would be hanged at every crossroads. (Darkovan Proverb)

Crime is cunning; it puts an angel in front of every devil. (German Proverb)

Criminals are punished, that others may be amended. (Italian Proverb)

Commit a sin twice and it will not seem a crime. (Jewish Proverb)

Justice is exercised in the proper prevention, rather than in the severe punishment, of crime. (Latin Proverb)

Whose interest was it? To whose prejudice was it? [Who might expect to derive benefit, or injury, from a crime committed?] (Latin Proverb)

The act itself does not constitute a crime, unless the intent is criminal. (Latin Proverb)

Crime leaves a trail like a water beetle; like a snail, it leaves its silver track; like a horse-mango, it leaves its smell. (Malawian Proverb)

Living is not a reward and dying is no crime.
(Malagasy Proverb)

If lying were a capital crime, the hangman
would work overtime. (Spanish Proverb)

If you share your friend's crime, you make it
your own. (Traditional Proverb)

The greater the man, the greater the crime.
(Traditional Proverb)

In times of trouble, leniency becomes crime.
(Traditional Proverb)

Crime never sleeps. (Traditional Proverb)

In times of trouble, leniency becomes crime.
(Traditional Proverb)

Poverty is not a crime. (Spanish Proverb)

It's a crime if you get caught. (Russian)

Success consecrates the foulest crimes.
(Russian Proverb)

Punishment awaits crime. (Latin Proverb)

Crimes may be secret, yet not secure.
(Italian Proverb)

CRITICISM:

Criticism is easy but it does not create.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Criticism of the brave is behind his back.
(Igbo Proverb)

All authors should prepare to encounter criticism.(Iraqi Proverb)

The only real way someone can stop criticism is to die.(French Proverb)

Flies' legs, like the tongue of critics, land on whatever they find.(Duala Proverb)

The most destructive criticism is indifference.
(Albanian Proverb)

Criticism is something you can avoid by saying nothing, doing nothing, and being nothing.(Albanian Proverb)

The fetus that is afraid of criticism is never born.(Burundian Proverb)

Children have more need of models than critics.(French Proverb)

Criticism of the state is all right, but don't forget the nation is you.(German Proverb)

There are two kinds of error blind credulity and piecemeal criticism. Never believe a word without putting its truth to the test discernment does not grow in laziness and this faculty of discernment is indispensable to the Seeker. Sound skepticism is the necessary condition for good discernment but piecemeal criticism is an error. (Traditional Proverb)

CRY:

When you die, you rejoice, and the world cries. (Tibetan Proverb)

What is loaned will go away smiling and come back crying. (Turkish Proverb)

The child that falls by itself does not cry. (Tywa Proverb)

In the home of the coward they laugh while in the home of the brave they cry. (Ugandan Proverb)

I was wise once, when I was born I cried. (Welsh Proverb)

He, who fears the crying of a child, will cry himself. (Swahili Proverb)

Give the white child so that the black child doesn't cry. (Swedish Proverb)

Eyes that you have made cry, cry; so it's no wonder if they tear. (Sicilian Proverb)

Cry not for the hair when the head is off. (Russian Proverb)

If the child does not cry, the mother won't know what it wants. (Russian Proverb)

His belly cries cupboard. (Romanian Proverb)

When a dying man cries, it is not because of where he is going which he knows nothing about, but because of what he wishes he would have done in the world he is leaving behind. (Nigerian Proverb)

Sorrow also sings, when it runs to deep to cry. (Mexican Proverb)

Never kill the cat that cries. (Namibian)

Don't be afraid to cry. It will free your mind of sorrowful thoughts. (Native American Hopi)

Never be afraid to cry. It will free your mind of sorrowful thoughts. (Native American Hopi Proverb)

Hear the warrior cry out. (Klingon Proverb)

A crying child thrives. (Japanese Proverb)

The spot that makes the warrior benkei cry.
(Japanese Proverb)

When a father helps a son, both smile; but
when a son must help his father, both cry.
(Jewish Proverb)

When a father helps a son, both smile; but
when a son must help his father, both cry.
(Jewish Proverb)

A very jealous person is glad when somebody
else cries, and sighs when others laugh.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

A woman who cries, a man who swears, a
horse that sweats, all imposture.
(Italian Proverb)

He who has his own mother never cries.
(Italian Proverb)

It's as hard to see a woman cry, as a goose
goes barefoot. (Irish Proverb)

Life is an onion that you peel crying.
(French Proverb)

Little palm tree, stop crying, you child is the tall palm tree. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Smile, and the world smiles with you. Cry, and you cry alone. (English Proverb)

The mouse is silent while laboring, but when the baby is conceived, she cries. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Laugh till you cry, sorrow till you die. (English Proverb)

Everyone cries with their eyes. (Corsican Proverb)

No melon peddler cries, No melon peddler cries, "Bitter melons." No wine dealer says, "Sour wine." (Chinese Proverb)

No melon-peddler cries: Bitter melons. (Chinese Proverb)

When a girl whistles, the angels cry. (Albanian Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?" (Arabic Proverb)

He beat me and cried, and went before me to complain. (Arabic Proverb)

They snatched from me my own cry.
(Amharic Proverb)

You can't see the sun when you're crying.
(Albanian Proverb)

When a cow is crying, a dog is making a party.
(African Proverb)

If one didn't laugh, one would have to cry.
(African Proverb)

If one didn't laugh, one would have to cry.
(African Proverb)

A boy may cry; but a man as to conceal his pain. (African Proverb)

A mother won't give milk to her child until he cries. (Afghan Proverb)

A frog hopped onto a wall and cried, 'I can see Kashmir!' (Afghan Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?"
(Arab Proverb)

He hit me, started to cry, and went straight to the judge to sue me. (Arab Proverb)

Follow the advice of the one who makes you cry, not from the one who makes you laugh. (Arab Proverb)

Not the cry, but the flight of the wild duck, leads the flock to fly and follow. (Chinese Proverb)

No melon peddler cries, "Bitter melons." No wine dealer says, "Sour wine." (Chinese Proverb)

Give to a pig when it grunts and a child when it cries and you will have a fine pig and a bad child. (Danish Proverb)

Better the child cry, than the mother sigh. (Danish Proverb)

An old wolf is not scared by loud cries. (Danish Proverb)

Let a child have its will, and it will not cry. (Danish Proverb)

The Italians cry, the Germans bawl, and the French sing. (French Proverb)

Sometimes the cry of the animal is worse than the animal itself. (French Proverb)

Life is like an onion, which one peels crying. (French Proverb)

The laughter of someone pining for his beloved is like that of someone who is always crying. (Indonesian Proverb)

If you call a lady a slave, she laughs, but if you call a slave a slave, he cries. (Indian)

When a tree is falling, every one cries, down with it. (Italian Proverb)

There is never a cry of "Wolf!" but the wolf is in the district. (Italian Proverb)

Laugh and everyone sees it, cry and no one sees it. (Jewish Proverb)

Your years will still remain the same whether you laugh or cry. (Japanese Proverb)

When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry. (Jewish Proverb)

Now I have got a ewe and a lamb, every one cries, "Welcome, Peter." (Latin Proverb)

The parrot utters one cry, the quail another.
(Latin Proverb)

The blow is taken on the nose but it's the eyes
that cry.(Martiniquais Proverb)

A cry, a sniff, and all come to naught.
(Maltese Proverb)

He who flatters with laughter wants to see you
cry.(Moroccan Proverb)

If the child does not cry, the mother knows not
its wants.(Russian Proverb)

Cry and the whole world cries with you.
(Russian Proverb)

As long as a child does not cry, it does not
matter what pleases it.(Russian Proverb)

If the child cries let the mother hush it, and if
it will not be hushed let it cry.
(Spanish Proverb)

Mother, what is marrying? Spinning, bearing
children, and crying, daughter.
(Spanish Proverb)

Eyes that do not cry, do not see.
(Swedish Proverb)

When two friends dip into their purse, one laughs, the other cries.(Spanish Proverb)

He that falls by himself never cries.
(Turkish Proverb)

Much cry and little wool.(Portuguese Proverb)

Cry not out before you are hurt.
(Russian Proverb)

Laughing wife, crying purse.(South American)

They laugh till they cry.(Latin Proverb)

They laugh till they cry.(Latin Proverb)

Great cry and little wool.(Dutch Proverb)

The cricket cries, the year changes.
(Cameroonian Proverb)

Friendship does not need pepper to cry.
(Congolese Proverb)

CURIOSITY:

A man should live if only to satisfy his curiosity.(Yiddish Proverb)

A man should stay alive if only out of curiosity. (Yiddish Proverb)

A person should stay alive, if only out of curiosity. (Yiddish Proverb)

Wonder lasts but nine nights in a Town. (Scottish Proverb)

Cat died of curiosity. (Russian Proverb)

He who has not seen Seville has not seen a wonder. (Romanian Proverb)

Every wonder lasts three days. (Hungarian Proverb)

We are all wanderers on this earth. Our hearts are full of wonder, and our souls are deep with dreams. (Gypsy Proverb)

Winter's thunder is summer's wonder. (English Proverb)

A wise man is a great wonder. (English Proverb)

Curiosity killed the cat. Satisfaction brought it back, that's why the cat has nine lives. (English Proverb)

The world likes to have night-owls, that it may have matter for wonder. (German Proverb)

A person should want to live, if only out of curiosity. (Jewish Proverb)

A man should go on living -- if only to satisfy his curiosity. (Jewish Proverb)

Where curiosity is not the purveyor, detraction will soon be starved. (Latin Proverb)

In February, if thou hearest thunder, Thou shalt see a summer wonder.
(Traditional Proverb)

Wonder is the beginning of wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

Curiosity killed the cat. (German Proverb)

CUSTOM:

Take the custom where you come. (Swedish)

Other times, other customs. (Swedish Proverb)

It's a silly pack that may not pay the custom.
(Scottish Proverb)

Custom is a second nature.

(Romanian Proverb)

Custom rules the law.(Romanian Proverb)

It is hard to break a hog of an ill custom.

(Romanian Proverb)

Each country's customs are different, just as each meadow's grass is different.

(Mongolian Proverb)

Obey the customs of the village you enter.

(Japanese Proverb)

The countries you visit the customs you find.

(Italian Proverb)

A bad habit that lasts more than a year may turn into a custom.(Igbo Proverb)

Wherever we live, we must observe the local custom.(Indonesian Proverb)

A bad habit that lasts more than a year may turn into a custom.(Igbo Proverb)

What he gains at the toll, loses at the customs.(Hungarian Proverb)

Once a use and ever a custom.(English)

Custom without reason is but ancient error.

(English Proverb)

Negotiate a river by following its bends; enter a country by following its customs. (Cambodian)

On entering a country, ask what is forbidden, on entering a village, ask what the customs, on entering a private house are, and ask what should not be mentioned. (Chinese Proverb)

Custom surpasses nature. (Albanian Proverb)

Custom is the great guide. (Albanian Proverb)

Culture is one thing, and varnish is another. (Albanian Proverb)

Consent to common custom, but not to common folly. (Albanian Proverb)

There is no point in living if we cannot take back our culture. (African Proverb)

The country where flowers are expensive lacks the foundation of culture. (Chinese Proverb)

On entering a country, ask what is forbidden, on entering a village, ask what the customs, on entering a private house are, and ask what should not be mentioned. (Chinese Proverb)

Going into a country the first time, ask what is forbidden; on entering a village, ask what the customs are; on entering a private house, ask what should not be mentioned. **(Chinese)**

Anxious about the shoe, but disregarding the foot. [Careful about external appearances, but regardless of the culture of the mind.] **(Latin Proverb)**

An ancient custom, not of to-day or yesterday. **(Latin Proverb)**

Every land to its own custom, every wheel its own spindle. **(Portuguese Proverb)**

Custom in infancy becomes nature in old age. **(Spanish Proverb)**

Be a custom good or bad, a peasant will have it continue in force. **(Spanish Proverb)**

According to the custom of Aragon, good service, bad guerdon. **(Spanish Proverb)**

Follow the customs or flee the country. **(Zulu Proverb)**

Custom is a tyrant. **(Traditional Proverb)**

Custom becomes law. **(Spanish Proverb)**

Custom makes all things easy.

(Spanish Proverb)

Every country has its custom.

(Spanish Proverb)

Custom is stronger than law.

(Russian Proverb)

Custom and law are sisters. (Slovak Proverb)

Customs are stronger than laws.

(Jewish Proverb)

Break the legs of an evil custom.

(Italian Proverb)

So many countries, so many customs.

(German Proverb)

Once is no custom. (French Proverb)

Custom is the guide of the ignorant.

(English Proverb)

National customs are national honors.

(Danish Proverb)

D CATEGORY

DANCE:

In time, even a bear can be taught to dance.
(Yiddish Proverb)

If you are ugly, learn how to dance.
(Zambian Proverb)

When you play the flute in Zanzibar all Africa dances.(Zanzibar Proverb)

Dance in the sun, but turn your back to the clouds.(Zimbabwean Proverb)

When the music changes, then the rhythm of the dance must change also.(Tuareg Proverb)

When the bundles of tobacco are ready, dancing begins.(Turkish Proverb)

Songs learnt from outside sources are not used at a dance so long.(Swahili Proverb)

The beginning of a dance is lele.
(Swahili Proverb)

When cat is absent, mice dance.
(Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

Meat makes meat, bread makes a paunch,
and wine makes you dance. (Sicilian Proverb)

When cat is absent, mice dance.
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Meat makes meat, bread makes a paunch,
and wine makes you dance. (Sicilian Proverb)

Small man, sly or dancer. (Portuguese)

When toads wrestle, the flies dance.
(Polish Proverb)

A child brought up where there is always
dancing cannot fail to dance. (Nyanja Proverb)

An old cat will not learn how to dance.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Because of lack of talent in dancing, the floor
is blamed. (Malay Proverb)

He who adorns himself knows to what sort of
dance he is going. (Kikuyu Proverb)

He who spends his time adorning himself
knows he is going to a dance. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Sparrows, though they live to be a hundred,
do not forget their dance. (Japanese Proverb)

De tune you playing no de one I dancing.
(Jamaican Proverb)

If you cannot dance, you will say the
drumming is poor. (Jamaican Proverb)

If you go a tump-a-foot dance, you must dance
tump-a-foot. (Jamaican Proverb)

Dancing was first started by a madman.
(Irish Proverb)

When the cat is out the mouse can dance.
(Irish Proverb)

Dance as if no one were watching. Sing as if
no one were listening. And live every day as if
it were your last. (Irish Proverb)

Dancing the drum will be done where the
drum is. (Igbo Proverb)

When the music stops, a deaf person
continues to dance. (Igbo Proverb)

If the cat's away, the mice will dance.
(Hungarian Proverb)

It's easy to take Kati to the dance, if she is
also willing. (Hungarian Proverb)

He dances on a razor-edge. (Hungarian)

If we pay for the music we will join in the dance. (French Proverb)

Hungry bear doesn't dance.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

If you are going to walk on thin ice, you might as well dance. (Chinese Proverb)

If you are happy you can always learn to dance. (Balinese Proverb)

Dance, father, people's eyes don't eat, they just stare. (Bantu Proverb)

You need more than dancing shoes to be a dancer. (Albanian Proverb)

You must pay the fiddler if you want to dance. (Albanian Proverb)

From you the money, from me the dance.
(Arabic Proverb)

If you dance, you must pay the piper.
(Albanian Proverb)

Death fiddles and we dance.
(Albanian Proverb)

When the drummers change their beats the dancers must also change their Steps.

(African Proverb)

You cannot dance without music though you can sing instrumentally without dancing.

(African Proverb)

Who does not love to dance, does not love to sing.

(African Proverb)

A woman is never old when it comes to the dance she knows.

(African Proverb)

If you give bad food to your stomach, it drums for you to dance.

(African Proverb)

If you don't want a tail of a monkey to touch you then don't attend the monkey dance.

(African Proverb)

If you carry the egg basket do not dance.

(African Proverb)

If the rhythm of the drum beat changes, the dance step must adapt.

(African Proverb)

He that beats the drum for the mad man to dance is no better than the mad man himself.

(African Proverb)

A woman is never old when it comes to the dance she knows. (African Proverb)

If you give bad food to your stomach, it drums for you to dance. (African Proverb)

If you don't want a tail of a monkey to touch you then don't attend the monkey dance. (African Proverb)

The hunt is like a dance for men, for the women the dance is the hunt. (Austrian Proverb)

The cripple is always the one to open the dancing. (Austrian Proverb)

If everyone is going to dance, who, then, would watch? (Cameroonian Proverb)

Dancing at the carnival, baptizing on All Saints Day. (Catalonian Proverb)

Those who hear not the music think the dancers mad. (Chinese Proverb)

A pair of light shoes is not all that is needed for dancing. (Danish Proverb)

A drunken may soon be made to dance. (Danish Proverb)

A pair of light shoes is not all that is needed for dancing. (Danish Proverb)

It is no child's play when an old woman dances. (Danish Proverb)

It does not become the sparrow to mix in the dance of the cranes. (Danish Proverb)

More belongs to dancing than a pair of dancing-shoes. (Dutch Proverb)

As you began the dance you may pay the piper. (Dutch Proverb)

Only men laugh, only men weep, only men dance. (Darkovan Proverb)

Get three Darkovans together and they hold a dance. (Darkovan Proverb)

You must judge a maiden at the kneading trough, and not in a dance. (Danish Proverb)

When you go to dance, take heed whom you take by the hand. (Danish Proverb)

When lazy horses begin to start, old women to dance, and white clouds to rain, there is no stopping them. (Danish Proverb)

There is more to dancing than a pair of dancing shoes. (Dutch Proverb)

He that leaves certainty and sticks to chance,
When fools pipe he may dance.

(French Proverb)

In the fiddler's house every one is a dancer.

(French Proverb)

If you've enjoyed the dance, pay the musicians. (German Proverb)

If we pay for the music we will take part in the dance. (German Proverb)

Of what use is the veil if you are going to dance. (Indian Proverb)

If the bride can't dance, she blames the musicians. (Jewish Proverb)

We're fools whether we dance or not, so we might as well dance. (Japanese Proverb)

With time, even a bear can learn to dance. (Jewish Proverb)

An old cat will never learn to dance. (Moroccan Proverb)

As they pipe to me, I will dance.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Even the fall of a dancer is a somersault.

(Senegalese Proverb)

In the bagpiper's house they are all dancers.

(Spanish Proverb)

When a goose dances, and a fool versifies,
there is sport.

(Spanish Proverb)

It is always the fat ones who lead the dance.

(Swiss Proverb)

To watch us dance is to hear our hearts
speak.

(Traditional Proverb)

If you can walk you can dance, if you can talk
you can sing.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

When the music changes, so does the dance.

(West African Proverb)

When the flatterer pipes, the devil dances.

(Spanish Proverb)

Dance to the tune that is played.

(Spanish Proverb)

Only chained bears dance.

(Russian Proverb)

In a fiddler's house, all are dancers.

(Rwandan Proverb)

An old woman would dance!(Latin Proverb)

Bad dancing does not break an engagement.

(Kenyan Proverb)

When the cat's away the mice dance.

(Italian Proverb)

When the cat's away the rats dance.

(Italian Proverb)

Necessity teaches even the lame to dance.

(German Proverb)

As princes fiddle, subjects must dance.

(German Proverb)

Love teaches asses to dance.(French Proverb)

Love teaches even asses to dance.

(French Proverb)

Love teaches even asses to dance.

(French Proverb)

Money makes dogs dance.(French Proverb)

Money makes even dogs' dance.(French)

No longer pipe, no longer dance.

(French Proverb)

DANGER AND RISK:

To act sincerely with the insincere is dangerous. (Taoist Proverb)

Even if a mountain is high, there is always a way to reach the top -- and although the way might be full of danger, there is always a way for someone to get through it.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The more danger, the more honor.

(Spanish Proverb)

Foolish fear doubleth danger.

(Romanian Proverb)

It is a dangerous fire that begins in the bed straw. (Romanian Proverb)

In a dangerous river, the alligators swim backstroke. (Portuguese Proverb)

There's a risk in every jump.

(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Pretend you're in great danger, and you'll find out if you have any friends.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Danger can never be overcome without taking risks. (Latin Proverb)

Test the danger by the Carians. (Latin Proverb)

Small print leads to large risk.

(Klingon Proverb)

To put off repentance is dangerous.

(Irish Proverb)

When your neighbor's wall breaks, your own is in danger. (Icelandic Proverb)

Without danger we cannot get beyond danger.

(English Proverb)

Avoiding danger is not cowardice. Courage without discretion is no good.

(Filipino Proverb)

A little knowledge is dangerous. Drink deep, or taste not the puritan waters. (English Proverb)

A little Learning is a dangerous thing.

(English Proverb)

All of you that intend to ring, you undertake a dangerous thing. (English Proverb)

Better face a danger once than be always in fear. (English Proverb)

A praying pirate is definitely a sign of danger. (Dutch Proverb)

Study without reflection is a waste of time; reflection without study is dangerous. (Chinese Proverb)

The wound that bleeds inwardly is the most dangerous. (Arabic Proverb)

Do not stand in a place of danger trusting in miracles. (Arabic Proverb)

A fool bull will look only for the green grass without looking the danger of toppling over the steep valley. (Amharic Proverb)

There is delight in danger and danger in delight. (Albanian Proverb)

No risk, no gain. (Albanian Proverb)

Delays can be dangerous. (Albanian Proverb)

Danger begets caution. (Albanian Proverb)

An educated fool is dangerous.(Albanian)

A fly that dances carelessly in front of a spider's web, risks the wrath of the spider's teeth.(African Proverb)

A fly that dances carelessly in front of a spider's web, risks the wrath of the spider's teeth.(African Proverb)

Never travel with a friend who disserts you at the notice of danger.(African Proverb)

A malignant sore throat is a danger; a malignant throat not sore is worse.
(American Proverb)

The wound that bleedeth inwardly is the most dangerous.(Arab Proverb)

The house of danger is built upon the borders of safety.(Arab Proverb)

Do not stand in a dangerous place trusting in miracles.(Arab Proverb)

Dangerous enemies will meet again in narrow streets.(Chinese Proverb)

A crisis is an opportunity riding the dangerous wind.(Chinese Proverb)

The lone sheep is in danger of the wolf.
(Chinese Proverb)

The first decision of a woman is the most intelligent and the last decision most dangerous.(Chinese Proverb)

The higher the monkey climbs, the more it is exposed to danger.
(Native American Creole Proverb)

To tell the truth is dangerous; to listen to it is boring.(Danish Proverb)

The greater the fear the nearer the danger.
(Danish Proverb)

God sells knowledge for labor, honor for risk.
(Dutch Proverb)

When the fox preaches to the goose her neck is in danger.(Danish Proverb)

When the pirate prays, there is great danger.
(Dutch Proverb)

Men fear danger, women only the sight of it.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

He that holds the handle of a frying-pan runs the risk of burning himself.(French Proverb)

He who waits for a dead man's shoes is in danger of going barefoot. (French Proverb)

A woman and a glass are always in danger. (German Proverb)

A truth spoken before its time is dangerous. (Greek Proverb)

Danger can only be overcome by more danger. (Greek Proverb)

The lives of doctors, the souls of priests, and the property of lawyers, are in great danger. (Italian Proverb)

When the danger is past God is cheated. (Italian Proverb)

When the danger has passed, the saints are soon forgotten. (Italian Proverb)

Fortunate is he whom the dangers of others have rendered cautious. (Latin Proverb)

Danger is never conquered without danger. (Latin Proverb)

My bark, once struck by the fury of the storm, dreads again to approach the place of danger. (Latin Proverb)

You sail in the same boat. [You are in the same danger.](Latin Proverb)

The post of honor is the post of danger.
(Latin Proverb)

Test the danger by the Carians. [Practise new experiments on things of little value.]
(Latin Proverb)

The fish sees the bait not the hook; a man sees not the danger -- only the profit.
(Mongolian Proverb)

He is out of danger that rings the alarm-bell.
(Spanish Proverb)

Who is always prying into other men's affairs, leads a dangerous life.(Spanish Proverb)

When there is real danger, the dogs don't bark.(Spanish Proverb)

If one tries to navigate unknown waters one runs the risk of shipwreck.(Traditional)

Good to sell knowledge for labor, honor for risk.(Traditional Proverb)

Danger can never be overcome without taking risks.(Traditional Proverb)

Anger is only one letter short of danger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Silent men like still waters, are deep and dangerous.(Traditional Proverb)

When we have gold we are in fear, when we have none we are in danger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Drunkards know no danger.
(Ukranian Proverb)

Silent water is dangerous water.
(Spanish Proverb)

Nothing is gained without taking risks.
(Spanish Proverb)

All's not lost that's in danger.
(Spanish Proverb)

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Faint heart is always in danger.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Gifts from enemies are dangerous.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Women and glasses are always in danger.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Our fears always outnumber our dangers.
(Latin Proverb)

Through dangers to distinction.
(Latin Proverb)

Blind belief is dangerous.(Kenyan Proverb)

Out of debt, out of danger.(Italian Proverb)

Lasses and glasses are always in danger.
(Italian Proverb)

Ill-timed laughter is a dangerous evil.
(Greek Proverb)

At a dangerous passage yield precedence.
(Italian Proverb)

Delays are dangerous.(Italian Proverb)

Nought is never in danger.(German Proverb)

Dumb dogs and still water are dangerous.
(German Proverb)

He who turns aside avoids danger.
(French Proverb)

Danger and delight grow on one stalk.

(English Proverb)

Danger is next neighbor to security.

(English Proverb)

The more acquaintance, the more danger.

(English Proverb)

Biggest profits mean gravest risks.

(Chinese Proverb)

DAUGHTER:

Who does not bother will not have sons and daughters. (Turkish Proverb)

My daughter, as long as you keep quiet, much money will pay for your marriage.

(Yemeni Proverb)

Daughters are no better than crows. (Tibetan)

A son will learn from his father to make a living, a daughter will learn from her mother to cut clothes. (Turkish Proverb)

Look at the mother before marrying the daughter. (Turkish Proverb)

The mother bears the daughter and the neighbor marries her off. (Sicilian Proverb)

To get the best dowry, marry the poor man's first daughter but the rich man's last daughter. (Sicilian Proverb)

Do you want to see a wolf with young? Marry your daughter. (Spanish Proverb)

Make not twa mewes of ane daughter. (Scottish Proverb)

Twa Daughters, and a back-door, are three stark thieves. (Scottish Proverb)

Daughter of a cat, if she doesn't bite she scratches. (Sicilian Proverb)

Don't kiss blacksmith's daughter. (Sicilian)

Sit, sit, daughter, sit, because good fortune is coming. (Sicilian Proverb)

Like father, like son; like mother like daughter. (Romanian Proverb)

Truth is time's daughter. (Romanian Proverb)

An oleit Mother makes a fweir Daughter. (Scottish Proverb)

Hurriedness is not necessarily the daughter of foolishness, and delay is not necessarily the daughter of cowardice. **(Puerto Rican Proverb)**

Between promising and performing a man may marry his daughter. **(Romanian Proverb)**

Daughters and dead fish are no keeping wares. **(Romanian Proverb)**

If he has seven blind daughters, he will marry them in an hour. **(Persian Proverb)**

See how the boy is with his sister and the other ones of his home lodge and you can know how the man will be with your daughter. **(Native American Lakota Proverb)**

The mother keeps on caring for her daughter while the daughter keeps on craving for her husband. **(Kashmiri Proverb)**

A good son-in-law is like the acquisition of a new son; a bad one is like the loss of your daughter. **(Jewish Proverb)**

O daughter, I'm telling you. **(Indian Proverb)**

I tell my daughter, my daughter-in-law should understand it. **(Hungarian Proverb)**

One likes the priest, someone else his wife, I prefer his daughter. (Hungarian Proverb)

Marrying off a daughter is like loading cargo on a ship. (Hebrew Proverb)

A busy woman has a lazy daughter, a lazy woman has a busy daughter. (Hungarian Proverb)

Have a close look at the mother and then marry her daughter. (Hungarian Proverb)

If your son-in-law is good, you gained a son. If he is bad, you've lost a daughter. (Hebrew Proverb)

A son is a son till he gets him a wife, but a daughter's a daughter the rest of your life. (English Proverb)

Work for engagement of your daughter, but don't work for engagement of your son. (Arabic Proverb)

O! my brother Flip the pot on its mouth, the daughters turn into their mums. (Arabic Proverb)

First a daughter, then a son, and the family's well begun. (Albanian Proverb)

Admiration is the daughter of ignorance.

(Albanian Proverb)

A father voodooes with his son and a mother voodooes with her daughter.

(African Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of experience.

(African Proverb)

As a daughter grows up she is like smuggled salt.

(Chinese Proverb)

Runaway son, a shining jewel; runaway daughter, tarnished.

(Chinese Proverb)

No wise man takes responsibility for an eighteen-year-old daughter.

(Chinese Proverb)

Falsehood is the Devil's daughter, and speaks her father's tongue.

(Danish Proverb)

Better a daughter that has been slept on than a son who has been hanged.

(Danish Proverb)

Dominies come for your wine, and officers for your daughters.

(Dutch Proverb)

A house full of daughters is a cellar full of sour beer.

(Dutch Proverb)

He that would the daughter win Must with the mother first begin.

(English Proverb)

Pastors come for your wine and officers for your daughters. (Dutch Proverb)

Between promising and giving a man should marry his daughter. (French Proverb)

After the daughter is married, then come sons-in-law in plenty. (French Proverb)

When the daughter dies, the son-in-law is dead as well. (French Proverb)

He who has daughters is always a shepherd. (French Proverb)

I give a present to the mother but I think of the daughter. (German Proverb)

He who would the daughter win, with the mother must begin. (German Proverb)

Daughters are easy to rear, but hard to marry. (German Proverb)

Buy your neighbor's ox, and woo your neighbor's daughter. (German Proverb)

Who the daughter would win, with mamma must begin. (German Proverb)

Your son is your son until he marries, but
your daughter is your daughter until you die.
(Irish Proverb)

Only two things matter in this world: a son
and a daughter.(Indian Proverb)

O daughter, I'm telling you. O daughter-in-
law, listen to it.(Indian Proverb)

As you would have a daughter so choose a
wife.(Italian Proverb)

If you want the daughter, you must kiss the
mother.(Italian Proverb)

I speak to you, daughter; hear it daughter-in-
law.(Italian Proverb)

When you have three daughters, you sleep
with the door open.(Korean Proverb)

You reproach your daughter, but you mean
your daughter-in-law.(Jewish Proverb)

With a good son-in-law you gain a son, with a
bad one you lose your daughter, too.
(Jewish Proverb)

Look first at the mother and then the
daughter.(Romanian Proverb)

One of life's greatest mysteries is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry your daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world. (Jewish Proverb)

Would you know your daughter? See her in company. (Portuguese Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? Daughter, it is spinning, bearing children, and weeping. (Portuguese Proverb)

If you flatter the mother, you will embrace the daughter. (Russian Proverb)

Clever father, clever daughter; clever mother, clever son. (Russian Proverb)

After your daughter is married, there come a number of potential sons-in-law. (Russian Proverb)

A bad labour, and a daughter after all. (Spanish Proverb)

What itches in the daughter's skirt, itches also in her mother's. (Rwandan Proverb)

When Anger and Revenge get married, their daughter is called Cruelty. (Russian Proverb)

I say it to you, daughter; hear it, daughter-in-law. (Spanish Proverb)

Do you want to see a wolf with young (i.e. an insatiable plunderer)? Marry your daughter. (Spanish Proverb)

Do not buy a carrier's ass, or marry an innkeeper's daughter. (Spanish Proverb)

Alas! Father, another daughter is born to you. (Spanish Proverb)

When a good offer comes for your daughter, don't wait till her father returns from market. (Spanish Proverb)

The lucky man has a daughter for his first-born. (Spanish Proverb)

Mother, what is marrying? Spinning, bearing children, and crying, daughter. (Spanish Proverb)

When our daughter is married sons-in-law are plenty. (Spanish Proverb)

If there is only one earring among seven daughters, there will always be a quarrel on festival days. (Tibetan Proverb)

Wipe the nose of your neighbor's son, and marry him to your daughter.

(Spanish Proverb)

Many an Irish property was increased by the lace of a daughter's petticoat.

(Traditional Proverb)

Ingratitude is the daughter of pride.

(Spanish Proverb)

A bustling mother makes a slothful daughter. (Portuguese Proverb)

A busy mother makes slothful daughters.

(Portuguese Proverb)

One good daughter is worth seven sons.

(Russian Proverb)

Judge of the daughter by the mother.

(Latin Proverb)

Like mother, like daughter. (Latin Proverb)

Truth is the daughter of time.

(German Proverb)

Look at the mother, marry the daughter.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A tender-hearted mother makes a scabby daughter. (French Proverb)

An indulgent mother makes a sluttish daughter. (Dutch Proverb)

Daughters are brittle ware. (Dutch Proverb)

Daughters may be seen but not heard. (Dutch Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of daily experience. (Dutch Proverb)

Truth is God's daughter. (Danish Proverb)

DAYDREAM:

Vision with action is a daydream; action without vision is a nightmare. (Japanese Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action without vision is a nightmare. (Japanese Proverb)

Some work, others merely daydream. (Corsican Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action without vision is a nightmare.

(Japanese Proverb)

DEATH:

A wild dog is best eaten when clubbed to death. (Zambian Proverb)

Birth is the messenger of death.
(Syrian Proverb)

A sheep does not lament the death of a goat's kid. (Ugandan Proverb)

Death considers not the fairest forehead.
(Welsh Proverb)

Death does not knock on the door.
(Yiddish Proverb)

If I dealt in candles, the sun wouldn't set; if I dealt in shrouds, people would stop dying.
(Yiddish Proverb)

When death is near, neither doctors nor medicine help. (Sicilian Proverb)

When you're invited, eat heartily, because if they like you they'll laugh, and if they don't like you they'll feel the pangs of death.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who drinks at night, buys himself death,
which drinks in bed, buys himself a coffin.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who has lived a good life has a good death.

(Sicilian Proverb)

You'll become a lot better if you think about
your death.

(Sicilian Proverb)

The greatest death is laughter.

(South African Proverb)

Friendless in life, friendless in death.

(Spanish Proverb)

Death has its advantages too i.e. it benefits
those who inherit.

(Swahili Proverb)

Desire first, death afterwards.

(Swahili Proverb)

The death of not a relative is a wedding.
Compared to a death of a relative.

(Swahili Proverb)

To a seaman of Kwale, death by water is common experience. (Swahili Proverb)

Ahi! I'm dying! Give me a hot water bottle and a cloak. (Sicilian Proverb)

At death, one's words and defects are buried. (Sicilian Proverb)

Better to be wrongfully excommunicated than to make a death bed confession. (Sicilian Proverb)

Death and bad luck, you take them with you wherever you go. (Sicilian Proverb)

Death finds everyone and the earth renews itself. (Sicilian Proverb)

Death respects neither young nor old, neither poor nor rich. (Sicilian Proverb)

Death will cure all pain. (Sicilian Proverb)

Force of arms is useless against death. (Sicilian Proverb)

Happy are those who are well born, but happier are those who have a good death. (Sicilian Proverb)

One man's breath, another's death.

(Romanian Proverb)

Sleep is the image of death.

(Romanian Proverb)

To change one's habits smacks of death.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Life has become a little less sweet, death a little less bitter, and heaven a little more real.

(Puritan Proverb)

Cabbage twice cooked is death.

(Romanian Proverb)

Death makes equal the high and low.

Deaths foreseen come not. (Romanian Proverb)

When a dying man cries, it is not because of where he is going which he knows nothing about, but because of what he wishes he would have done in the world he is leaving behind. (Nigerian Proverb)

Death is a camel that lies down at every door.

(Persian Proverb)

Life is not separate from death. It only looks that way. (Native American Blackfoot Proverb)

Old age is not as honorable as death, but most people want it. (Native American Crow Proverb)

Death is nothing and pain is nothing, but cowardice is crime and disgrace, the greatest punishment. (Native American Dakota Proverb)

There is no death, only a change of worlds. (Native American Duwamish Proverb)

In death, I am born. (Native American Hopi Proverb)

Death spares no one. (Maltese Proverb)

You cannot make an appointment with death. (Kikuyu Proverb)

A fool's only achievement is death. (Klingon Proverb)

A warrior fights to the death. (Klingon Proverb)

Death is an experience best shared. (Klingon Proverb)

Mere life is not a victory, mere death is not a defeat. (Klingon Proverb)

The wolf repents only in death. (Kurdish Proverb)

Life cannot be trusted; death can come at any moment. (Kashmiri Proverb)

The property of a helpless man must not be divided before his death. (Kikuyu Proverb)

A fool is only cured by dying.
(Japanese Proverb)

Duty is heavy as a mountain but Death is lighter than a feather. (Japanese Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man the angel of death. (Jewish Proverb)

Death will find me alive. (Italian Proverb)

Death and marriages make changes. (Irish)

Death is in front of the old person and at the back of the young person. (Irish Proverb)

Death is the poor man's doctor. (Irish Proverb)

Fame lives on after death. (Irish Proverb)

Everything revolves around bread and death.
(Israeli Proverb)

Always being in a hurry does not prevent death; neither does going slowly prevent living.
(Ibo Proverb)

When the brothers fight to the death, a stranger inherits their father's estate.

(Ibo Proverb)

A man who rushes into battle does not realize that battle entails death. (Igbo Proverb)

A change of event such as the death of a leader, will lead to other changes.

(Indonesian Proverb)

We have to fight for our freedom as long as it takes, and we shall not mind the death following our struggle for independence.

(Indonesian Proverb)

He would be good for death.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Man hopes until his death.

(Hungarian Proverb)

There is no medicine against death.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A good priest learns until his death.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A three day long merry-making and regret lasting till death. (Hungarian Proverb)

If vodka, tar and sauna don't help, the disease leads to death. (Finnish Proverb)

It's hard to scare a person who thinks he will benefit from dying. (German Proverb)

The goat says: "Nobody willingly walks to his own death." (Ghanaian Proverb)

In language there is life, in language there is death. (Hawaiian Proverb)

In the word is life, in the word is death. (Hawaiian Proverb)

After death, say holy. (Hebrew Proverb)

Old men, when they marry young women, make much of death. (English Proverb)

There is a remedy for everything except death. (English Proverb)

Who's lazy when living will be lazy when dying. (Estonian Proverb)

Love is as strong as death. (English Proverb)

A coward dies a thousand times before his death. The valiant never taste of death but once. (English Proverb)

He who leads an immoral life dies an immoral death. (Corsican Proverb)

He who lives fast goes straight to his death. (Corsican Proverb)

People should be mourned at their birth, not at their death. (Corsican Proverb)

Many dogs, rabbit's death. (Czech Proverb)

There is a remedy for all things save death. (Dutch Proverb)

Death is closer than the shirt. (Bulgarian Proverb)

All of life is a dream walking, all of death is a going home. (Chinese Proverb)

Foxes grieve over the death of rabbits. (Chinese Proverb)

It is a little thing to starve to death; it is a serious matter to lose one's virtue. (Chinese Proverb)

Sleep is the brother of Death. (Chinese Proverb)

The saddest thing is the death of the heart. (Chinese Proverb)

War is Death's feast. (Chinese Proverb)

When people are no longer afraid of death,
there is no use threatening them with it?
(Chinese Proverb)

You only understand the joys of parenthood
when you have your first child; you only
understand the mystery of death when in
mourning. (Bahaya Proverb)

The end of life is death. (Arabic Proverb)

My feet took me to my death. (Arabic Proverb)

Meeting death is better than trying to ignore it.
(Arabic Proverb)

Ignorance is the death of the living.
(Arabic Proverb)

The good milking cow is praised after her
death. (Bajan Proverb)

Faster than death. (Arabic Proverb)

Every disease has a medicine except for death.
(Arabic Proverb)

Death is a camel which sleeps in everyone's
house. (Arabic Proverb)

Death is a black camel which kneels at every man's gate. (Arabic Proverb)

Death is a black camel that lies down at every door. (Arabic Proverb)

The one who persists in asking question he learn the death of his Mother.
(Amharic Proverb)

One sent by a woman does not fear death.
(Amharic Proverb)

The best way to kill time is to work it to death.
(Albanian Proverb)

One man's death is another man's bread.
(Albanian Proverb)

Live your own life, for you die your own death. (Albanian Proverb)

Dying men speak true. (Albanian Proverb)

Dying is as natural as living soundly.
(Albanian Proverb)

Death rides with the drinking driver.
(Albanian Proverb)

Death fiddles and we dance. (Albanian Proverb)

Death devours lambs as well as sheep.

(Albanian Proverb)

Death and taxes may be hard to beat.

(Albanian Proverb)

Death's ladder is there for everyone to climb.

(Akan Proverb)

Death doesn't see any difference 'tween the big house and the cabin.

(African American Proverb)

No matter how beautiful and well crafted a coffin might look, it will not make anyone wish for death. (African Proverb)

Life is the beginning of death. (African Proverb)

If you're a good person even after death your grave is loved. (African Proverb)

If you hide a sick person, your lamentation alarm will only announce his death.

(African Proverb)

Death is like a robe everyone has to wear.

(African Proverb)

Death is like a dress that, at some point or another, everyone has to wear. (African)

Death is a thief. (African Proverb)

A ruined people are as miserable as a dog in the house of death. (African Proverb)

Death is a scar that never heals.
(Acholi Proverb)

To threaten the brave with death is like promising water to a duck. (Arab Proverb)

Only three things in life are certain birth, death and change. (Arab Proverb)

Death was afraid of him because he had the heart of a lion. (Arab Proverb)

Death is a black camel that lies down at every door. Sooner or later you must ride the camel.
(Arab Proverb)

The remedy for dirt is soap and water. The remedy for dying is living. (Chinese Proverb)

To die is to stop living but to stop living is something entirely different than dying.
(Chinese Proverb)

You cannot draw white cloth from a dying vat.
(Chinese Proverb)

Advice after the mischief is like medicine after death. (Danish Proverb)

Advice after injury is like medicine after death. (Danish Proverb)

Many dogs are the death of the hare. (Danish Proverb)

Many hounds mean the death of the hare. (Dutch Proverb)

He waits long that waits for another man's death. (Dutch Proverb)

Death is nature's way of telling you to slow down. (Dutch Proverb)

You cannot shift an old tree without it dying. (Danish Proverb)

Death is a shadow that always follows the body. (English Proverb)

Death always comes too early or too late. (English Proverb)

When it is God's will to plague a man, a mouse can bite him to death. (Dutch Proverb)

When flies swarm in March, sheep come to their death. (Dutch Proverb)

Death takes the poor man's cow and the rich man's child. (French Proverb)

If the bathroom and a brandy cannot help a man, then death is imminent.
(Finnish Proverb)

He needs a long candle who awaits the death of another. (Finnish Proverb)

Even if Christ's death could have been prevented, Judas would still be a traitor.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

He who is anxious for the death of another has a long rope to pull. (French Proverb)

He pulls at a long rope who desires another's death. (French Proverb)

It is difficult to scare people who think they will profit from dying. (German Proverb)

He laughs ill that laughs himself to death.
(German Proverb)

Either fight not with priests or beat them to death. (German Proverb)

Cowards may die many times before their death. (German Proverb)

Poor or rich, death makes us all equal.
(German Proverb)

Never murder a man who is about to commit suicide. (German Proverb)

The strong man's sport is the sickly man's death. (German Proverb)

Too many sacks are the death of the ass.
(German Proverb)

Three things come into the house uninvited:
debts, age, and death. (German Proverb)

Death has the key to open the miser's chest.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

All the water in the sea doesn't even reach the knees of the man who fears not death.
(Indian Proverb)

For mortals vanished from the day's sweet light I shed no tear rather I mourn for those who day and night live in death's fear.
(Greek Proverb)

Death is never at a loss for occasions.
(Greek Proverb)

What is sport to the boy is the death of the bird. (Indian Proverb)

Sorrow for the death of a father lasts six months; sorrow for a mother, a year; sorrow for a wife, until another wife; sorrow for a son, forever. (Indian Proverb)

It is better to sit down than to stand, it is better to lie down than to sit, but death is the best of all. (Indian Proverb)

He would be a good one to send for death. (Italian Proverb)

He hauls at a long rope who expects another's death. (Italian Proverb)

Thank you, pretty pussy, was the death of my cat. (Italian Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man for the Angel of Death. (Jewish Proverb)

If you start thinking of death, you are no longer sure of life. (Jewish Proverb)

Dying while young is a boon in old age. (Jewish Proverb)

Be sure to send a lazy man for the angel of death. (Jewish Proverb)

An advantage of poverty, your relatives gain nothing by your death. (Jewish Proverb)

To wait for luck is the same as waiting for death. (Japanese Proverb)

The pensioner gets the wages of the death. (Japanese Proverb)

What you give for the cause of charity in health is gold; what you give in sickness is silver; what you give after death is lead. (Jewish Proverb)

The ugliest life is better than the nicest death. (Jewish Proverb)

Even the fear of death is dispelled by music. (Latin Proverb)

Death to the wolf is life to the lambs. (Latin Proverb)

Death snatches away the most deserving, and leaves the wicked. (Latin Proverb)

Death brings to a level spades and scepters. (Latin Proverb)

Live your own life, for you will die your own death. (Latin Proverb)

Let it be well recorded that a harlot is a gate which leads to death. (Latin Proverb)

If glory comes after death, I'm not in a hurry. (Latin Proverb)

There is an herb for every kind of sickness but not for death. (Lithuanian Proverb)

There grows not the herb, which can protect against the power of death. (Latin Proverb)

If death be terrible, the fault is not in death, but thee. (Nigerian Proverb)

Death said to the man with his throat cut, "How ugly you look." (Maltese Proverb)

When a dead tree falls, the woodpeckers profit from his death. (Malawian Proverb)

The betrothed of good is evil; the betrothed of life is death; the betrothed of love is divorce. (Malawian Proverb)

As a child, is a man wrapped in his mother's womb; as an adult, in tradition; comes death, and he is wrapped in earth. (Malawian Proverb)

Living is not a reward and dying is no crime.
(Malagasy Proverb)

He, who is afraid of death, loses his life.
(Romanian Proverb)

To change one's habits has a smell of death.
(Portuguese Proverb)

There is a remedy for everything; it is called death.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Death makes us equal in the grave but not in eternity.
(Portuguese Proverb)

One sip of wine is an antidote against death, cupfuls poison life.
(Persian Proverb)

I have no right to rejoice at the death of my enemy when I do not have eternal life myself.
(Persian Proverb)

Death is the key that will open a miser's coffers.
(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

Hours are Time's shafts, and one comes winged with death.
(Scottish Proverb)

Old age is not a joy, but death is not a gain.
(Russian Proverb)

Habit is a shirt that we wear till death.

(Russian Proverb)

Death is not found behind mountains but right behind our shoulders. (Russian Proverb)

Death is a giant against whom even the Tsars must draw weapons. (Russian Proverb)

Death does not take the old but the ripe.

(Russian Proverb)

Death does not come free of charge, for it costs us our life. (Russian Proverb)

Death carries on its shoulders a heavy Tsar just as easily as a light beggar.

(Russian Proverb)

In the face of love and death, courage is useless. (Spanish Proverb)

Death is the reaper who doesn't take a midday nap. (Spanish Proverb)

There is no remedy for death, but death itself is a remedy. (Spanish Proverb)

There is a remedy for everything but death. (Spanish Proverb)

Never praise life in front of death, nor the beautiful day in front of night.

(Spanish Proverb)

A dry cough is the trumpeter of death

(Traditional Proverb)

Talk to a priest and die a thousand deaths.

(Thai Proverb)

When the child cuts its teeth, death is on the watch. (Spanish Proverb)

Forget not Death, O man for thou may'st be of one thing certain - he forgets not thee.

(Traditional Proverb)

For stern as death is love, relentless as the nether world is devotion its flames are a blazing fire. Deep waters cannot quench love, nor do floods sweep it away.

(Traditional Proverb)

Feed your faith and your fears will starve to death. (Traditional Proverb)

Fear of death is worse than death itself.

(Traditional Proverb)

Do the thing you fear and the death of fear is certain. (Traditional Proverb)

Birth is not a beginning death is not an end. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is a dream walking death is a going home. (Traditional Proverb)

In the midst of life we are in death. (Traditional Proverb)

In a noble man, anger lasts for a moment in a worldly man for two hours in a base man for a day and in an evil man until death. (Traditional Proverb)

We come and cry and that is life, we cry and go and that is death. (Traditional Proverb)

The shirt of death does not have pockets. (Traditional Proverb)

The first breath is the beginning of death. (Traditional Proverb)

The anger of a good man lasts an instant that of a meddler two hours that of a base man a day and a night and that of a great sinner until death. (Traditional Proverb)

Death is the black camel that kneels before every door. (Turkish Proverb)

Coffee should be black as Hell, strong as death, and sweet as love. (Turkish Proverb)

Life is a temporary stop, death is the journey home. (Vietnamese Proverb)

The fear of death takes away the joy of living. (Ukranian Proverb)

Where life is exhausted, death comes. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Fear is no obstacle to death. (West African Proverb)

Death has no modesty. (Zulu Proverb)

Death takes no bribes. (Traditional Proverb)

Dying is as natural as living. (Traditional Proverb)

Hair nails continue to grow after death. (Traditional Proverb)

Idleness is a sort of suicide. (Traditional Proverb)

Death is blind. (Swahili Proverb)

Death is God's broom. (Swedish Proverb)

Death is the last doctor. (Swedish Proverb)

After death the doctor. (Traditional Proverb)

The wages of sin is death (Spanish Proverb)

Birth is the only remedy against death.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Death spares neither Pope nor beggar.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Death squares all accounts.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Foot firm till death. (Portuguese Proverb)

Close to the Tsar, close to death.
(Russian Proverb)

Death answers before it is asked.
(Russian Proverb)

Fighting for your country glorifies death.
(Russian Proverb)

Shame is worse than death. (Russian Proverb)

There is no repentance after death.
(Russian Proverb)

When death is there, dying is over.

(Russian Proverb)

No one but death shall part us. (Latin Proverb)

Spur not a free horse to death. (Latin Proverb)

We traded in shrouds; people stopped dying.

(Lebanese Proverb)

Death rights everything. (Maltese Proverb)

One man's death is another man's life.

(Maltese Proverb)

Only death is certain. (Maltese Proverb)

We are all equal before death. (Maltese Proverb)

Hate knows no age but death. (Latin Proverb)

I prefer death to disgrace. (Latin Proverb)

Death cancels everything but truth.

(Latin Proverb)

Death defies the doctor. (Latin Proverb)

Death is common to all. (Latin Proverb)

Death is preferable. (Latin Proverb)

Death is the great leveler. (Latin Proverb)

One is certain only of death. (Jewish Proverb)

Well-done outlives death. (German Proverb)

When an old man marries, death laughs.
(German Proverb)

You may never die before death arrives.
(Indian Proverb)

Death is the bride of life. (Indonesian Proverb)

Death is the poor man's best physician.
(Irish Proverb)

The cat's play is the mouse's death.
(German Proverb)

Dying is not child's play. (German Proverb)

Beggars mounted ride their horses to death.
(Dutch Proverb)

Death is in the pot. (Dutch Proverb)

Death keeps no almanac. (Dutch Proverb)

Death pays all debts. (Dutch Proverb)

The ruling passion is strong from death.
(Dutch Proverb)

The thirteenth man brings death.
(Dutch Proverb)

Time goes, death comes. (Dutch Proverb)

Death closes all doors. (English Proverb)

Death keeps no calendar. (English Proverb)

Exile is the brother of death. (Berber Proverb)

Too many doctors caused the boy's death.
(Burmese Proverb)

The happiest life ends before death.
(Chinese Proverb)

Death does not sound a trumpet.
(Congolese Proverb)

Sleep is the cousin of death.
(Congolese Proverb)

Death does not blow a trumpet.
(Danish Proverb)

Death does not look at your teeth.
(Danish Proverb)

Few have luck, all have death. (Danish Proverb)

There is help for everything, except death.
(Danish Proverb)

Death is always news. (African Proverb)

Life is -- not separate from death.
(American Proverb)

Death rides a fast camel. (Arab Proverb)

DEBT:

You're young if you're healthy and rich if you
have no debts. (Sicilian Proverb)

A pound of care will not pay a pound of
debt. (Spanish Proverb)

Debts are like children: the smaller they are
the more noise they make. (Spanish Proverb)

Ye may puind for debt, but not for
unkindnesse. (Scottish Proverb)

Every promise is a debt and is owed, blessed
is he who keeps his word. (Sicilian Proverb)

The payment adorns the debt.

(Russian Proverb)

Debt is beautiful after repaid.

(Russian Proverb)

Debt is beautiful only after it is repaid.

(Russian Proverb)

There are four things every person has more of than they know; sins, debt, years, and foes. (Persian Proverb)

Old debts are not paid, and new ones are left to get old. (Mexican Proverb)

One can pay back the loan of gold, but one dies forever in debt to those who are kind.

(Malay Proverb)

A pound a fret can't pay an ounce a debt.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Forgetting a debt does not pay it.

(Irish Proverb)

When the leopard has a broken paw, the antelope comes to collect an old debt.

(Igbo Proverb)

A debt is still unpaid, even if forgotten.

(Irish Proverb)

Buy, buy, the children will pay the debts.

(Finnish Proverb)

There is never a debt is paid so high as that which the wet owes to the dry.

(English Proverb)

Who borrows has to pay back his debt.

(Estonian Proverb)

The mouth makes debts, but the arms pay.

(Ewe Proverb)

A pound of care will not pay an ounce of debt.

(English Proverb)

Better go to bed supper less than to rise in debt.(English Proverb)

Better to pay and have little than have much and be in debt.(English Proverb)

Debts remain from day to day.

(English Proverb)

He who restrains his appetite avoids debt.

(Chinese Proverb)

You can run into debt, but you have to crawl out.(Albanian Proverb)

Rather than run into debt, wear your old coat. (Albanian Proverb)

A small debt makes a debtor, a heavy one an enemy. (Albanian Proverb)

It is better to pay and have a little left than to have much and be always in debt. (Albanian Proverb)

Debt is the worst kind of poverty. (Albanian Proverb)

Debt is slavery. (African Proverb)

A debt may get moldy, but it never decays. (African Proverb)

The benefits you get become the debts you owe to others. (Arab Proverb)

A little debt makes a debtor, a great one an enemy. (Arab Proverb)

Happy is the man without sickness. Rich is the man with no debts. (Chinese Proverb)

Good manners can be paid for with compliments, but only the sound of money will pay your debts. (Chinese Proverb)

He is young enough who has health, and he is rich enough who has no debts.

(Danish Proverb)

A hundred waggonsful of sorrow will not pay a handful of debt.(Danish Proverb)

A pound's worth of tears will not settle a penny's worth of debt.(Corsican Proverb)

A hundred years of fretting will not pay a halfpenny of debt.(French Proverb)

When death comes, the rich man has no money and the poor man no debt.

(Estonian Proverb)

He who marries a widow also marries her debts.(French Proverb)

He who gets out of debt enriches himself.

(French Proverb)

He, who pays his debts, betters his condition.

(German Proverb)

Better to go to bed supperless than run in debt.(German Proverb)

A hundred years of regret pay not a farthing of debt.(German Proverb)

Three things come into the house uninvited:
debts, age, and death.(German Proverb)

A hundred wagon loads of thoughts will not
pay a single ounce of debt.(Italian Proverb)

There is a great uproar made about the debt of
a poor man.(Indian Proverb)

The worst kind of poverty is to have many
debts.(Indian Proverb)

He who is without debt is without credit.
(Italian Proverb)

Going to bed without dinner is better than
waking up in debt.(Jamaican Proverb)

An old debt is better than an old grudge.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Happy is the man who is out of debt.
(Latin Proverb)

He getteth a great deal of credit, who payeth
but a small debt.(Latin Proverb)

Rich is he who has no debts, fortunate he who
lives without handicap.(Mongolian Proverb)

Gold is a debt we can repay, but kindness not till our dying day. (Malawian Proverb)

Debts are like women, once you have them you can't get rid of them. (Persian Proverb)

Go to bed without supper, you will rise without debt. (Portuguese Proverb)

There are four things in this life of which we have more than we think: faults, debts, years and enemies. (Persian Proverb)

Old debts are never paid, and the new ones get old easily. (South American Proverb)

Three kinds of people die poor: those who divorce, those who incur debts, and those who move around too much. (Senegalese Proverb)

He who pledges or promises runs in debt. (Spanish Proverb)

Go to bed supperless and you will wake without debt. (Spanish Proverb)

Debts are like children, the smaller they are the louder they scream. (Spanish Proverb)

You have debts, and make debts still; if you've not lied, lie you will. (Spanish Proverb)

He who wants Lent to seem short should contract a debt to be repaid at Easter.

(Traditional Proverb)

Go rather to bed supper less than rise in debt.

(Traditional Proverb)

Better to go to bed hungry than to wake up in debt.(Traditional Proverb)

It is better to pay, and have but little left, than to have much, and be always in debt.

(Traditional Proverb)

A thousand regrets do not cancel one debt.

(Turkish Proverb)

He who promises incurs a debt.

(Spanish Proverb)

A dead man pays no debts.(Serbian Proverb)

Words pay no debts.(Latin Proverb)

Debts make the thief.(Malagasy Proverb)

An agreement is a kind of debt.

(Moroccan Proverb)

Interest on debts grows without rain.

(Jewish Proverb)

Out of debt, out of danger.(Italian Proverb)

Who pays a debt creates capital.
(Italian Proverb)

Without debt without care.(Italian Proverb)

Every promise is a debt.(Italian Proverb)

Promises make debts.(German Proverb)

Sorrow does not pay any debts.
(German Proverb)

A promise is a debt.(German Proverb)

Death pays all debts.(Dutch Proverb)

Promises make debts, and debts make
promises.(Dutch Proverb)

Sorrow will pay no debts.(Dutch Proverb)

A debt is always new.(Estonian Proverb)

Big ships often sail on big debts.
(Chinese Proverb)

Shame is forgotten, debts are not.
(Chinese Proverb)

Better be in debt than in shame.

(Croatian Proverb)

Debt severs love. (Afghan Proverb)

Poverty without debt is real wealth.

(African Proverb)

DECISION:

Each one takes his/her own decisions.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Before you take any decision, consider its effect on the next seven generations.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

A leader is judged not by the length of his reign but by the decisions he makes.

(Klingon Proverb)

Get advice, and then make your own decision.

(Corsican Proverb)

Making a thousand decisions, even the wise will make a mistake. (Chinese Proverb)

In the hotel of decisions the guests sleep well.

(Persian Proverb)

When you need to make an important decision, never do it alone, choose the right people. (Basakata Proverb)

The words you say to tell the truth are as important as the decision to be truthful. (African Proverb)

A wise man takes his own decisions; the ignorant goes with the crowd. (Chinese Proverb)

A wise man makes his own decisions; an ignorant man follows the public opinion. (Chinese Proverb)

A conference is a way of postponing a decision. (Traditional Proverb)

Necessity requires no decision. (Latin Proverb)

DEDUCTION:

No matter how bad a child is, he is still good for a tax deduction. (American Proverb)

DEFEAT:

He who does not admit defeat is not a sportsman. (Swahili Proverb)

Destroying an Empire to win a war is no victory. And ending a battle to save an Empire is no defeat. (Klingon Proverb)

Mere life is not a victory, mere death is not a defeat. (Klingon Proverb)

Defeat is never a bitter brew until one agrees to swallow it. (Chinese Proverb)

Negotiate with your enemy whilst you are a strong and formidable force, and he will always fear and respect you, but negotiate at the brink of defeat, and he will trample you down. (African Proverb)

Defeat is not failure but trail is total failure. (African Proverb)

Defeat isn't bitter if you don't swallow it. (Chinese Proverb)

Victory has hundred fathers and defeat is an orphan. (Chinese Proverb)

We learn little from victory, but a great deal from defeat. (Japanese Proverb)

In war, all suffer defeat, even the victors. (Traditional Proverb)

Victory has 100 fathers and defeat is an orphan. (Traditional Proverb)

Victory makes you into an emperor, defeat into a rebel. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Coincidence defeats a well-laid plan. (Filipino Proverb)

DEPENDENCE:

Dependence on another is perpetual disappointment. (Indian Proverb)

DESIGN:

He that is kinder than he was wont hath a design upon thee. (Italian Proverb)

If my shirt knew my design, I'd burn it. (Japanese Proverb)

Bold in design, but timid in execution.

(Latin Proverb)

DESIRE:

The path to your heart's desire is never overgrown. (Ugandan Proverb)

Much pleasure and little grief is every man's desire. (Spanish Proverb)

A connoisseur never comes to the end of desire. (Swahili Proverb)

Desire first, death afterwards.
(Swahili Proverb)

You will not necessarily get what you desire;
you will get what is appointed you.
(Swahili Proverb)

Starting is always difficult, but every desire is attainable. (Sicilian Proverb)

A high price moderates desire.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Everyone wants to go to heaven; the desire is there but the fortitude is not. (Sicilian Proverb)

We soon believe what we desire.

(Romanian Proverb)

Desire is worse than compulsion.

(Russian Proverb)

Conquer what you desire.(Klingon Proverb)

Idleness is a fool's desire.(Irish Proverb)

It's not the sin that maddens a person but the desire to do it.(Hebrew Proverb)

Examine well the counsel that favors your desire.(English Proverb)

Desire is nourished by delay.(English Proverb)

Opportunity makes desire.(Dutch Proverb)

The desire is the father of the thought.

(Dutch Proverb)

Desire of God and desire of man are two.

(Bengali Proverb)

Winds blow counter to what ships desire.

(Arabic Proverb)

Darkness is the owl's desire.

(Albanian Proverb)

Dwell not upon thy weariness, thy strength shall be according to the measure of thy desire. **(Arab Proverb)**

When two agree in their desire, One sparke will set them both on fire. **(English Proverb)**

A woman's appetite is twice that of a man's; her sexual desire, four times; her intelligence, eight times. **(Indian Proverb)**

Love is a crocodile in the river of desire. **(Indian Proverb)**

Desire of glory is the last garment that even wise men put off. **(Latin Proverb)**

Mad desire, when it has the most, longs for more. **(Latin Proverb)**

Hunger goes in a straight line, desire turns in circles. **(Romanian Proverb)**

If the eye do not admire, the heart will not desire. **(Senegalese Proverb)**

Don't kill the man at the count's desire. **(Spanish Proverb)**

A wish is a desire without an attempt. **(Traditional Proverb)**

What the eye does not admire the heart does not desire. (Traditional Proverb)

The aspirant who is seeking the Lord must free himself from selfish attachments to people, money, and possessions. When his mind sheds every selfish desire, he becomes free from the duality of pleasure and pain and rules his senses. No more is he capable of ill will no more is he subject to elation, for his senses come to rest in the Self.

(Traditional Proverb)

Unbridled gratification produces unbridled desire. (Traditional Proverb)

Desire beautifies what is ugly.

(Spanish Proverb)

What is permitted us we least desire.

(Latin Proverb)

Desire nothing that would bring disgrace.

(Latin Proverb)

Large desire is endless poverty.

(Indian Proverb)

Opportunity creates desire. (Dutch Proverb)

First deserve, and then desire. (English)

DEVIL:

When a lawyer dies, the Devil follows him to his grave. (Swedish Proverb)

You should not paint the devil on the wall. (Swedish Proverb)

It's better to deal with the devil we know than the devil we don't know. (Syrian Proverb)

The devil tempts all other men, but idle men tempt the devil. (Turkish Proverb)

The devil tempts all, but the idle tempt the devil. (Turkish Proverb)

Who sows wheat with the devil will get its chaff. (Turkish Proverb)

The man to whom god gives no children, the devil gives nieces and nephews. (Venezuelan)

An Angel on the road, a Devil at the fireplace. (Welsh Proverb)

One needs a long spoon to sup with the devil. (Welsh Proverb)

Lawyers and soldiers are the Devil's playmates. (Swedish Proverb)

Talk of the devil, and you'll hear the rustle of his wings. (Swahili Proverb)

what is not eaten by a man, let the devil eat it. (Swahili Proverb)

A brother's wrath is a devil's wrath. (Swedish Proverb)

When there's a clear horizon in winter, there'll be the devil to pay. (Sicilian Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow; the devil comes with a bellows. (Spanish Proverb)

Go to the Devil for God's sake. (Scottish Proverb)

He should have a long shafted spoon that sups kail with the Devil. (Scottish Proverb)

It is a sin to lie on the Devil. (Scottish Proverb)

If that God will give, the Devil cannot rave. (Scottish Proverb)

Ye have a face to God, and another to the Devil. (Scottish Proverb)

Ye would doe little for God, and the Devil were dead. (Scottish Proverb)

If one saws pumpkins with the devil, they will bash onto one's head. (Serbo-Croatian)

A woman of thirty is not tempted by the devil. (Sicilian Proverb)

God made things straight; the devil came and twisted them. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you close the door, the devil will turn his back on you. (Sicilian Proverb)

The devil was sick, the devil a monk would be; the devil was well, the devil a monk was he. (Romanian Proverb)

One may become the devil's brother in order to cross the bridge. (Romanian Proverb)

What is got over the devil's back is spent under his belly. (Romanian Proverb)

Women are the devil's nets.
(Romanian Proverb)

Devils live in beautiful mansions. (Russian)

Devils live in quiet pond. (Russian Proverb)

Still waters are inhabited by devils.
(Russian Proverb)

When a man hurries, the devil smiles.

(Polish Proverb)

Idle hands are the devil's workshop.

(Puritan Proverb)

Marry a child of the devil and you're going to have problems with your father-in-law.

(Puritan Proverb)

A woman is flax, man is fire, and the devil comes and blows the bellows.

(Romanian Proverb)

An idle person is the devil's cushion.

(Romanian Proverb)

God sends meat and the devil sends cooks.

(Romanian Proverb)

He that has shipped the devil must make the best of him.

(Romanian Proverb)

It is sometimes good to hold a candle to the devil.

(Romanian Proverb)

Light a candle for God and another for the devil.

(Polish Proverb)

He who steals in order to give to god can only get advice from the devil.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

A thorn that pierces the toe should be burned by the light of a new moon lest the devil possess the foot.(Nigerian Proverb)

When you are eating with the devil, you must use a long spoon.(Nigerian Proverb)

The devil is wiser not because he's the devil, but because he's old.(Mexican Proverb)

The Devil knows more because he's old than because he's the devil.(Mexican Proverb)

Slowness comes from God and haste from the Devil.(Moroccan Proverb)

God is in the details and so is the devil.
(Namibian Proverb)

Hell must be in bad condition when even the devil stays out.(Mexican Proverb)

If god doesn't take a lawyer, the devil will haul him away.(Maltese Proverb)

The world is a wheel and men are the fellows, and the devil prowling around spins.
(Maltese Proverb)

An idle mind is the devil's playground.
(Mexican Proverb)

A physician is an angel when employed, but a devil when one must pay him. (Latin Proverb)

Good things, many devils. (Japanese Proverb)

He who sups with the Devil should have a long spoon. (Italian Proverb)

Like will to like, as the devil said to the collier. (Italian Proverb)

He knows where the devil has his tail. (Italian Proverb)

Don't bid the devil good day till you meet him. (Irish Proverb)

Don't go to law with the devil in the court of hell. (Irish Proverb)

Pulling the devil by the leg is a bad grip. (Irish Proverb)

Speak to the devil and you'll hear the clatter of his hooves. (Irish Proverb)

A woman can beat the devil. (Irish Proverb)

He is afraid of it, as the devil fears holy water or incense. (Hungarian Proverb)

He is good, only the devils are bad, for not carrying him away. (Hungarian Proverb)

He owed the devil a journey.
(Hungarian Proverb)

His eyes are beautiful, but his heart is a devil.
(Hungarian Proverb)

His words are nice but he is a devil.
(Hungarian Proverb)

It is not good to paint the devil on the wall.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Living with a devil, you have to turn a devil.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Sometimes one has to light a candle for the devil too. (Hungarian Proverb)

The devil does not sleep. (Hungarian Proverb)

The little devil is hiding in me. (Hungarian)

Man is his own devil. (Hindi Proverb)

Give the devil your little finger, you will be taken entirely. (Hungarian Proverb)

Don't paint the devil on the wall.
(Finnish Proverb)

Set a beggar on horseback, and he 'll out ride the Devil. (German Proverb)

A witch-wife and an evil is three-halfpence worse than the devil. (Gypsy Proverb)

Neither money nor the devil can remain in peace. (Gypsy Proverb)

Speaking of the devil. (English Proverb)

Talk of the devil and he is sure to appear. (English Proverb)

Where god builds a church, the devil will build a chapel. (English Proverb)

Man, woman and devil are the three degrees of comparison. (English Proverb)

He that labors is tempted by one devil; he that is idle is tempted by a thousand. (English)

He who sups with the devil has need of a long spoon. (English Proverb)

The devil's wiser more on account of his age than on account of being the devil. (Ecuadorian Proverb)

When the Angels arrive, the devils leave. (Egyptian Proverb)

Better the devil you know than the devil you don't know. (English Proverb)

Laziness is the devil's pillow. (Danish Proverb)

Nicknames are used in case the Devil comes asking for you. (Dominican Proverb)

The devil is not so black as he is painted. (Dutch Proverb)

Talk of the devil - and the devil appears. (Bulgarian Proverb)

What the devil is unable to do, he asks a woman to do? (Bulgarian Proverb)

De devil does find work for evil hands to do. (Bajan Proverb)

A lazy man is the devils handyman. (Austrian Proverb)

The devil is cunning. (Arabic Proverb)

De devil does find work for evil hands to do. (Bajan Proverb)

The devil protects his own. (Albanian Proverb)

A person who does not speak out against the wrong is a mute devil. (Arabic Proverb)

The devil can quote Scripture to his own advantage.(Albanian Proverb)

The devil is always at the elbow of an idle man.(Albanian Proverb)

There's no use to pray after the devil has you.
(Albanian Proverb)

There's more than one way to beat the devil around the bush.(Albanian Proverb)

He that takes the devil into his boat must carry him over the sound.(Albanian Proverb)

He must have a long spoon that sups with the devil.(Albanian Proverb)

It's an ill army when the devil carries the colors.(Albanian Proverb)

If it's wrong to eat the devil, it's wrong to drink his broth.(Albanian Proverb)

An idle brain is the devil's workshop.
(Albanian Proverb)

He that takes the devil into his boat must carry him over the sound.(Albanian Proverb)

He must have a long spoon that sups with the devil.(Albanian Proverb)

Where God boils his yam that is exactly where the devil roasts his fish. (African Proverb)

Nicknames are the hardest stones the devil can throw at a man. (African Proverb)

If you dance with the devil you can't change him but he will change. (African Proverb)

Better stay with the devil you know than an angel you don't know. (African Proverb)

A good devil is as equal as to a bad god. (African Proverb)

A chief in the village never sees the devil. (African Proverb)

Learning makes some into Mullahs and some into devils. (Afghan Proverb)

Man sins... then blames it on the devil. (Afghan Proverb)

You are permitted in times of great danger to walk with the devil until you have crossed the bridge. (Bulgarian Proverb)

If you want to annoy the devil stay silent. (Bulgarian Proverb)

If you light one candle for God, then you must light two for the devil. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Better the devil you know than the devil you don't. (Chinese Proverb)

The devil can quote Scripture for his own ends. (Chinese Proverb)

With money one may command devils; without it, one cannot even summon a man. (Chinese Proverb)

Falsehood is the Devil's daughter, and speaks her father's tongue. (Danish Proverb)

He must have iron fingers who would flay the devil. (Danish Proverb)

He must cry aloud who would scare the devil. (Danish Proverb)

He must be ill-favoured who scares the devil. (Danish Proverb)

He must be a clever host that would take the devil into his hostelry. (Danish Proverb)

He loves me as the devil loves holy water. (Danish Proverb)

Give a thing, and take a thing, to wear the devil's gold ring.(Danish Proverb)

Falsehood is the Devil's daughter, and speaks her father's tongue.(Danish Proverb)

Call not the devil, he will come fast enough unbidden.(Danish Proverb)

A customary railer is the devil's bagpipe, which the world danceth after.
(Danish Proverb)

If you do good to the Devil, out of gratitude he will deliver you to hell.(Czech Proverb)

The devil can make a pot but he can't make a lid.(Croatian Proverb)

It is easy to bid the devil be your guest, but difficult to get rid of him.(Danish Proverb)

What is gotten over the devil's back is spent under his belly.(Danish Proverb)

Virtue in the middle, said the Devil, when seated between two lawyers.(Danish Proverb)

One to one and two to the devil.
(Danish Proverb)

Much noise and little wool, said the devil,
when he was shearing the sow.

(Danish Proverb)

It is not easy to walk upon the devil's ice.

(Danish Proverb)

It is not for nothing that the devil lays himself
down in the ditch.(Danish Proverb)

It is easy to work with a good comb, said the
devil, when he combed his mother's hair with
a pitchfork.(Danish Proverb)

Never was hood so holy but the devil could get
his head into it.(Dutch Proverb)

He that is embarked with the devil must sail
with him.(Dutch Proverb)

He that has the devil on his neck must find
him work.(Dutch Proverb)

He must have crept out of hell while the devil
was asleep.(Dutch Proverb)

Great cry and little wool, quoth the devil, when
he sheared his hogs.(Dutch Proverb)

God sent him meat, but the devil cooked it.
(Dutch Proverb)

A usurer, a miller, a banker, and a publican
are the four evangelists of Lucifer.

(Dutch Proverb)

When every man gets his own the devil gets
nothing. (Danish Proverb)

Talk of the Devil, and he is bound to appear.
(Dutch Proverb)

Talk of the devil and you hear his bones rattle.
(Dutch Proverb)

One must sometimes hold a candle to the
devil. (Dutch Proverb)

The wicked shun the light as the devil does
the cross. (Dutch Proverb)

The rich devour the poor, and the devil
devours the rich and so both are devoured.
(Dutch Proverb)

The boor looks after a cent as the devil after a
soul. (Dutch Proverb)

Talk of the Devil, and he is bound to appear.
(Dutch Proverb)

Talk of the devil and you hear his bones rattle.
(Dutch Proverb)

One must sometimes hold a candle to the devil. (Dutch Proverb)

He that shippeth the devil must make the best of him. (English Proverb)

When flatters meet, the devil goes to dinner. (English Proverb)

Every mother-in-law is a piece of the devil's pants. (French Proverb)

A party of two is that of God; of three of the king; of four is of the devil. (French Proverb)

The devil does not always wear boots -- he sometimes comes barefoot. (Estonian Proverb)

When the devil says his paternosters he means to cheat you. (French Proverb)

Parsley seed goes nine times to the Devil. (French Proverb)

When the devil grows old he turns himself hermit. (French Proverb)

One candle for St. Michael, and another for his devil. (French Proverb)

When he was fifteen the devil was a good looking boy. (French Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow, and the devil comes and blows.(French Proverb)

When God sends flour the devil carries off the sack.(French Proverb)

In borrowing an angel, in repaying a devil.
(French Proverb)

Were the devil to come from hell to fight, there would forthwith be a Frenchman to accept the challenge.(French Proverb)

When the Frenchman sleeps the devil rocks him.(French Proverb)

Pulling the devil by the tail does not lead far young or old.(French Proverb)

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Happy the child whose father goes to the devil. (French Proverb)

The devil was handsome when he was young. (French Proverb)

The devil may die without my inheriting his horns. (French Proverb)

The devil is not always at a poor man's door. (French Proverb)

Tell a woman once she is beautiful and the devil will repeat it ten times. (French Proverb)

Slanderers are the devil's bellows, to blow up contention. (French Proverb)

When the Frenchman sleeps the devil rocks him. (French Proverb)

Pulling the devil by the tail does not lead far young or old. (French Proverb)

He, who has once invited the devil into his house, will never be rid of him. (German Proverb)

He that is busy is tempted but by one devil, he that is idle by a legion. (German Proverb)

Why should the devil have all the best tunes? (French Proverb)

In time of war the devil makes more room in hell. (German Proverb)

He, who has once invited the devil into his house, will never be rid of him. (German Proverb)

He that is busy is tempted but by one devil, he that is idle by a legion. (German Proverb)

Every man for himself, and the Devil take the hindmost. (German Proverb)

Even the devil's grandmother was a nice girl when she was young. (German Proverb)

Even the devil is beautiful when he is young. (German Proverb)

Crime is cunning; it puts an angel in front of every devil.(German Proverb)

As good eat the devil as the broth he was boiled in.(German Proverb)

Age before beauty, said the devil as he threw his grandmother off the stairs.
(German Proverb)

A pack of cards is the devil's prayer book.
(German Proverb)

A church without a leader is prey for the devil.(Georgian Proverb)

I see by my mother-in-law's eyes when the devil takes hold of her.(Gaelic Proverb)

He who plays with a sword plays with the devil.(Gaelic Proverb)

Let the devil get into the church, and he will mount the altar.(German Proverb)

Like will to like, as the devil said to the coal-burner.(German Proverb)

The monk's habit is never so blessed that the devil can't hide in it.(German Proverb)

The devil is never so black as he is painted.
(German Proverb)

The devil is civil when he is flattered.
(German Proverb)

Talk of the devil, and his imp appears.
(German Proverb)

Set a beggar on horseback, and he'll ride to the Devil.(German Proverb)

Set a beggar on a horse and he'll ride to the devil.(German Proverb)

Revenge in cold blood is the devil's own act and deed.(German Proverb)

When the devil reigns today God will be master tomorrow.(German Proverb)

When God says "today," the devil says "tomorrow."(German Proverb)

When Christ was along, the devil tempted him.(German Proverb)

Were a woman rules the house; the devil is serving-man.(German Proverb)

Where God builds a church, the devil builds a chapel.(German Proverb)

Write on one of the devil's horns, "Good angel," and many will believe it. (German Proverb)

Who stands bail for someone is being teased by the devil. (German Proverb)

Who neither believes heaven or hell, the devil heartily wishes him well. (German Proverb)

Wherever there is a pretty spot, the devil plants a monastery or a lord. (German Proverb)

Where there's money, there is the devil; but where there's none, a greater evil. (German Proverb)

Where the hedge is lowest, the devil leaps over. (German Proverb)

Where the devil can't go himself, he sends an old woman. (German Proverb)

A house without a woman is the devil's own lodging. (Indian Proverb)

I have two masters -- God and the devil; I work for the devil until lunch then I follow the Lord. (Gypsy Proverb)

When the devil grows poor he becomes a tax collector. (Greek Proverb)

Son of a priest, grandson of the devil.
(Greek Proverb)

You must answer the devil in his own
language.(Indian Proverb)

He would not give the devil a knife to cut his
throat.(Italian Proverb)

He who sups with the devil must have a long
spoon.(Italian Proverb)

He who is embarked with the devil must make
the passage in his company.(Italian Proverb)

He that is afraid of the devil does not grow
rich.(Italian Proverb)

He that has swallowed the devil may swallow
his horns.(Italian Proverb)

He knows where the devil carries his tail.
(Italian Proverb)

He devil tempts all, but the idle man tempts
the devil.(Italian Proverb)

He devil is not so ugly as he is painted.
(Italian Proverb)

God sends us the meat, but it is the Devil who
sends us cooks.(Italian Proverb)

The devil is bad because he is old.

(Italian Proverb)

Tell everybody your business and the devil will do it for you.(Italian Proverb)

Of three things the devil makes a salad:
advocate's tongues, notaries' fingers, and a
third that shall be nameless.(Italian Proverb)

The father a saint the son a devil.

(Italian Proverb)

When you talk about future happenings the
devil starts to laugh.(Japanese Proverb)

The devil was good looking at eighteen, and
course tea makes a bitter first cup.

(Japanese Proverb)

He who has gold is served by the devil.

(Japanese Proverb)

Eat with the devil but give him a long
spoon.(Jamaican Proverb)

Women know a point more than the devil.

(Italian Proverb)

Where the devil cannot put his head he puts
his tail.(Italian Proverb)

When your devil was born, mine was going to school. (Italian Proverb)

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When the devil is old he turns hermit. (Italian Proverb)

The devil tempts all, but the idle man tempts the devil. (Kurdish Proverb)

Woman was born three days earlier than the devil. (Korean Proverb)

Happy is the man whose father went to the devil. (Latin Proverb)

God sends meat, but the Devil sends cooks. (Latin Proverb)

Drunkenness makes some men fools, some beasts, and some devils. (Latin Proverb)

Beads about the neck, and the devil in his heart. (Latin Proverb)

Home is home, as the Devil said when he found himself in the Court of Session. (Latin Proverb)

He should have a long spoon who sups with the devil. (Latin Proverb)

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A polite devil is more agreeable than a rude saint. (Lebanese Proverb)

Let the devil into church and he will climb into the pulpit. (Latvian Proverb)

Even the devil himself does not know where women sharpen their knives. (Latvian Proverb)

Wickedness with beauty is the devil's hook baited. (Latin Proverb)

The world is a wheel and men are the felloes, and the devil prowling around spins.
(Maltese Proverb)

The devil is not so ugly as he is painted.
(Portuguese Proverb)

I see by my daughter's face when the devil lays hold of my son-in-law. (Portuguese Proverb)

From a closed door the devil turns away.

(Portuguese Proverb)

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I see by my daughter's face when the devil lays hold of my son-in-law.

(Portuguese Proverb)

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(Portuguese Proverb)

The worst devil is the one who prays.

(Polish Proverb)

The devil can swallow a woman but he can't digest her.

(Polish Proverb)

One devil does not scratch out another devil's eyes.

(Serbian Proverb)

It does no harm now and then to burn a candle for the devil.

(Serbian Proverb)

Even the devil knows what is right, but he will not do it.

(Serbian Proverb)

If the Devil were dead, folk would do little for God's sake.

(Scottish Proverb)

A dimple on the chin, the devil within.

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(Scottish Proverb)

If the devil catch a man idle he'll set him at work.

(Russian Proverb)

If God sends you meal, the devil takes the sack.

(Russian Proverb)

If the devil is going to disguise himself, it will be as a monk or a lawyer.

(Spanish Proverb)

I am like you and you like me. The devil united us.

(Spanish Proverb)

He who has shipped the devil, must carry him over the sound.

(Spanish Proverb)

He to whom God gives no sons, the devil gives nephews.

(Spanish Proverb)

God defend you from the devil, the eye of a harlot, and the turn of a die.

(Spanish Proverb)

Do you carry the trough, husband, and I will carry the sieve, which is as heavy as the devil.

(Spanish Proverb)

Beware of a reconciled friend as of the devil.

(Spanish Proverb)

If the devil is going to disguise himself, it will be as a monk or a lawyer. (Spanish Proverb)

I am like you and you like me. The devil united us. (Spanish Proverb)

The wrath of brothers is the wrath of devils. (Spanish Proverb)

The devil is so fond of his son that he put out his eye. (Spanish Proverb)

The cross on his breast, and the devil in his heart. (Spanish Proverb)

The busy man is troubled with but one devil, the idle man by a thousand. (Spanish Proverb)

Tell it her once, and the devil will tell it her ten times. (Spanish Proverb)

Renounce the devil, and thou shalt wear a shabby coat. (Spanish Proverb)

Where God has his church the Devil will have his chapel. (Spanish Proverb)

When war begins the devil makes hell bigger. (Spanish Proverb)

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When the Devil was sick the Devil a monk would be, When the Devil got well, the devil a monk was he.(Spanish Proverb)

When the devil says his prayers he wants to cheat you.(Spanish Proverb)

When the devil finds the door shut he goes away.(Spanish Proverb)

As the stone leaves your hand it belongs to the devil.(Swiss Proverb)

He took the devil's mat, but he'll pay back with his skin.(Traditional Proverb)

Black as the Devil, sweet as a stolen kiss.
(Traditional Proverb)

An atheist is one point beyond the devil.
(Traditional Proverb)

The anger of a woman is mighty and the devil's trickery weak.(Tunisian Proverb)

Idle men tempt the devil; the devil tempts all others.(Turkish Proverb)

In dark weather the devil is in the air.
(Walloon Proverb)

If the devil is powerless, send him a woman.
(Ukranian Proverb)

Tell the truth and shame the Devil.
(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Life is like a game in which God shuffles the cards, the devil deals them and we have to play the trumps.(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Speak the truth and shame the devil.
(Traditional Proverb)

Haste is from the Devil.(Swahili Proverb)

Devils have more than twelve apostles.
(Swedish Proverb)

When the flatterer pipes, the devil dances.
(Spanish Proverb)

Needs must when the devil drives.
(Spanish Proverb)

Rosary is hand, the devil at heart.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Partnership is an invention of the devil.
(Russian Proverb)

A gossip's mouth is the devil's postbag.
(Scottish Proverb)

Money and the devil know no rest.
(Serbian Proverb)

Talk of the devil and he'll appear.
(Latin Proverb)

A woman has even cheated the devil.
(Maltese Proverb)

You cannot serve God and the devil.
(Maltese Proverb)

Even the devil slaves for the fortunate.
(Nepalese Proverb)

Let the devil never find you unoccupied.
(Latin Proverb)

Suspicion bears dark devils. (Japanese)

One devil does not make hell. (Italian Proverb)

The devil will tempt Lucifer. (Italian Proverb)

The Italianized Englishman is a devil incarnate. (Italian Proverb)

When woman reigns the devil governs.
(Italian Proverb)

Suspicion bears dark devils.(Japanese)

One devil does not make hell.(Italian Proverb)

One devil drives out another.(Italian Proverb)

Even the devil needs a friend.(Indian Proverb)

An idle man is the devil's bolster.(Italian)

Don't mention the cross to the devil.
(Italian Proverb)

Gold is the devil's fishhook.(Italian Proverb)

Hold a candle to the devil!(German Proverb)

Liberty is God's gift, liberties the devil's.
(German Proverb)

One man is another's devil.(German Proverb)

Places are God's; placemen are the devil's.
(German Proverb)

Street angel, house devil.(German Proverb)

The devil is in the details.(German Proverb)

The husband's mother is the wife's devil.
(German Proverb)

The devil rebukes sin. (French Proverb)

Where the woman goes the devil follows.
(French Proverb)

Young saints, old devils. (French Proverb)

The devil is fond of his own. (Gaelic Proverb)

Devils must be driven out with devils.
(German Proverb)

Gossipers are the devil's trumpeters.
(French Proverb)

Religious contention is the devil's harvest.
(French Proverb)

A young angel, an old devil. (French Proverb)

Behind the cross stands the devil.
(Dutch Proverb)

He said devil, but meant you. (Dutch Proverb)

An idle mind is the devil's workshop.
(English Proverb)

Give the devil his due. (English Proverb)

The Devil's children have the Devil's luck.
(English Proverb)

An idle man is the devil's pillow.

(Dutch Proverb)

Devil take the hindmost.(Chinese Proverb)

An ill-tempered woman is the devil's door-nail.(Danish Proverb)

Idleness is the devil's bolster.

(Danish Proverb)

Haste is the invention of the devil.

(Arab Proverb)

DIET:

Diet cures more than the lancet.

(Hindustani Proverb)

He that lives on hope has a slender diet.

(Albanian Proverb)

The best doctors are Dr. Diet, Dr. Quiet, and Dr. Merryman.(Chinese Proverb)

He that lives on hope has but a slender diet.

(Danish Proverb)

The best physicians are Dr. Diet, Dr. Quiet, and Dr. Merryman.(Italian Proverb)

If doctors fail thee, be these three thy doctors--
Rest, cheerfulness, and moderate diet.

(Latin Proverb)

A little with quiet is the only diet.

(Traditional Proverb)

I'm on a 90 Day Wonder Diet. Thus far, I've
lost 45 days.(Traditional Proverb)

Whatsoever was the father of disease, an ill
diet was the mother.(Traditional Proverb)

Diet cures more than doctors.

(Scottish Proverb)

DIGNITY:

Dignity and an empty sack is worth the
sack.(Klingon Proverb)

Love forgets dignity.(Hebrew Proverb)

The mocked may grow up to dignity, but the
mocker will never outgrow his juvenile
behavior.(Finnish Proverb)

Dignity is one thing that can't be preserved in
alcohol.(Albanian Proverb)

Dignity does not consist in a silk dress.

(Albanian Proverb)

Pride and dignity would belong to women if only men would leave them alone.

(Egyptian Proverb)

He who takes his rank lightly raises his own dignity.

(Jewish Proverb)

Love and dignity do not dwell together.

(Latin Proverb)

Love does not pay attention to dignity.

(Jewish Proverb)

He who hurries cannot walk with dignity.

(Chinese Proverb)

DILIGENCE:

Earning encourages diligence.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Care and diligence bring luck.

(Romanian Proverb)

Diligence is the beginning of brilliance.

(Indonesian Proverb)

A year's harvest counts on spring; a man's success counts on his diligence.

(Chinese Proverb)

Diligence is the vehicle on the paths of Mountains of Books; endurance is the vessel on the courses of the Seas of Learning.

(Chinese Proverb)

Diligence is the mistress of success.

(Albanian Proverb)

Diligence brings delight.

(Albanian Proverb)

A great fortune depends on luck, a small one on diligence.

(Chinese Proverb)

Where luck is wanting, diligence is useless.

(Spanish Proverb)

Diligence is a great teacher.

(Arab Proverb)

Diligence is the mother of good luck.

(Arab Proverb)

DIPLOMACY:

Diplomacy is to do and say the nastiest thing in the nicest way.

(Albanian Proverb)

All war follow a demonstrate failure of difficulty diplomacy. (African Proverb)

Diplomacy is the art of letting someone else have your way. (American Proverb)

DISCIPLINE:

She hath past the discipline of a Tavern. (Scottish Proverb)

Discipline awaits he who leaves his path. (Moroccan Proverb)

There is no luck except where there is discipline. (Irish Proverb)

No man commands ably unless he has himself obeyed discipline. (Latin Proverb)

It's not the work that's hard, it's the discipline. (Traditional Proverb)

DISCOVERY:

A proverb is the horse that can carry one swiftly to the discovery of ideas. (Yoruban)

Necessity is mother of every invention.

(Mexican Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of all invention.

(English Proverb)

The real journey of discovery begins in old age.

(Angolan Proverb)

Accident is the mother of invention.

(Albanian Proverb)

It is an easy task to improve upon an invention.

(Latin Proverb)

If it is not true, it is a very happy invention.

(Traditional Proverb)

Partnership is an invention of the devil.

(Russian Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of invention.

(English Proverb)

Haste is the invention of the devil.

(Arab Proverb)

DISHONESTY:

Not even dishonesty can tarnish the shine of profit. (Klingon Proverb)

Faith and dishonesty are other words for uselessness. (Chinese Proverb)

DIVORCE:

The easiest way to get a divorce is to be married. (Albanian Proverb)

By day they're ready to divorce, by night they're ready for bed. (Jewish Proverb)

A man finds many faults in a woman when he wants to divorce, and finds many charms in one's fiancée. (Malagasy Proverb)

The betrothed of good is evil; the betrothed of life is death; the betrothed of love is divorce. (Malawian Proverb)

Divorce a young woman and you make another man happy. (Malagasy Proverb)

The name of Love's fiancée is Divorce. (Indonesian Proverb)

Three kinds of people die poor: those who divorce, those who incur debts, and those who move around too much. (Senegalese Proverb)

Divorce is the sacrament of adultery.
(French Proverb)

DOG:

A wild dog is best eaten when clubbed to death. (Zambian Proverb)

Take a hair of the dog that bit you.
(Traditional Proverb)

It is better to walk around a bush than fight with a dog. (Turkish Proverb)

Speak of the dog, but take the stick into your hand. (Turkish Proverb)

What business does a dog have in the shop of the blacksmith. (Turkish Proverb)

The dog orders its tail. (Tywa Proverb)

When there is killing weather, the dogs grow fat, when there is. (Tywa Proverb)

If you have decided to eat a dog, eat a fat one. (Ugandan Proverb)

A dog of the wind. (Xhosa Proverb)

He has fastened a dog to a shrub. (Xhosa Proverb)

The dog orders its tail. (Tywa Proverb)

When there is killing weather, the dogs grow fat, when there is. (Tywa Proverb)

If you have decided to eat a dog, eat a fat one. (Ugandan Proverb)

He has fastened a dog to a shrub. (Xhosa Proverb)

The ideal is a four year old dog, an eight year old horse, an eighteen year old woman and a twenty eight year old man. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who goes hunting without dogs, comes home without rabbits. (Sicilian Proverb)

Dogs understand each other by their barking, and men by their words. (Somali Proverb)

You should discuss over a dog's hide when it concerns your interest. (Somali Proverb)

A dog does not always bark at the front gate.
(Spanish Proverb)

Give a dog a bad name and hang it.
(Spanish Proverb)

If you lie down with dogs, you'll get up with fleas.(Spanish Proverb)

Let the dog bark so he doesn't bite me.
(Spanish Proverb)

Let the dogs bark; it's a sign that we are galloping ahead.(Spanish Proverb)

The teeth of a dog do not lock together.
(Swahili Proverb)

Don't judge the dog from its hairs.
(Swedish Proverb)

Like master like dog.(Swedish Proverb)

If you have to have animals in your house, don't have either a dog or a cat with a red coat.(Sicilian Proverb)

Never trust your friend with a secret unless he is mute or a dog.(Sicilian Proverb)

The dog bites the bedraggled.(Sicilian Proverb)

There is a dog in the well. (Scottish Proverb)

Waken not sleeping dogs. (Scottish Proverb)

Ye breed of the Millers dog, ye lick your lips
ere the poke be open. (Scottish Proverb)

A big dog doesn't play around with a lap dog.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Cover a dog bite with fur. (Sicilian Proverb)

Dogs bark and oxen graze. (Sicilian Proverb)

Dogs that bark, protect you. (Sicilian Proverb)

Don't say, don't go, to running dogs.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you don't like dogs, you don't like people.
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If you shake a dog, you shake his owner.
(Rwandan Proverb)

Close the door and beat the dog.
(Rwandan Proverb)

Better a Dog faun nor bark on you.
(Scottish Proverb)

Dogs will red swine. (Scottish Proverb)

Like the gardener's dog, that neither eats
cabbages himself, nor lets anybody else.
(Romanian Proverb)

The moon does not heed the barking of dogs.
(Romanian Proverb)

Trust not a horse's heel, nor a dog's tooth.
(Romanian Proverb)

A dog is wiser than a woman; it does not bark
at its master. (Russian Proverb)

For a mad dog, seven versts is not a long
detour. (Russian Proverb)

That's where the dog is buried. (Russian)

You needn't be afraid of a barking dog, but
you should be afraid of a silent dog. (Russian)

A house without a dog or a cat is the house of a scoundrel. (Portuguese Proverb)

Beware of a man that does not talk, and of a dog that does not bark. (Portuguese Proverb)

If you don't have a dog, you hunt with a cat. (Portuguese Proverb)

Let the dog bark at me, so he doesn't bite me. (Portuguese Proverb)

A dog may die from too much walking, but a fool dies from worrying about someone else's business. (Romanian Proverb)

A staff is quickly found to beat a dog. (Romanian Proverb)

Cut off a dog's tail and he will be a dog still. (Romanian Proverb)

Dead dogs bite not. (Romanian Proverb)

Dogs wag their tails, not so much in love to you as to your bread. (Romanian Proverb)

The owner of the dog does not obey his dog. (Pygmy Proverb)

The moon is not shamed by the barking of dogs. (Native American Southwest Proverb)

If you don't wish to have rags for clothes, don't play with a dog. (Nigerian Proverb)

It is one person in a street that kills a dog and the street is named a street of dog killers. (Nigerian Proverb)

The wolf and the dog do not play together. (Norse Proverb)

Once the dog's dead, the rabies ends. (Mexican Proverb)

A dog does not enter a home where they suffer from hunger. (Mongolian Proverb)

By all means make friends with the dog, but do not lay aside the stick. (Moroccan Proverb)

He who follows the crow will be led to the corpses of dogs. (Moroccan Proverb)

If a man told you that a dog had run off with your ear, would you go after the dog or search first for your ear? (Moroccan Proverb)

If the prayers of dogs were answered, bones would rain from the sky. (Moroccan Proverb)

The barking of dogs does not hurt the clouds. (Moroccan Proverb)

To the dog that has money, men say: my lord dog. (Moroccan Proverb)

Those that lie down with dogs, get up with fleas. (Native American Blackfoot Proverb)

Beware of the man who does not talk and the dog that does not bark.
(Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

They live like cat and dog. (Manx Proverb)

Maybe the last dog is catching the hare.
(Manx Proverb)

Who lies with dogs shall rise up with fleas.
(Latin Proverb)

Wherever there are bones, there are dogs.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Feed a dog for three days and it is grateful for three years. Feed a cat for three years and it forgets after three days. (Japanese Proverb)

If you become a dog, turn into the dog of a wealthy family. (Japanese Proverb)

In a wealthy man's house there is no lean dog. (Japanese Proverb)

Who gives bread to other's dogs is often barked at by her own. (Italian Proverb)

Sarry fi maaga dog, maaga dog tu'n 'roun' bit yu. (Jamaican Proverb)

Better for a man to have even a dog welcome him than a dog bark at him. (Irish Proverb)

It's hard to make a choice between two blind dogs. (Irish Proverb)

Keep the bone and the dog will follow. (Irish Proverb)

The cat is always dignified, until the dog comes by. (Irish Proverb)

When your hand is in the dog's mouth, withdraw it gently. (Irish Proverb)

You can kill a dog more way than by choking it with butter. (Irish Proverb)

A dog that bites silently. (Italian Proverb)

A living dog is been than a dead lion. (Italian Proverb)

Dog eats excreta, but goat gets rotten teeth. (Igbo Proverb)

Where's no top dogs, underdogs will be seen as one. (Indonesian Proverb)

A little dog can start a hare, but it takes a big one to catch it. (Irish Proverb)

The tail wags the dog. (Hungarian Proverb)

The wolf, dog does not eat the winter. (Hungarian Proverb)

Two dogs can hardly agree on one bone. (Hungarian Proverb)

If a dog is to be killed, it is said to be mad. (Hungarian Proverb)

It fell to the thirtieth of dogs. (Hungarian Proverb)

Money talks, although the dog may bark. (Hungarian Proverb)

One of them is a dog, the other a barker. (Hungarian Proverb)

Out of a dog there will be no lard. (Hungarian Proverb)

The bite of a dog is healed by the hair of it. (Hungarian Proverb)

The dog is buried here. (Hungarian Proverb)

The hoar-frost is still to come for the dog.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The tail wags the dog. (Hungarian Proverb)

The wolf, dog does not eat the winter.
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Two dogs can hardly agree on one bone.
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There are all kinds of people in the world:
asses and mules, dogs and hogs, and also
worms. (Hebrew Proverb)

A late repentance is a dog's idea.
(Hungarian Proverb)

A liar is caught sooner than a lame dog.
(Hungarian Proverb)

A red dog, a red horse, a red man - none of
them are good. (Hungarian Proverb)

Barking of dogs cannot be heard in heaven.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Braying of an ass or barking of a dog, is not
heard in Heaven. (Hungarian Proverb)

Dog and cat friendship.(Hungarian Proverb)

It is the dog which is hit by the tossed stick,
which yelps.(Finnish Proverb)

Judge not the dog by its hair.
(Finnish Proverb)

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(Finnish Proverb)

It is strange! The ox eats hay and the dog eats
bread, while the donkey carries wine but
drinks water.(Galla Proverb)

The dog was asked: Why do you bark? - To
scare the wolves. - Why do you wag your tail?
-What do you think, am I not afraid of wolves?
(Georgian Proverb)

The wolf told the dog: It does not matter that I
run and you follow me, what matters is that
when I turn around you will be next to me.
(Georgian Proverb)

I would rather have a dog as a friend than an
enemy.(German Proverb)

There are more ways of killing a dog than
choking it with butter.(German Proverb)

When two dogs fight for a bone, and the third runs off with it, there's a lawyer among the dogs. (German Proverb)

As the crow is made for stewing the dog is made for kicking. (Gypsy Proverb)

One who tries to hide with a dog, a child, a goat, or a person with a cold, will not remain hidden. (Ethiopian Proverb)

When the hyena is gone, that is when the dog barks. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Unless you're the lead sled dog, the view is pretty much the same. (Eskimo Proverb)

Who cheats is a dog, which lets himself be cheated is an ass. (Estonian Proverb)

Who is a dog here will be a dog there. (Estonian Proverb)

Who is a dog will get dog's pay. (Estonian Proverb)

Who lifts a dog's tail is a dog himself. (Estonian Proverb)

Who lives as a dog will die as a dog. (Estonian Proverb)

A hyena intrudes through a gap a dog opened.(Ethiopian Proverb)

After the hyena has gone, the dog barks.
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Don't spend the evening in a house where you can't spend the night. A good name is better than good perfume. After the hyena has gone, the dog barks.(Ethiopian Proverb)

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In every country dogs bite.(English Proverb)

Many dogs may easily worry one hare.

(English Proverb)

Hair of the dog that bit you.(English Proverb)

If you have to drag a dog to the hunt, neither he nor his hunting is any good.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Do not dwell in a city where a horse does not neigh nor a dog bark.(English Proverb)

Dogs bark and cows chew grass.

(Corsican Proverb)

Money from poor men and balls from dogs, impossible to hide.(Corsican Proverb)

There is no need to feed the dog that follows.(Corsican Proverb)

When a dog ages, the fox pees on it.

(Corsican Proverb)

When storms roll in, dogs make beds.

(Corsican Proverb)

Many dogs, rabbit's death.(Czech Proverb)

Don't judge the dog by its fur.

(Danish Proverb)

Do not wake sleeping dogs.(Dutch Proverb)

To find the dog in the pot.(Dutch Proverb)

By the owner, the dog is respected.
(Corsican Proverb)

Dogs are dogs, but cats are people.
(Chinese Proverb)

If the dog leads the man, the man is blind
(Chinese Proverb)

Killing the dog does not heal the bite.
(Chinese Proverb)

The talker will lead the dog to the meat
market.(Bugandan Proverb)

Feed a dog to bark at you.(Bulgarian Proverb)

He that sleeps with a dog should bear its fleas.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

We had a dog, it helped the wolf.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

A dragon will be teased by a shrimp in a shoal
water; a tiger will be bullied by a dog on a
treeless plain.(Chinese Proverb)

Before you beat the dog, find out the name of his master. (Chinese Proverb)

Charity is not a bone you throw to a dog, but a bone you share with a dog. (Chinese Proverb)

Prepare for the evil dog a dog that's equal to it. (Arabic Proverb)

Respect due to a dog. (Bajan Proverb)

More watchful than a dog. (Arabic Proverb)

More tame than a dog. (Arabic Proverb)

To tell the dog to catch, and the rabbit to run. (Azerbaijani Proverb)

Dog has to have its stomach full.
(Azerbaijani Proverb)

When you mention 'dog,' you should get a stick. (Arabic Proverb)

The sleeping dog is turned by a stick.
(Bajan Proverb)

Three things to fear: a crumbling wall, an angry dog, and a shrew. (Arabic Proverb)

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Three faithful friends: an old wife, an old dog, and ready money. (Albanian Proverb)

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There are more ways to kill a dog than by choking him on peanut butter.
(Albanian Proverb)

Old brag is a good dog, but hold fast is better.
(Albanian Proverb)

A wise man associating with the vicious becomes an idiot; a dog travelling with good men becomes a rational being.
(Arabic Proverb)

The tail can't shake the dog.
(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot hunt with a tied dog.
(Albanian Proverb)

When a dog bites a man, that is not news; but when a man bites a dog, that is news.

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Dogs delight to bark and bite for God has made them so.(Albanian Proverb)

Life is a matter of dog eats dog.
(Albanian Proverb)

Charity is not a bone you throw to your dog but a bone you share with your dog.
(Albanian Proverb)

If the dog hadn't stopped to rest, he'd have caught the rabbit.(Albanian Proverb)

A guilty dog always barks.(Albanian Proverb)

Don't kick a dog when he is down.
(Albanian Proverb)

When a cow is crying, a dog is making a party.
(African Proverb)

What will kill a dog first blocks its nose.

(African Proverb)

Dog don't get mad when you say he's a dog.

(African American Proverb)

When a dog cannot bite, it has a bone in its mouth.

(African Proverb)

To form a dog is the ruin of education.

(African Proverb)

The same teeth that a dog uses to play it use to bite too.

(African Proverb)

The fly had life even before the dog had its wounds.

(African Proverb)

If a dog bites you, you don't attack it but you attack its owner.

(African Proverb)

It is odd for a dog to look unconcerned when a sheep is barking at a stranger.

(African Proverb)

If a dog bites you once it's his fault, but if it bites you again it's your fault.

(African Proverb)

The danger that threatens the hunting dog, threatens the hunter too.

(African Proverb)

Do not step on the dog's tail, and he will not bite you. (African Proverb)

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A dog gives birth to a dog. (African Proverb)

A juicy bone is useless to a dog with no teeth.
(African Proverb)

As the dog said, 'If I fall down for you and you fall down for me, it is playing.'
(African Proverb)

Even the dog leaves the market. (African)

As the dog said, as the dog said, "If I fall down for you and you fall down for me, it is playing." (African Proverb)

If you put a bone in the dog's mouth it doesn't bark. (African Proverb)

A ruined people are as miserable as a dog in the house of death. (African Proverb)

No matter how good a hunting dog is it cannot kill a leopard. (African Proverb)

If you have a dog, don't throw away bones. (African Proverb)

The yellow dog is brother to the wolf. (Afghan Proverb)

The river won't get dirty just by the dog's bark. (Afghan Proverb)

If the master gnaws bones, what will he give the dog? (Afghan Proverb)

Stroke the dog and he will mark you with his dirty paws. (Albanian Proverb)

Dogs do not actually prefer bones to meat; it is just that no one ever gives them meat. (African Proverb)

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A dog does not mind being called a dog.
(African Proverb)

He who rides a camel should not be afraid of dogs.(Berber Proverb)

The wolf and the dog agree about the goat -- which together they eat.(Basque Proverb)

Dogs that fight each other will join forces against the wolf.(Armenian Proverb)

The world is like carrion; those who love and eat from it are dogs.(Arab Proverb)

The dogs may bark but the caravan moves on.(Arab Proverb)

If you stop every time a dog barks, your road will never end.(Arab Proverb)

If a dog offers to help you across the river, don't ask if he is suffering from the mange.
(Arab Proverb)

Every dog is a great barker at the door of his own house.(Arab Proverb)

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A good dog does not block the road.
(Chinese Proverb)

A good dog does not bite a chicken and a good man does not hit his wife.(Chinese Proverb)

A dog in a kennel barks at his fleas -- a hunting dog does not feel them.
(Chinese Proverb)

If you do not step on the dog's tail, he will not bite you.(Cameroonian Proverb)

Dogs don't love people, they love the place where they are fed.(Burundian Proverb)

When the healthy dog fights with a mad dog, it is the ears of the healthy one that are bitten off. (Burmese Proverb)

Give a dog a tasty name and eat him. (Chinese Proverb)

From the lowly perspective of a dog's eyes, everyone looks short. (Chinese Proverb)

Dogs have so many friends because they wag their tails, not their tongues. (Chinese Proverb)

Corner a dog in a dead-end street and it will turn and bite. (Chinese Proverb)

Better to be a dog in peacetime than a man in wartime. (Chinese Proverb)

Out of a dog's mouth will never come ivory tusks. (Chinese Proverb)

It's not the fleas of the dog that make the cat meow. (Chinese Proverb)

If you are married to a chicken obey the chicken. If you are married to a dog obey the dog. (Chinese Proverb)

If no one comes the dog does not bark. (Chinese Proverb)

If the dog leads the man, the man is blind. If the man leads the dog, the man is married.

(Chinese Proverb)

How can you expect to find ivory in a dog's mouth?(Chinese Proverb)

He that has not bread to spare should not keep a dog.(Chinese Proverb)

He painted a tiger, but it turned out a dog.
(Chinese Proverb)

When money is stolen you can only beat the dog.(Chinese Proverb)

You don't need a dog to catch a lame hare.
(Chinese Proverb)

The moon does not care if the dog barks at it.(Czech Proverb)

Even a dog will not eat a leg without flesh.
(Croatian Proverb)

You can hate the dog, but do not tell him that his teeth are dirty.
(Native American Creole Proverb)

An honest man is not the worse because a dog barks at him.(Danish Proverb)

An honest man does not make himself a dog for the sake of a bone. (Danish Proverb)

A little dog, a cow without horns, and a short man, are generally proud. (Danish Proverb)

A dog is a dog whatever his color.
(Danish Proverb)

A burnt child fears the fire, and a bitten child fears a dog. (Danish Proverb)

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The worst kind of dog is the one who does not want to bite. (Corsican Proverb)

He that wants to hang a dog, says that it bites the sheep. (Danish Proverb)

He who would buy sausage of a dog must give him bacon in exchange. (Danish Proverb)

He that wants to hang a dog, is sure to find a rope.(Danish Proverb)

He that wants to hang a dog, says that it bites the sheep.(Danish Proverb)

He that lies down with the dogs, will get up with fleas.(Danish Proverb)

The teeth of the puppy are growing, while the old dog is gnawing bones.(Danish Proverb)

The owl does not praise the light, nor the wolf the dog.(Danish Proverb)

The flitch hangs never so high but a dog will look out for the bone.(Danish Proverb)

Relatives are the worst friends, said the fox as the dogs took after him.(Danish Proverb)

Many dogs are the death of the hare.
(Danish Proverb)

Let a dog get at a dish of honey, and he will jump in with both legs.(Danish Proverb)

The flitch hangs never so high but a dog will look out for the bone.(Danish Proverb)

He that is bitten by a dog must apply some of its hair.(Dutch Proverb)

He is as good a Catholic as Duke Alva's dog;
who ate flesh in Lent. (Dutch Proverb)

Dogs that bark at a distance bite not at hand.
(Dutch Proverb)

Caress your dog, and he'll spoil your clothes.
(Dutch Proverb)

Better have a dog for your friend than your
enemy. (Dutch Proverb)

Better a dog fawn on you than bite you.
(Dutch Proverb)

Put no faith in a drunkard's prophecy, another
man's dog, or the weather at any season.
(Darkovan Proverb)

None so keen at the hunting of wolves as the
dog with wolf blood. (Darkovan Proverb)

If you lie down with dogs, you will get up with
fleas. (Darkovan Proverb)

Don't trust your bone to another man's dog.
(Darkovan Proverb)

Don't ask a dog to judge between a pillar and
a tree. (Darkovan Proverb)

While the dogs yelp, the hare flies to the wood. (Danish Proverb)

The barking of a dog does not disturb the man on a camel. (Egyptian Proverb)

Who wants to beat a dog, soon finds a stick. (Dutch Proverb)

When the dog is down, everyone is ready to bite him. (Dutch Proverb)

Stroke your dog, and he'll spoil your clothes. (Dutch Proverb)

Take a hair of the dog that has bitten you. (English Proverb)

Take a dog for a companion and a stick in your hand. (English Proverb)

Every dog is valiant in his own kennel. (French Proverb)

A living dog is better than a dead lion. (French Proverb)

A hungry dog is not afraid of a cudgeling. (French Proverb)

A good bone does not always come to a good dog. (French Proverb)

To a dog a bone has more value than a pearl.(Filipino Proverb)

When the hyena is gone, the dog begins to bark.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Every dog is valiant in his own kennel.
(French Proverb)

Don't snap your fingers at the dogs before you are out of the village.(French Proverb)

Dogs that always fight always have bleeding ears.(French Proverb)

Better be the head of a dog than the tail of a lion.(French Proverb)

There's no showing the wolf to a bad dog.
(French Proverb)

One must talk soothingly to the dog until one has passed him.(French Proverb)

It's difficult to chain up an old dog.
(French Proverb)

It is all one whether you are bit a dog or a bitch.(French Proverb)

His like Jean de Nivelles dog, that runs away when he is called.(French Proverb)

He that would hang his dog, gives out first,
that he is mad. (French Proverb)

He is like the gardener's dog, who don't eat
cabbage and will let no one else eat them.
(French Proverb)

When the dog is drowning every one brings
him water. (French Proverb)

Wash a dog, comb a dog, still a dog remains a
dog. (French Proverb)

There's no showing the wolf to a bad dog.
(French Proverb)

The dog may be wonderful prose, but only the
cat is poetry. (French Proverb)

The best thing about a man is his dog.
(French Proverb)

If you want to live long, be healthy and fat,
drink like a dog and eat like a cat.
(German Proverb)

If you don't want to be hung yourself, blame
the dog for stealing the sausage.
(German Proverb)

I would rather have a dog my friend than enemy. (German Proverb)

I will not bite any dog, says the shepherd's dog, for I must save my teeth for the wolf. (German Proverb)

He who stands godfather to a wolf should have a dog under his cloak. (German Proverb)

He, who goes to bed with dogs, will wake up with fleas. (German Proverb)

He that pelts every barking dog, must pick up a great many stones. (German Proverb)

A woman, a dog, and a walnut tree, the more you beat them the better they be. (German Proverb)

A fence lasts three years, a dog lasts three fences, a horse three dogs, and a man three horses. (German Proverb)

Whilst the dogs are growling at each other the wolf devours the sheep. (French Proverb)

The skinnier the dog, the more fleas he has. (German Proverb)

The silent dog is the first to bite.

(German Proverb)

The fatter the flea, the leaner the dog.

(German Proverb)

The dog does not get bread every time he wags his tail. (German Proverb)

When the dog is awake, the shepherd may sleep. (German Proverb)

What signifies the barking of a dog that doesn't bite? (German Proverb)

What does the moon care if the dogs bay at her? (German Proverb)

To live long, eat like a cat, drink like a dog. (German Proverb)

Would you live long, be healthy and fat, drink like a dog and eat like a cat. (German Proverb)

By slitting the ears and cutting the tail, a dog is still a dog, not a horse, not an ass.

(Indian Proverb)

In the long run even a dog will compromise with the cat. (Hungarian Proverb)

The stick that breaks the window does not kill a dog.(Gypsy Proverb)

The gypsy church was made of pork and the dogs ate it.(Gypsy Proverb)

A hungry dog does not fear the stick.
(Italian Proverb)

A hair of the dog cures the bite.
(Italian Proverb)

A dog is never offended at being pelted with bones.(Italian Proverb)

The man who has mounted an elephant will not fear the bark of a dog.(Indian Proverb)

Every dog is a tiger in his own street.
(Indian Proverb)

Cut off the dog's tail, he remains a dog.
(Italian Proverb)

Give a dog an ill name, and you may as well hang him.(Italian Proverb)

Even the dog gets bread by wagging his tail.
(Italian Proverb)

Do not give the dog bread every time he wags his tail.(Italian Proverb)

Cut off the dog's tail, he remains a dog.

(Italian Proverb)

An old dog does not grow used to the collar.

(Italian Proverb)

A stick is soon found to beat a dog.

(Italian Proverb)

He who has a mind to beat a dog will easily find a stick.(Italian Proverb)

He who gives bread to others' dogs is often barked at by his own.(Italian Proverb)

He that would beat his dog can easily find a stick.(Italian Proverb)

He that passeth by, and meddleth with strife belonging not to him, is like one that taketh a dog by the ears.(Italian Proverb)

The gardener's dog does not eat lettuce and will not let others eat it.(Italian Proverb)

Stones or bread, one must have something in hand for the dogs.(Italian Proverb)

It is easy to find a stick to beat a dog.
(Italian Proverb)

It is easy robbing when the dog is quieted.
(Italian Proverb)

It is better to irritate a dog than an old woman.(Italian Proverb)

When a dog runs away, hit him! hit him!
(Italian Proverb)

There is no dog, be he ever so wicked, but
wags his tail.(Italian Proverb)

The moon does not heed the baying of dogs.
(Italian Proverb)

He who gossips and he who listens to it
deserve to be thrown to the dogs.
(Jewish Proverb)

Do not show a stick to a dog that has been
beaten.(Jewish Proverb)

While two dogs are fighting for a bone, a third
runs away with it.(Italian Proverb)

If you're out to beat a dog, you're sure to find a
stick.(Jewish Proverb)

If the dog barks, go in; if the bitch barks you
had better stay outside.(Jewish Proverb)

He who gossips and he who listens to it
deserve to be thrown to the dogs.

(Jewish Proverb)

Do not show a stick to a dog that has been
beaten.(Jewish Proverb)

Beware of still water, a still dog, and a still
enemy.(Jewish Proverb)

If you turn into a dog, be sure to choose a rich
family.(Japanese Proverb)

He who is dependent on others must make
friends with the dog.(Japanese Proverb)

You cannot tie up a dog with a chain of
sausages.(Jamaican Proverb)

When a dog has money, he buys cheese.
(Jamaican Proverb)

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If a flea had money, it would buy its own dog.
(Jamaican Proverb)

A dog in a kennel barks at his fleas; dog
hunting does not notice them.(Latin Proverb)

If you must be a servant, serve the rich; if you must be a dog, let it be a temple dog.

(Laotian Proverb)

It is up to the people to feed the dogs; it's up to the Cardias to feed the Turks.

(Kurdish Proverb)

A white dog does not bite another white dog.

(Kenyan Proverb)

The wolf is not afraid of the dog, but he doesn't like the sound of his barking.

(Jewish Proverb)

Show a dog a finger, and he wants the whole hand.

(Jewish Proverb)

Flies, dogs and mimics are the first to rush to the dish.

(Latin Proverb)

Doth the moon on high care for the barking of a dog?

(Latin Proverb)

Bones snatched from the mouth of a hungry dog.

(Latin Proverb)

Flies, dogs and mimics are the first to rush to the dish.

(Latin Proverb)

It is safer to irritate a dog than an old woman.

(Latin Proverb)

He will embark in litigation, even if a donkey has bitten his dog.(Latin Proverb)

Dogs cannot make dreams come true -- people must do that.(Lithuanian Proverb)

A dog will always be a dog, even if he is raised by lions.(Lebanese Proverb)

You give hay to the dog and bones to the ass.
(Latin Proverb)

Unable to keep yourself, you are keeping dogs.
(Latin Proverb)

There is danger when a dog has once tasted flesh.(Latin Proverb)

That which should feed our children ought not to be given to dogs.(Latin Proverb)

Once a man has been bitten by a lion, he buys a dog.(Mozambican Proverb)

A garden without a fence is like a dog without a tail.(Moroccan Proverb)

Where there is a bone, there are dogs.
(Martiniquais Proverb)

For his master the dog is a lion.(Persian)

Expect trust from a dog but not from a woman. (Persian Proverb)

Beware a rickety wall, a savage dog, and a quarrelsome person. (Persian Proverb)

He who has a dog need not bark himself. (Norwegian Proverb)

When the hyena drinks, the dog can only look on. (Nigerian Proverb)

If a monkey is amongst dogs, why won't it start barking? (Nigerian Proverb)

The more hair a dog has, the more fleas he will have. (Netherlands Antillean Proverb)

Where there is a bone, there are dogs. (Martiniquais Proverb)

The greater love is a mother's; then comes a dog's; then a sweetheart's. (Polish Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's; then a dog's; then a sweetheart's. (Polish Proverb)

A bachelor and a dog can do anything. (Polish Proverb)

The dog is a lion in his own house. (Persian)

He who wants to talk with the dogs must learn to bark. (Romanian Proverb)

You can't kill a dog just to save a cat's tail.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

There is never wanting a dog to bark at you.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The loudest bark rids not a dog of his fleas.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Brag is a good dog, but Holdfast is better.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The dog is a lion in his own house.
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A barking dog was never a good biter.
(Spanish Proverb)

The barking of dogs does not reach heaven.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If the dog is not at home, he barks not.

(Senegalese Proverb)

If I had a dog as daft, I would shoot him.

(Scottish Proverb)

A house without a dog, a cat, or a little child is a house without joy or laughter.

(Scottish Proverb)

From a silent man, and a dog that does not bark, deliver us.(Spanish Proverb)

At twenty a man will be a peacock, at thirty a lion, at forty a camel, at fifty a serpent, at sixty a dog, at seventy a monkey, and at eighty nothing.(Spanish Proverb)

As is the master, so is his dog.

(Spanish Proverb)

A shock dog is starved and nobody believes it.(Spanish Proverb)

It's the grinding of his teeth that awakes the blacksmith's dog, not the noise of the hammer.(Spanish Proverb)

If you would have the dog follow you, give him bread.(Spanish Proverb)

If you want to beat a dog, say he eats your iron. (Spanish Proverb)

He who loves Peter won't harm his dog. (Spanish Proverb)

Watch out for the dog that doesn't bark and the man who says nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

Three things are not to be trusted; a cow's horn, a dog's tooth, and a horse's hoof. (Spanish Proverb)

Though my father-in-law is a good man, I do not like a dog with a bell. (Spanish Proverb)

The keys at the girdle, the dog in the larder. (Spanish Proverb)

A live dog is better than a dead lion. (Traditional Proverb)

A house without either a cat or a dog is the house of a scoundrel. (Traditional Proverb)

The unfortunate would be bitten by toothless dogs. (Tibetan Proverb)

When a dog bites you, do not bite back. (Thai Proverb)

If a dog bites you and you don't bite him back, it will say that you have no teeth.

(Sudanese Proverb)

Who has no bread to spare should not keep a dog. (Spanish Proverb)

When there is real danger, the dogs don't bark. (Spanish Proverb)

An adulterous was forgiven, who passed by a dog at a well, and the dog was holding out his tongue from thirst, which was near killing him. The woman drew off her boot and tied it to the end of her veil, and drew water for the dog, and gave him to drink, and for this she was forgiven. (Traditional Proverb)

If skill could be gained by watching, every dog would become a butcher. (Traditional Proverb)

If a dogs prayers were answered, bones would rain from the sky. (Traditional Proverb)

Don't raise your stick and the dog won't bark at you. (Traditional Proverb)

Conscience is the dog that can't bite, but never stops barking. (Traditional Proverb)

Better to be a dog in times of peace than a human being in times of trouble. (Traditional)

If skill could be gained by watching, every dog would become a butcher. (Traditional Proverb)

Pay attention when an old dog is barking (Traditional Proverb)

One who is without cows must be his own dog. A blind man can see his mouth. (Traditional Proverb)

There are more ways of killing a dog than hanging it. (Traditional Proverb)

If the tail of the dog can save me, I don't care about its stench. (Tunisian Proverb)

The fool sings a love song to his wife; the wise man will talk about his dog. (Turkish Proverb)

He who wants to kill a dog says that he has urinated against the mosque. (Turkish Proverb)

There is no ivory in the mouth of a dog. (Vietnamese Proverb)

A hungry wolf is stronger than a satisfied dog. (Ukranian Proverb)

Do not call to a dog with a whip in your hand.
(Zulu Proverb)

Three things it is best to avoid: a strange dog,
a flood, and a man who thinks he is wise.
(Welsh Proverb)

Sick as a dog.(Traditional Proverb)

It's a dog eat dog world.(Traditional Proverb)

Throw that bone to another dog.
(Spanish Proverb)

The gardener's dog, neither full nor hungry.
(Spanish Proverb)

The lean dog is all fleas.(Spanish Proverb)

He who loves Bertrand loves his dog.
(Spanish Proverb)

All bite the bitten dog.(Portuguese Proverb)

Trust not a dog that limps.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Even good dogs have fleas.(Russian Proverb)

Never throw the cat at the dog.
(Netherlands Antillean Proverb)

One house cannot keep two dogs.

(Latin Proverb)

The hindmost dog may catch the hare.

(Latin Proverb)

Who loves me loves my dog. (Latin Proverb)

Don't kick a sleeping dog. (Malagasy Proverb)

Only thin dogs become wild.

(Malagasy Proverb)

Do not respond to a barking dog.

(Moroccan Proverb)

A dog is worthy of his food.

(Latin Proverb) - [More Latin Proverbs...](#)

Beware of the dog. (Latin Proverb)

Two dogs can kill a lion. (Jewish Proverb)

Every dog knows his dinnertime.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Love me, love my dog. (Italian Proverb)

No one ever kicks a dead dog. (Italian Proverb)

Beat the dog; wait for its master. (Haitian)

Children aren't dogs; adults aren't gods.
(Haitian Proverb)

Theologians, dogs, and singers always disagree.(Indian Proverb)

A barking dog never bites.(Italian Proverb)

Dog does not eat dog.(Italian Proverb)

Dog won't eat dog.(Italian Proverb)

Dogs bark at hose they don't know.
(Italian Proverb)

Dogs bark, but the caravan goes on.
(Italian Proverb)

Every dog is a lion at home.(Italian Proverb)

Every dog is allowed one bite.(Italian Proverb)

He who has loaves has dogs.(Italian Proverb)

Timid dogs bark most.(German Proverb)

What! Keep a dog and bark myself?
(German Proverb)

Let sleeping dogs lie.(German Proverb)

The dogs bite the last.(German Proverb)

Barking dogs don't bite.(German Proverb)

Dead dogs don't bite.(German Proverb)

Dogs that bark much don't bite.
(German Proverb)

Why keep a dog and bark yourself?
(French Proverb)

A bashful dog never fattens.(German Proverb)

Love Bertrand loves his dog.(French Proverb)

Money makes dogs dance.(French Proverb)

Money makes even dog's dance.
(French Proverb)

A dog may look at a bishop.(French Proverb)

The most noble dog can only bark.
(Dutch Proverb)

They agree like cats and dogs.(Dutch Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping dog.(Dutch Proverb)

A dog is a man's best friend.(English Proverb)

Every dog has his day.(English Proverb)

Every dog is entitled to one bite.
(English Proverb)

Barking dogs seldom bite.(Dutch Proverb)

Dogs have teeth in all countries.
(Dutch Proverb)

There are more chains than mad dogs.
(Austrian Proverb)

Dogs do not dislike poor families.
(Chinese Proverb)

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Bite not the dog that bites.(Danish Proverb)

Too many calls confuse the dog.
(African Proverb) - More African Proverbs...

Let the big dog eat.(American Proverb)

Quarreling dogs come halting home.
(American Proverb)

DOUBT AND SKEPTICISM:

When in doubt of what is right, consult your pillow overnight. (Mexican Proverb)

In case of doubt it is best to lean to the side of mercy. (Legal Proverb)

When in doubt, lie. (Klingon Proverb)

When in doubt, surprise them.
(Klingon Proverb)

The person who trusts is happy; the person who doubts is wise. (Hungarian Proverb)

When in doubt, do nougat. (English Proverb)

Better to be thought a fool, than to open your mouth and remove all doubt. (English Proverb)

Doubt is the beginning, not the end, of wisdom. (English Proverb)

Great doubts deep wisdom. (Chinese Proverb)

When in doubt, win the trick.
(Albanian Proverb)

When in doubt, find out. (Albanian Proverb)

When in doubt, don't.(Albanian Proverb)

Quiet people, whether wise or dull, get the benefit of the doubt.(Albanian Proverb)

Doubts --- helped a man to live, to grow, or to build.(Albanian Proverb)

Doubt whom you will, but never doubt yourself.(Albanian Proverb)

Never try to prove what nobody doubts.
(Albanian Proverb)

When in charge, ponder. When in trouble, delegate. When in doubt, mumble.
(American Proverb)

Deep doubts, deep wisdom; small doubts, little wisdom.(Chinese Proverb)

Doubts mean losing half of one's case beforehand.(Czech Proverb)

Doubt makes the mountain which faith can move.(Persian Proverb)

The more you listen the more you give yourself room for doubt.(Mongolian Proverb)

If there is still doubt do not accuse.

(Spanish Proverb)

When in doubt who will win, be neutral.

(Swiss Proverb)

There are two kinds of error blind credulity and piecemeal criticism. Never believe a word without putting its truth to the test discernment does not grow in laziness and this faculty of discernment is indispensable to the Seeker. Sound skepticism is the necessary condition for good discernment but piecemeal criticism is an error.(Traditional Proverb)

Where there is doubt, there is freedom.

(Traditional Proverb)

He that knows nothing doubts nothing.

(Traditional Proverb)

Doubt is the key to knowledge.

(Persian Proverb)

He who knows nothing never doubts.

(Italian Proverb)

Who doubts errs not.(French Proverb)

Who knows nothing doubts nothing.

(French Proverb)

Who knows nothing doubts nothing.

(French Proverb)

Jealousy is nourished by doubt.

(French Proverb)

He who knows nothing, doubts nothing.

(Brazilian Proverb)

Doubt is the key to all knowledge.

(Arab Proverb)

DRAWING AND PAINTING:

Lawyers and painters can soon make what's black, white. (Traditional Proverb)

Painters and Poets may have leave to lie.

(Scottish Proverb)

An image of a bamboo has already been formed in mind before it is committed to the painting canvas. (Chinese Proverb)

Those who sacrifice their conscience to ambition burn a painting to obtain ashes.

(Chinese Proverb)

Lawyers and painters can soon change white to black. (Danish Proverb)

Only lawyers and painters can turn white to black. (Japanese Proverb)

Working and painting are better from a distance. (Spanish Proverb)

One day a student asked Taiga, "What is the most difficult part of painting?" Taiga answered, "The part of the paper where nothing is painted is the most difficult." (Zen Proverb)

DREAM:

If I tell you my dream, you might forget it. If I act on my dream, perhaps you will remember it, but if I involve you, it becomes your dream too. (Tibetan Proverb)

Who waits hoping in plans and dreams, loses time, and collects flies and troubles. (Sicilian Proverb)

Roasted locusts eaten at night bring dangerous dreams. (South African Proverb)

Thoughts and dreams are the foundation of our being. (Nigerian Proverb)

When young, it's all dreams; when old, all memories. (Mexican Proverb)

While young, it's all dreams; when old, all memories. (Irish Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. (Indian Proverb)

As one makes his bed, so he sleeps his dream. (Hungarian Proverb)

We are all wanderers on this earth. Our hearts are full of wonder, and our souls are deep with dreams. (Gypsy Proverb)

When troubles are few, dreams are few. (English Proverb)

He that believes in dreams pastures the winds. (Bulgarian Proverb)

All of life is a dream walking, all of death is a going home. (Chinese Proverb)

Dream different dreams on the same bed. (Chinese Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night. (Chinese Proverb)

One cannot stop sleeping in fear of bad dreams. (Amharic Proverb)

Dreams give wings to fools. (Albanian Proverb)

Dreams are what you hope for; reality is what you plan for. (Albanian Proverb)

A man's dreams are his own.
(Albanian Proverb)

You can share the same bed but you can't share the same dream. (African Proverb)

There are no witnesses to a dream.
(African Proverb)

Having a goal is just a dream with a deadline.
(African Proverb)

Dreams are voices of ancestors. (African)

Dreams are related to the past but connected to the future. (African Proverb)

Return to old watering holes for more than water; friends and dreams are there to meet you. (African Proverb)

He who believes in dreams feeds on wind.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

The beautiful is less what one sees than what one dreams. (Belgian Proverb)

Dream of a funeral and you hear of a marriage. (Chinese Proverb)

Dream different dreams while on the same bed. (Chinese Proverb)

To believe in one's dreams is to spend all of one's life asleep. (Chinese Proverb)

Hope is the dream of a soul awake. (French Proverb)

He who sleeps in a silver bed has golden dreams. (German Proverb)

A good well-lived today makes every yesterday a dream of a good future, and every morning is a vision of hope. (Indian Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well, therefore, to this day. (Indian Proverb)

Take a close look at today, because yesterday is but a dream and tomorrow is barely a vision. (Indian Proverb)

Life is just like a dream -- but don't wake me. (Jewish Proverb)

A man is not old until his regrets take the place of his dreams. (Jewish Proverb)

Sins hide not in your sleep but in your dreams. (Jewish Proverb)

You can make the dream bigger than the night. (Jewish Proverb)

The talk of the day is the dream of the night. (Jewish Proverb)

Men and women sleep on the same pillow, but they have different dreams. (Mongolian Proverb)

A sleeping fox counts chicken in his dreams. (Russian Proverb)

The night walks the same road as the dream. (Russian Proverb)

A civilization is as great as its dreams, and its dreams are dreamt by artists. (Traditional Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night. Fame: A gull floating on water. (Traditional Proverb)

Makes every yesterday a dream of happiness;
And every tomorrow a vision of hope; Look
well, therefore, to this day.

(Traditional Proverb)

Look to this day, for yesterday is but a dream,
and tomorrow is only a vision.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is composed of two parts that which is
past a dream and that which is to come a
wish.(Traditional Proverb)

Life is a dream walking death is a going home.

(Traditional Proverb)

The whole world is a dream, and death the
interpreter.(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty is not so much what you see as what
you dream.(Walloon Proverb)

As the master sleeps, the servant dreams.

(Swedish Proverb)

Morning dreams come true.(Latin Proverb)

Yesterday's flowers are today's dreams.

(Japanese Proverb)

No sleep, no dream.(Korean Proverb)

He who cannot sleep can still dream.

(Ivorian Proverb)

Dreams are froth. (German Proverb)

Another's misfortune is only a dream.

(French Proverb)

Dreams are lies. (French Proverb)

Dreams go by contraries. (French Proverb)

Hope is the dream of the waking.

(Danish Proverb)

Dreams are wishes your heart makes.

(American Proverb)

DRINKING:

Who eats without drinking, will never feel full.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Take care of the manger and water the animals at the drinking trough.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Choose your company before you go drinking.

(Irish Proverb)

Less good than they say for the sons of men is the drinking oft of ale: for the more they drink, the less can they think and keep a watch o'er their wits.(Norse Proverb)

Drinking fake ale is better than drinking water.(Klingon Proverb)

The three faults of drinking are: a sorrowful morning, a dirty coat, and an empty pocket.
(Irish Proverb)

Three things show a man's character: his drinking, his pocket, and his anger.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Till age forty it is better to eat. After that, drinking is better.(Hebrew Proverb)

Good eating deserves good drinking.
(English Proverb)

Good eating deserveth good drinking.
(English Proverb)

There is never wanting an excuse for drinking.
(Cuban Proverb)

Work in Micalassu: eating, drinking and strolling.(Corsican Proverb)

Blessed wine, cursed drinking. (Bulgarian)

Drinking with a bosom friend, a thousand shots are too few; Talking with a disagreeable person, half a sentence is too many.

(Chinese Proverb)

Death rides with the drinking driver.

(Albanian Proverb)

The noise produced by frogs in the well can't stop an elephant from drinking.

(African Proverb)

He who is thirsty dreams that he is drinking.

(Chinese Proverb)

To stop drinking, study a drunkard when you are sober. (Chinese Proverb)

The trade of thick-headed Michael: eating, drinking, and idling. (Dutch Proverb)

Drinking a little too much is drinking a great deal too much. (German Proverb)

Thirst is the end of drinking and sorrow is the end of drunkenness. (Irish Proverb)

He who likes drinking is always talking of wine. (Italian Proverb)

God preserve you from one who eats without drinking. (Italian Proverb)

Eating and drinking, shouldn't keep us from thinking. (Italian Proverb)

The taste of cold water after drinking is a pleasure that the teetotaler will never know. (Japanese Proverb)

Thirst comes from drinking. (Italian Proverb)

To good eating belongs good drinking.
(German Proverb)

Eating teaches drinking. (Italian Proverb)

DRIVING:

Advertising is the driving force of business.
(Russian Proverb)

DUTY:

Each of us must face our own responsibilities.
(Spanish Proverb)

I will do anything except bear the responsibility of guarding a house that has two doors. (Puerto Rican Proverb)

Man has responsibility, not power.
(Native American Tuscarora Proverb)

To do one's duty is to eat the prized fruit of honor. (Nigerian Proverb)

He is not to blame who does his duty.
(Mexican Proverb)

If a warrior ignores duty, acts dishonorably, or is disloyal, he is nothing. (Klingon Proverb)

To die in the line of duty is the hope of every Klingon. (Klingon Proverb)

Duty is heavy as a mountain but Death is lighter than a feather. (Japanese Proverb)

Duty knows no family. (Japanese Proverb)

At whatever age a child gets a problem, at the same age she has to shoulder the responsibility. (Igbo Proverb)

The Moor has done his duty, the Moor may go.
(Hungarian Proverb)

There is one moral duty that moralists underrate almost criminally - the duty to enjoy god's world. (Hebrew Proverb)

Getting married with a woman is nothing; it's assuming the responsibility of marriage that counts. (Haitian Proverb)

A person is always responsible: if his act was accidental or intentional, whether he was awake or asleep. (Hebrew Proverb)

All Jews are responsible, one for another. (Hebrew Proverb)

You are responsible for you. (English Proverb)

Noblesse oblige. (English Proverb)

Higher duties mean greater responsibilities. (Albanian Proverb)

A neglected duty may return tomorrow with seven others at its back. (Albanian Proverb)

When the eye sees you then you're bound to go for duty. (African Proverb)

The hen knows that dawn has arrived but it leaves the duty of crowing to the cock. (African Proverb)

The path of duty lies in what is near at hand,
but men seek for it in what is remote.

(Chinese Proverb)

The first favor is a favor, the second an
obligation.(Chinese Proverb)

Alms do not empty the purse, and a mass
does not exhaust the day's duty.

(Danish Proverb)

To marry one is a duty; twice a folly; thrice is
madness.(Dutch Proverb)

To marry once is a duty, twice a folly, and
three times -- madness.(Dutch Proverb)

The most beautiful things in the universe are
the starry heavens above us and the feeling of
duty within us.(Indian Proverb)

It is the duty of children to wait on elders, and
not the elders on children.(Kenyan Proverb)

It is the duty of a good sportsman to kill game
freely, but not kill all.(Latin Proverb)

It is the duty of friends mutually to correct
each other.(Latin Proverb)

To place yourself under an obligation is to sell
your liberty.(Latin Proverb)

To serve our elders is a duty, our equals it is polite, but serving the young is humiliating. (Serbian Proverb)

Duty is a matter of the mind. Commitment is a matter of the heart. (Traditional Proverb)

Man must learn to increase his sense of responsibility and of the fact that everything he does will have its consequences. (Traditional Proverb)

The path of duty lies in the thing that is nearby, but men seek it in things far off (Traditional Proverb)

Not to kill is a supreme duty. (Traditional Proverb)

A great position entails great responsibility. (Spanish Proverb)

Duty before devotion. (Mexican Proverb)

EDUCATION:

When the pupil is ready to learn, a teacher will appear. (Zen Proverb)

The faults of others are the best teachers.
(Swedish Proverb)

Teach a crocodile to swim. (Thai Proverb)

A child without education is like a bird
without wings. (Tibetan Proverb)

Each lama has his own teaching.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Learn to stand up where one falls.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Learn what you want and leave for others.
(Tibetan Proverb)

An ounce of discretion is worth a pound of
learning. (Traditional Proverb)

The ink of the scholar is more precious than
the blood of martyrs. (Turkish Proverb)

Better educated than wealthy. (Welsh Proverb)

As we live, so we learn. (Yiddish Proverb)

Who stays at the master and doesn't learn, is
either a jackass or pretends to be one.
(Sicilian Proverb)

You can tell an educated person by their talk
and bells by their ringing. (Sicilian Proverb)

Misfortune teaches us to pray. (Slovak Proverb)

He wanders around by day a lot, learns a lot.
(Swahili Proverb)

Wealth, if you use it, comes to an end;
learning, if you use it, increases.
(Swahili Proverb)

Experience may teach a fool. (Scottish Proverb)

Doctors learn on their patients.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Learn weeping, and you shall gain
laughing. (Romanian Proverb)

Learn wisdom by the follies of others.
(Romanian Proverb)

Much learning makes men mad.
(Romanian Proverb)

Time, as he grows old, teaches many lessons.
(Romanian Proverb)

Repetition is a mother of learning. (Russian)

A sore finger and a headache are standard excuses for not going to school. (Polish Proverb)

What Johnny won't learn, John won't know. (Polish Proverb)

He, who knows, knows. He, who doesn't know, learns. (Portuguese Proverb)

He can ill be a master that never was a scholar. (Romanian Proverb)

He didn't learn anything. (Romanian Proverb)

In doing we learn. (Romanian Proverb)

Walk in the valley of our ancestors, learn of the history, and marvel at the beauty. (New Zealander Proverb)

In sweet converse call the righteous to thy side, learn a healing song while thou livest. (Norse Proverb)

Of runes they spoke, and the reading of runes was little withheld from their lips. (Norse)

Teaching a Jew to deal in the market is like teaching grandmother to eat her eggs. (Pakistani Proverb)

In youth we learn, in old age we understand.

(Mexican Proverb)

Learning expands great souls.

(Namibian Proverb)

Our first teacher is our own heart.

(Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

Teaching should come from within instead of without. (Native American Hopi Proverb)

Learning is a golden urn that can never be stolen. (Mannar Proverb)

Learning is fine clothes for the rich man, and riches for the poor man. (Manx Proverb)

You know, you teach. You do not know, you learn. (Laotian Proverb)

Men learn oratory by practice. (Latin Proverb)

As long as you live, you learn. (Latvian Proverb)

One day teaches the other.

(Lithuanian Proverb)

Travelling is learning. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Travelling teaches men their way. (Kikuyu)

Learning means loving the country.

(Laotian Proverb)

The hen scratches and the chicken learn.

(Kashmiri Proverb)

Learning is better than becoming rich.

(Khakas Proverb)

To come out of one's house means learning.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

A full belly is not the stomach of a scholar.

(Japanese Proverb)

Better than a thousand days of diligent study
is one day with a great teacher.

(Japanese Proverb)

Teaching is half learning. (Japanese Proverb)

To teach is also to learn. (Japanese Proverb)

Work the fields on a fine day, study on a rainy
day. (Japanese Proverb)

First learn, and then form opinions.

(Jewish Proverb)

One mother achieves more than a hundred
teachers. (Jewish Proverb)

Teach your tongue to say "I don't know"
instead of to make up something.

(Jewish Proverb)

Whoever does not try does not learn.

(Jewish Proverb)

Experience runs a valuable school, but fools
learn in no other.

(Italian Proverb)

We learn from our mistakes.

(Italian Proverb)

What do good a education if he got no sense?

(Jamaican Proverb)

A good mother is worth a hundred teachers.

(Italian Proverb)

Asking question is the only way to learn.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Be diligent in learning.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Learn steer, you will turn an ox.

(Hungarian Proverb)

I learned much from my teachers, more from
my friends, and the most from my pupils.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Teach your tongue to say, "I do not know."

(Hebrew Proverb)

Teach your tongue to say, 'I don't know,'
rather than invent something.

(Hebrew Proverb)

To lose is to learn. (Hindi Proverb)

While the blanket is short, learn to bend.

(Filipino Proverb)

Siberia will teach. (Finnish Proverb)

No person is too old to learn. (French Proverb)

A foreign language is more easily learned in
the kitchen than at school. (German Proverb)

Whatever is good to know is difficult to learn.
(Greek Proverb)

All knowledge is not taught in one school.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

If you plan for a year, plant kalo. If you plan
for ten years, plant koa. If you plan for one-
hundred years, teach the children.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

Knowledge is gained in many schools.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

The belly teaches all arts. (English Proverb)

The love of money and the love of learning rarely meet. (English Proverb)

Today is the scholar of yesterday.
(English Proverb)

With great learning, a horse, and money, you may travel the world. (English Proverb)

The mistakes of other people are good teachers. (Estonian Proverb)

Who is smart will learn. (Estonian Proverb)
Learn weeping and thou shalt gain
laughing. (English Proverb)

Learning makes a good man better and a bad man worse. (English Proverb)

Learning makes people fit company for themselves. (English Proverb)

Everyone is weary: the poor in seeking, the rich in keeping, and the good in learning.
(English Proverb)

He that nothing questions, nothing learns.
(English Proverb)

Heresy is the school of pride. (English Proverb)

Whilst doing one learns. (Dutch Proverb)

Education is what you know, not what's in the book. (Egyptian Proverb)

Learn to rise up out of the enigmatic egg in the hidden land. (Egyptian Proverb)

A handful of good life is better than a bushel of learning. (English Proverb)

A little Learning is a dangerous thing.
(English Proverb)

Education is a subversive activity.
(English Proverb)

The more one lives the more one learns.
(Corsican Proverb)

You learn something every day.
(Corsican Proverb)

Learn a new language and get a new soul.
(Czech Proverb)

One who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

A day of reading is a day of gain; a day without reading is ten days of loss. (Chinese Proverb)

A load of books does not equal one good teacher. (Chinese Proverb)

Diligence is the vehicle on the paths of Mountains of Books; endurance is the vessel on the courses of the Seas of Learning.
(Chinese Proverb)

Learning how the Handan residents walk.
(Chinese Proverb)

Scholars are invaluable to a nation as the best course to a banquet. (Chinese Proverb)

Study without reflection is a waste of time; reflection without study is dangerous.
(Chinese Proverb)

Teach your descendants the two proper roads - literature and farming. (Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door. (Chinese Proverb)
Teachers open the door but you must walk through it yourself. (Chinese Proverb)

Ten years of oblivion in school may bring you fame overnight. (Chinese Proverb)

Who tells me of my faults is my teacher; who tells me of my virtues does me harm.
(Chinese Proverb)

Studyation beat Education. (Bajan Proverb)

History is constantly teaching, but it does not find many pupils. (Austrian Proverb)

Our purpose here is to observe, to learn, to grow, to love; and then we return home. (Australian Proverb)

A mother is a school, preparing her is like preparing a good nation. (Arabic Proverb)
Wise men learn from other men's mistakes; fools insist on learning from their own. (Albanian Proverb)

Study the past if you would divine the future. (Albanian Proverb)

Reading makes a full man, meditation a profound man, discourse a clear man. (Albanian Proverb)

Learn as you'd live forever; live as you'd die tomorrow. (Albanian Proverb)

It is one thing to get educated and another thing to keep educated. (Albanian Proverb)

If you have wit and learning, add to it wisdom and modesty. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is a dear school, but fools learn in no other. (Albanian Proverb)

Every failure teaches a man something, if he will learn. (Albanian Proverb)

Education is the best provision for old age. (Albanian Proverb)

Education is a gift that none can take away. (Albanian Proverb)

Education doesn't come by bumping your head against the school house. (Albanian Proverb)

Cease to do evil, learn to do well. (Albanian)

An educated fool is dangerous. (Albanian Proverb)

A rode for a school. (Albanian Proverb)

You can't become a teacher before you're taught. (African Proverb)

What you learn is what you die with. (African Proverb)

What you help a child to love can be more important than what you help him to learn.

(African Proverb)

To form a dog is the ruin of education.
(African Proverb)

Time is a teacher. (African Proverb)

The wise create proverbs for fools to learn, not to repeat. (African Proverb)

Teaching a monkey to eat with a fork and knife will never make it a man. (African)

Life is a teacher. (African Proverb)

If you think education is expensive try ignorance. (African Proverb)

He, who falls, teaches others a lesson.
(African Proverb)

Give me a fish and I will eat today, teach me to fish and I will eat for a lifetime. (African)

Reading Scripture in front of a donkey.
(Afghan Proverb)

Learning makes some into Mullahs and some into devils. (Afghan Proverb)

A man with little learning is like the frog who thinks its pond is an ocean. (Burmese Proverb)

When what you want doesn't happen, learn to want what does. (Arab Proverb)

There are five ways in which to become wise: be silent, listen, remember, grow older and study. (Arab Proverb)

The ink of a scholar is worth as much as the martyr's blood. (Arab Proverb)

Heaven on earth is to be found on horseback, reading books and between a woman's breasts. (Arab Proverb)

Live and learn, die and forget it all. (American Proverb)

Do not confine your children to your own learning, for they were born in another time. (Chinese Proverb)

After three days without reading, talk becomes flavorless. (Chinese Proverb)

A teacher is someone who ploughs with his tongue to fill his little bowl with rice. (Chinese Proverb)

A single conversation with a wise man is better than ten years of study. (Chinese)

A jade stone is useless before it is processed; a man is good-for-nothing until he is educated. (Chinese Proverb)

The real scholar is not afraid to ask questions of his pupil. (Chinese Proverb)

The man who does not learn is dark, like one walking in the night. (Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door, but you must enter by yourself. (Chinese Proverb)

Teach your son in the front garden and your wife on the pillow. (Chinese Proverb)

Learn to handle a writing-brush and you'll never handle a begging-bowl. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is weightless, treasure you can always carry easily. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is like rowing upstream: not to advance is to drop back. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a weightless treasure you always carry easy. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure which accompanies its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learn to paint a tiger and you only paint his skin; learn to know a human being and you only know his face. (Chinese Proverb)

He, who flatters me is my enemy, who blames me is my teacher. (Chinese Proverb)

Gold has its price; learning is beyond price. (Chinese Proverb)

Those who do not study are only cattle dressed up in men's clothes. (Chinese Proverb)

To stop drinking, study a drunkard when you are sober. (Chinese Proverb)

The man who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

One who is afraid of asking questions is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

He, who is ashamed of asking, is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

He who is afraid to ask is ashamed of learning.
(Danish Proverb)

He, who herds with wolves, learns to howl.
(Danish Proverb)

Learn who your friends are when you are in need. (Dutch Proverb)

Learn thou of learned men, th' unlearned of thee; for thus must knowledge propagated be.
(Dutch Proverb)

No man is so young he cannot teach, or so old he cannot learn. (Darkovan Proverb)

Learning makes a man fit company for himself as well as for others. (English Proverb)

Who gives to me, teaches me to give.
(Dutch Proverb)

The older one grows the more one learns.
(Dutch Proverb)

A handful of good life is better than seven barrels of learning. (French Proverb)

The world is a good teacher, but it charges a huge fee. (Finnish Proverb)

The bitterness of studying is preferable to the bitterness of ignorance. (Filipino Proverb)

If you want to understand men, study women. (French Proverb)

He, who is his own teacher, has a fool for his pupil. (German Proverb)

He who can do, he who cannot, teaches. (German Proverb)

Experience is the teacher of jesters and the intelligence of the wise. (German Proverb)

No more teachers, no more books, no more teachers' dirty looks. (German Proverb)

The fault of another is a good teacher. (German Proverb)

What Master Jacky does not learn, Mr. John never knows. (German Proverb)

What little Jack does not learn, big John will never. (German Proverb)

What little Hans didn't learn, big Hans doesn't know. (German Proverb)

Whoever cares to learn will always find a teacher. (German Proverb)

A man in this world without learning is as a beast of the field. (Indian Proverb)

What is good to know is difficult to learn. (Greek Proverb)

All things good to know are difficult to learn. (Greek Proverb)

The one who teaches is the giver of eyes. (Indian Proverb)

Learn about the future by looking at the past. (Indian Proverb)

Crooked by nature is never made straight by education. (Italian Proverb)

When house and land are gone and spent, then learning is most excellent. (Italian Proverb)

Virtue comes not from chance but long study. (Italian Proverb)

If the pupil is smart, the teacher gets the credit. (Jewish Proverb)

A table is not blessed if it has fed no scholars.
(Jewish Proverb)

Where the pupil is willing; the teachers will appear. (Italian Proverb)

When your devil was born, mine was going to school. (Italian Proverb)

Carve the peg only after studying the hole.
(Korean Proverb)

Teach thy tongue to say, "I do not know."
(Jewish Proverb)

Experience without learning is better than learning without experience. (Latin Proverb)

By learning you will teach, by teaching you will learn. (Latin Proverb)

By ignorance we mistake, and by mistakes we learn. (Latin Proverb)

Let the ignorant learn, and the learned delight in refreshing the memory. (Latin Proverb)

To be without learning, is to be without eyes.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

We learn not for school, but for life. (Latin)

We learn not for job, but to kindle inner sight.
(Traditional Proverb)

Teach an eagle to fly, a dolphin to swim.
(Latin Proverb)

Teaching in youth is like carving in stone.
(Moroccan Proverb)

The strictness of the teacher is better to bear
than the prejudice of the father.
(Persian Proverb)

One pound of learning requires ten pounds of
common sense to apply it. (Persian Proverb)

Learn good manners from those who don't
have them. (Persian Proverb)

If the teacher be corrupt, the world will be
corrupt. (Persian Proverb)

A handful of mother wit is worth a bushel of
learning. (Spanish Proverb)

Learn young, learn fair; learn old, learn more.
(Scottish Proverb)

Learn from your tears and you will win
laughing. (Spanish Proverb)

Experience is not always the kindest of teachers, but it is surely the best.

(Spanish Proverb)

A handful of common sense is worth a bushel of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

He who learns teaches, he who teaches learn. (Traditional Proverb)

He who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

He who does not research has nothing to teach. (Traditional Proverb)

Education is learning a lot about how little you know. (Traditional Proverb)

One must learn how to lose before learning how to play. (Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn to listen. Opportunity could be knocking at your door very softly. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn the good ways of your enemies avoid the bad ways of your elders. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn from the school of hard knocks ... don't die dumb. (Traditional Proverb)

Whatever you teach, is brief; what is quickly said the mind readily receives and faithfully retains, while everything superfluous runs over as from a full container. Who knows much says least. (Traditional Proverb)

True teaching is not an accumulation of knowledge it is an awaking of consciousness which goes through successive stages. (Traditional Proverb)

To teach well, we need not say all that we know. Successful teachers are effective in spite of the psychological theories they suffer under. (Traditional Proverb)

To teach one must know the nature of those whom one is teaching. (Traditional Proverb)

Study from new books but from old teachers. (Traditional Proverb)

Before you love, learn to run through snow without leaving footprints. (Turkish Proverb)

Never become a teacher where you yourself were a pupil. (Turkish Proverb)

A day of travelling will bring a basketful of learning. (Vietnamese Proverb)

There is no royal road to learning.
(Turkish Proverb)

Learning Zen is a phenomenon of gold and dung. Before you understand it, it's like gold; after you understand it, it's like dung.
(Zen Proverb)

Roses grow where a teacher hits.
(Traditional Proverb)

Schools out for summer. (Traditional Proverb)

Never too late to learn. (Traditional Proverb)

Extensive reading is a priceless treasure.
(Traditional Proverb)

A teacher stands in fear of teaching.
(Traditional Proverb)

Ability has no school. (Traditional Proverb)

Albert Einstein did poorly in school.
(Traditional Proverb)

He, who sleeps much, learns little.
(Spanish Proverb)

Eggs cannot teach a hen. (Russian Proverb)

Who God does not teach, man cannot.
(Scottish Proverb)

Never tell tales out of school. (Latin Proverb)

Never too old to learn. (Latin Proverb)

Study invites study, idleness produces
idleness. (Latin Proverb)

Taught in the same school. (Latin Proverb)

Teach in order to learn. (Latin Proverb)

The early morn favors study. (Latin Proverb)

You will learn by teaching. (Latin Proverb)

Without learning, without eyes.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Necessity is a great teacher. (Mexican Proverb)

Reading books removes sorrows from the
heart. (Moroccan Proverb)

Every man rejoices in his peculiar study.
(Latin Proverb)

Experience is the best teacher. (Latin Proverb)

It is never too late to learn. (Latin Proverb)

Learning has sour roots, but pleasant fruits. (Latin Proverb)

Education is the poor man's haven.
(Latin Proverb)

Education serves our life, wisdom commands it. (Latin Proverb)

Either learn or leave. (Latin Proverb)

To teach is to learn. (Japanese Proverb)

To tell tales out of school. (Japanese Proverb)

As you teach, you learn. (Jewish Proverb)

Rivalry of scholars advances wisdom.
(Jewish Proverb)

Teach your grandma to spin. (Jewish Proverb)

Teach your granddame to suck eggs.
(Jewish Proverb)

Live and learn. (Italian Proverb)

We learn by teaching. (Italian Proverb)

Who gives, teaches a return. (Italian Proverb)

There are no national frontiers to learning.
(Japanese Proverb)

What smarts teaches. (German Proverb)

You don't need a teacher of wickedness.
(German Proverb)

Learn to obey before you command.
(Greek Proverb)

Learn to walk before you run. (Greek Proverb)

Need teaches a plan. (Irish Proverb)

Need teaches things unlawful. (Irish Proverb)

Eating teaches drinking. (Italian Proverb)

Necessity teaches all things. (German Proverb)

Necessity teaches arts. (German Proverb)

No one is too old to learn. (German Proverb)

Tell no tales out of school. (German Proverb)

The office teaches the man. (German Proverb)

A teacher is better than two books.
(German Proverb)

Doing nothing teaches doing ill.
(German Proverb)

Great scholars are not the shrewdest men.
(French Proverb)

He, who teaches, learns. (French Proverb)

If you would understand men, study women.
(French Proverb)

Learning is there for every man.
(French Proverb)

Love teaches asses to dance. (French Proverb)

One learns by failing. (French Proverb)

Learn to creep before you run. (Dutch Proverb)

Patience surpasses learning. (Dutch Proverb)

Teachers die, but books live on.
(Dutch Proverb)

To do nothing teaches evil. (Dutch Proverb)

Learn politeness from the impolite.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Education begins a gentleman, conversation completes him. (English Proverb)

The mistakes of others are good teachers.

(Estonian Proverb)

He, who learns, teaches. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Experience keeps a dear school.

(Belgian Proverb)

A nation's treasure is in its scholars.

(Chinese Proverb)

A nation's treasure: scholars. (Chinese)

Learning is better than house and land.

(Chinese Proverb)

Learning is treasure no thief can touch.

(Chinese Proverb)

Rivalry between scholars improves science.

(Chinese Proverb)

Scholars talk books, butchers talk pigs.

(Chinese Proverb)

Teaching others teaches yourself.

(Chinese Proverb)

He that inquires much learns much.

(Danish Proverb)

Honor the old, teach the young. (Danish)

What youth learns, age does not forget.

(Danish Proverb)

Diligence is a great teacher. (Arab Proverb)

EFFORT:

Effort will not counter faith. (Swahili Proverb)

Even pulling a fish out of the pond requires some effort. (Russian Proverb)

Exert effort, you shall be rewarded.
(Moroccan Proverb)

One should try to get enormously benefited by a small effort. (Kashmiri Proverb)

For the lazy and the poor, everything always takes twice the effort. (Honduran Proverb)

Dip your paddle in and join the effort.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

You, yourself, must make the effort.

(Buddhist Proverb)

Folks spend their health to acquire wealth and later spend their wealth in an effort to regain their health. (Albanian Proverb)

What makes up an anthill is the effort and order of determined and organized termites.

(African Proverb)

Non-injury, truthfulness, freedom from theft, lust, anger, and greed, and an effort to do what is agreeable and beneficial to all creatures this is the common duty of all castes. (Traditional Proverb)

Nature without an effort surpasses art.

(Latin Proverb)

EMOTIONS:

Immortality is surely a pleasant feeling, especially when the individual is still alive.

(Hebrew Proverb)

When you rely too much on reason, you end up not relying enough on feeling.

(French Proverb)

Feeling it from his water. (Dutch Proverb)

The feeling of commiseration is the feeling of humanity; the feeling of shame and dislike is the beginning of righteousness; the feeling of deference and compliance is the beginning of propriety; and the feeling of right and wrong is the beginning of wisdom. (Confucian Proverb)

Wha' got blood got feelings. (Bajan Proverb)

In order to judge another's feelings, remember your own. (Albanian Proverb)

A satisfied man doesn't understand the feeling of a hungry man. (African Proverb)

When a man stops thinking he stops feeling. (French Proverb)

The most beautiful things in the universe are the starry heavens above us and the feeling of duty within us. (Indian Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together. (Traditional Proverb)

He's feeling his oats. (Traditional Proverb)

Lending nourishes bad feeling. (Arab Proverb)

ENEMY:

Lend money and acquire an enemy.
(Yiddish Proverb)

An ignorant person is simply an enemy to himself.(Syrian Proverb)

If you want to destroy your enemy, give him an elephant.(Thai Proverb)

A good friend you get for nothing, an enemy you have to buy.(Yiddish Proverb)

He that digs up a grave for his enemy, may be digging it for himself.(South Sotho Proverb)
If you must battle your enemy, hit him where it hurts him most.(Spanish Proverb)

Where you have an enemy, you will also surely arid a friend.(Swahili Proverb)

Poverty parts good company, and is an enemy to virtue.(Scottish Proverb)

Don't take advice from your enemy.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't tell your friend everything that you know; remember that one day you may have him for an enemy. (Sicilian Proverb)

God save me from false friends, so that I can protect myself from my enemies. (Sicilian Proverb)

Make your enemy your friend. (Romanian Proverb)

Nothing worse than a familiar enemy. (Romanian Proverb)

One enemy can do more hurt than ten friends can do good. (Romanian Proverb)

One enemy is too many; and a hundred friends too few. (Romanian Proverb)

So many servants, so many enemies. (Romanian Proverb)

Wine is a turncoat, first a friend, then an enemy. (Romanian Proverb)

Afraid of the enemies - don't be a border guard. (Russian Proverb)

Haste is the enemy of perfection. (Portuguese Proverb)

Hunger and cold surrender a man to his enemy. (Portuguese Proverb)

To take revenge on an enemy, give him an elephant -- first he must thank you for the gift, and then the elephant's appetite will deplete your enemy's resources. (Nepalese)

To have no enemies is equivalent to wealth. (Nigerian Proverb)

A friend works in the light of the sun, an enemy in the dark. (Nilotic Proverb)

What can the enemy do when the friend is cordial. (Persian Proverb)

Only two relationships are possible - to be a friend or to be an enemy.

(Native American Cree Proverb)

Trust your best friend as you would your worst enemy. (Mexican Proverb)

He who has patience with his enemy, rewards himself. (Moroccan Proverb)

The weakness of the enemy makes our strength. (Native American Cherokee Proverb)

Better leave something to an enemy than borrow from a friend. (Manx Proverb)

He who restrains his anger overcomes his greatest enemy. (Latin Proverb)

Know your enemies... but do business with them always. (Klingon Proverb)

No enemy is boring. (Klingon Proverb)

Only an enemy without honor refuses to show himself in battle. (Klingon Proverb)

There is nothing shameful in falling before a superior enemy. (Klingon Proverb)

A thousand friends are too few; one enemy is one too many. (Kurdish Proverb)

Every once in a while, declare peace. It confuses the hell out of your enemies. (Klingon Proverb)

If you don't have an enemy, don't you have a cousin? (Kashmiri Proverb)

Better is an enemy to well. (Italian Proverb)

I protect myself from my enemies; may God protect me from my friends. (Italian Proverb)

One enemy is too much for a man, and a hundred friends too few. (Italian Proverb)

Better the coldness of a friend than the sweetness of an enemy. (Irish Proverb)

One enemy is too many; 100 friends are far too few. (Icelandic Proverb)

As the best wine makes the sharpest vinegar, the truest lover may turn into the worst enemy. (Iranian Proverb)

I do not want it even for my enemy. (Hungarian Proverb)

Nice words appease even the enemy. (Hungarian Proverb)

If two men claim your help, and one is your enemy, help him first. (Hebrew Proverb)

Money lent to a friend must be recovered from an enemy. (German Proverb)
Till age six, your son is your master; until ten he's your servant; until sixteen, a wonderful adviser; from then on, he's either your friend or your enemy. (Hebrew Proverb)

Wine renews the passion of lovers, and the hatred of enemies. (Hebrew Proverb)

He who falls victim to his enemies can expect no mercy. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Even from an enemy a man can learn wisdom. (Greek Proverb)

Poverty is an enemy to good manners. (English Proverb)

The first year let your house to your enemy; the second to your friend; the third live in it yourself. (English Proverb)

Who wants to makes his friend his enemy should loan him some money. (Estonian)

Live with your friend as if he might become your enemy. (English Proverb)

No worst pestilence than a familiar enemy. (English Proverb)

Bashfulness is an enemy to poverty. (English Proverb)

One enemy is too much, and a hundred friends are not enough. (Danish Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love; as the distance is from the eyes, so it is from the heart. (Dominican Proverb)

Two may become enemies, when their ideas are the same. (Burmese Proverb)

A friend made is a road paved; an enemy created is a wall built.(Chinese Proverb)

Better to drink the weak tea of a friend than the sweet wine of an enemy.(Chinese Proverb)

It is easy to dodge the arrow of an enemy, but difficult to avoid the spear of a friend.
(Chinese Proverb)

You will never lose a battle if you know your own situation as well as that of the enemy.
(Chinese Proverb)

He who overcomes his passions overcomes his greatest enemies.(Colombian Proverb)

Boys and sugar-cane grow up as enemies.
(Bajan Proverb)

Do not spread your corn to dry at an enemy's door.(Austrian Proverb)

Faithful are the wounds of a friend; but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful.
(Biblical Proverb)

Your ignorance is your worst enemy.
(Albanian Proverb)

You know who your friend and your enemy are during difficult moments.(Albanian Proverb)

You can't jest an enemy into a friend, but you can jest a friend into an enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Tact is the art of making a point without making an enemy. (Albanian Proverb)

A guilty conscience is a hidden enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Action is worry's worst enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Of your enemies say nothing.

(Albanian Proverb)

Never underestimate an enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

A small debt makes a debtor, a heavy one an enemy. (Albanian Proverb)

A sensible enemy is better than a narrow-minded friend. (Albanian Proverb)

A friend's envy is worse than an enemy's hatred. (Albanian Proverb)

A dead enemy is as good as a cold friend.

(Albanian Proverb)

You may as well die fighting the enemy than live exploited and be persecuted by him. (African Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is better than a stupid friend. (African Proverb)

Gossiping about the enemy can result in a war. (African Proverb)

A friend who fawns is better than an enemy who smiles. (African Proverb)

If you are digging a pit for your enemy, don't make it too deep, for you may fall into it. (African Proverb)

If the rabbit is your enemy, admit that he can sprint fast. (African Proverb)

Enjoy breakfast all alone, share lunch with your best friend and give dinner to your enemy. (African Proverb)

A wise enemy is better than a foolish friend. (Afghan Proverb)

When there is no enemy within, the enemies outside cannot hurt you. (African Proverb)

The enemy of my enemy is my friend. (Arab Proverb)

Never tell your friends what your enemy may not hear. (Arab Proverb)

Judge a man by the reputation of his enemies. (Arab Proverb)

Do not tell a friend anything you would conceal from an enemy. (Arab Proverb)

Ask advice of an ignorant man and he will think you are his enemy. (Arab Proverb)

A little debt makes a debtor, a great one an enemy. (Arab Proverb)

If the hare is your enemy, admit that he can run fast. (Bambara Proverb)

The friend who helps me and the enemy, who does me no harm, make a pair of earrings. (Armenian Proverb)

The greatest conqueror is he who overcomes the enemy without a blow. (Chinese Proverb)

Just as tall trees are known by their shadows, so are good men known by their enemies. (Chinese Proverb)

If an enemy is annoying you by playing well, consider adopting his strategy. (Chinese Proverb)

He who flatters me is my enemy, who blames me is my teacher. (Chinese Proverb)

He who cannot agree with his enemies is controlled by them. (Chinese Proverb)

Well water is not an enemy of spring water. (Chinese Proverb)

Every man carries an enemy in his own bosom. (Danish Proverb)

Despise not a small wound, a poor kinsman, or a humble enemy. (Danish Proverb)

Better a friend's bite than an enemy's caress. (Danish Proverb)

Better a bite from a friend than a caress from an enemy. (Danish Proverb)

Feed your horse as a friend, mount him as an enemy. (Croatian Proverb)

Though your enemy is the size of an ant, look upon him as an elephant. (Danish Proverb)

Lend to your friend, and ask payment of your enemy. (Danish Proverb)

It is no use hiding from a friend what is known to an enemy.(Danish Proverb)

It is good to make a bridge of gold to a flying enemy.(Danish Proverb)

It is discreditable to fly from a living enemy, or to abuse a dead one.(Danish Proverb)

In taking revenge, a man is but even with his enemy; but in passing it over, he is superior.(Danish Proverb)

He, who feeds a wolf, strengthens his enemy.(Danish Proverb)

Though your enemy is the size of an ant, look upon him as an elephant.(Danish Proverb)

Better have a dog for your friend than your enemy.(Dutch Proverb)

Better a slap from your friend than a kiss from your enemy.(Dutch Proverb)

Take heed of enemies reconciled, and of meat twice boiled.(English Proverb)

Build a golden bridge for the fleeing enemy.(French Proverb)

An enemy may chance to give good counsel.

(French Proverb)

A close friend can become a close enemy.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

There is no such thing as an insignificant enemy. (French Proverb)

He who passes a winter's day passes one of his mortal enemies. (French Proverb)

He cannot be a friend to anyone who is his own enemy. (French Proverb)

Do not despise an insignificant enemy, nor a slight wound. (German Proverb)

I would rather have a dog my friend than enemy. (German Proverb)

He who does not want to lend loses friends; he who lends gains enemies. (German Proverb)
He who conquers his anger has conquered an enemy. (German Proverb)

My friend's enemy is often my best friend.
(German Proverb)

One enemy can harm you more than a hundred friends can do you good.
(German Proverb)

Never fight an enemy whilst it is possible to cheat him. (German Proverb)

Nature teaches us to love our friends, but religion our enemies. (German Proverb)

The best is the enemy of the good. (German)

What you lend to a friend, an enemy sues for. (German Proverb)

Observe your enemies, for they first find your faults. (Greek Proverb)

Listen to that which is well said even if it is from the mouth of an enemy. (Greek Proverb)

An open enemy is better than a false friend. (Greek Proverb)

A trade not properly learned is an enemy. (Irish Proverb)

A small debt makes a man your debtor, a large one your enemy. (Irish Proverb)

He who loves the truth has many enemies. (Indian Proverb)

Trust not the praise of a friend nor the contempt of an enemy. (Italian Proverb)

Rather have a little one for your friend, than a great one for your enemy. (Italian Proverb)

Peel a fig for your friend, a peach for your enemy. (Italian Proverb)

One enemy is too many, and a hundred friends are too few. (Italian Proverb)

Look with suspicion on the flight of an enemy. (Italian Proverb)

If your friend becomes your enemy, he will be your enemy for life. (Jewish Proverb)

Beware of still water, a still dog, and a still enemy. (Jewish Proverb)

A friend you get for nothing; an enemy must be bought. (Jewish Proverb)

As soon as a man leaves his house he has seven enemies. (Japanese Proverb)

You buy yourself an enemy when you lend man money. (Jewish Proverb)

Who is mighty? One who makes an enemy into a friend. (Jewish Proverb)

Flatterers are the worst type of enemies. (Latin Proverb)

It is good to be taught even by an enemy.
(Latin Proverb)

One man restored our fortunes by delay. [By skilfully avoiding an engagement, Fabius exhausted the resources of the enemy.]
(Latin Proverb)

Valor even in an enemy is worthy of praise.
(Latin Proverb)

Treat your friends as if hereafter they will become your enemies and your enemies as if they will become your friends.(Latin Proverb)

The good is the enemy of the best.
(Latin Proverb)

Small favors conciliate, but great gifts make enemies.(Latin Proverb)

Presents from an enemy must be received with suspicion.(Latin Proverb)

Poverty shows us who are our friends and who our enemies.(Latin Proverb)

A traveler to distant places should make no enemies.(Nigerian Proverb)

Wealth is both an enemy and a friend.
(Nepalese Proverb)

Marriage is the only war in which you sleep with the enemy. (Mexican Proverb)

A little makes a debtor and much an enemy. (Portuguese Proverb)

There are three kinds of enemy: the enemy himself, the friends of your enemy, and the enemies of your friends. (Persian Proverb)

There are four things in this life of which we have more than we think: faults, debts, years and enemies. (Persian Proverb)

It is a real compliment that comes from an enemy. (Persian Proverb)

He, who has only one enemy, meets him everywhere. (Persian Proverb)

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The looking glass is the enemy of ugly women. (Romanian Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is worth more than a stupid friend. (Senegalese Proverb)

One who seeks no friends is his own enemy. (Russian Proverb)

A thousand friends are few; one enemy is too many. (Russian Proverb)

Make a bridge of silver for the flying enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

He, who has enemies, let him not sleep. (Spanish Proverb)

Make a bridge of silver for the flying enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

If your enemy is up to his waist in water, give him your hand; if the water reaches his shoulders, stand on his head. (Spanish Proverb)

If you have a friend who is a doctor, make your bow and send him to the house of your enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

Hunger and cold give a man up to his enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

Neither a good friar for friend, nor a bad one for enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

Who lends recovers not; or if he recovers, recovers not all; or if not all, not much; of if much, a mortal enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

Who is your enemy? A man of your own trade. (Spanish Proverb)

When you are on the road speak not ill of your enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

If you defy an enemy by doubting his courage you double it. (Traditional Proverb)

Hear no ill of a friend, nor speak ill of an enemy. (Traditional Proverb)

He who shares my bread and salt is not my enemy. (Traditional Proverb)

He who has many enemies is like a pigeon among kites whichever way he turns, he faces attack. (Traditional Proverb)

Money lent to a friend must be recovered from an enemy. (Traditional Proverb)

Listen to your enemy, for God is talking. (Traditional Proverb)

The weakness of an enemy forms part of our own strength. (Traditional Proverb)

Care for your horse as a friend; ride it as if it were an enemy. (Turkish Proverb)

A weapon is an enemy even to its owner. (Turkish Proverb)

A stupid friend is a greater plague than a wise enemy. (Turkish Proverb)

The obliging fool is worse than an enemy. (Ukrainian Proverb)

Never trust overmuch to a new friend or an old enemy. (Welsh Proverb)

Every man is his own worst enemy. (Traditional Proverb)

Bribery is the enemy of justice. (Swahili Proverb)

A reconciled friend is a double enemy.
(Spanish Proverb)

Flattery makes friends and truth makes enemies.(Spanish Proverb)

He who has servants has unavoidable enemies.(Spanish Proverb)

The ignorant is his own enemy.
(Palestinian Proverb)

Gifts from enemies are dangerous.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Money lent, an enemy made.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Our eyes are our enemies.(Russian Proverb)

False friends are worst than bitter enemies.
(Scottish Proverb)

A man without enemies is worthless.
(Serbian Proverb)

He is his own enemy.(Latin Proverb)

One God and so many enemies.
(Jewish Proverb)

Many are brave when the enemy flees.

(Italian Proverb)

Your enemy makes you wiser.(Italian Proverb)

Beware, the enemy lies under your blanket.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love.(Italian Proverb)

All are brave when the enemy flies.
(Italian Proverb)

There is no little enemy.(German Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love.(Italian Proverb)

All are brave when the enemy flies.
(Italian Proverb)

Scratch a lover and find an enemy.
(German Proverb)

So many mates; so many enemies.(French)
Take heed of an enemy reconciled.
(French Proverb)

Better is an enemy to good.(German Proverb)

An enemy does not sleep.(French Proverb)

Beware of a reconciled enemy.
(French Proverb)

A powerful friend becomes a powerful enemy. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Weaklings never forgive their enemies.
(Chinese Proverb)

When bred in split, enemies enter the gap.
(Darkovan Proverb)

ENERGY:

Stubbornness is the energy of fools.
(German Proverb)

ENGAGEMENT:

One man restored our fortunes by delay. [By skillfully avoiding an engagement, Fabius exhausted the resources of the enemy.]
(Latin Proverb)

Bad dancing does not break an engagement.
(Kenyan Proverb)

ENGLAND:

The Emperor of Germany is the king of kings, the King of Spain king of men, the King of France king of asses, the King of England king of devils. (French Proverb)

What Manchester says today, the rest of England says tomorrow. (German Proverb)

England is the paradise of women, the hell of horses, and the purgatory of servants. (Latin Proverb)

War with all the world, and peace with England. (Spanish Proverb)

A famine in England begins at the horse-manger. (Traditional Proverb)

England's difficulty is Ireland's opportunity. (Latin Proverb)

ENGLISH:

Do you speak English? (Dutch Proverb)

The English are a nation of shopkeepers.

(Arab Proverb)

ENTHUSIASM:

Zeal is fit only for wise men but is found mostly in fools. (Traditional Proverb)

Too much zeal spoils all. (French Proverb)

Temper your enthusiasm with judgment. (Albanian Proverb)

Age may wrinkle the face, but lack of enthusiasm wrinkles the soul. (Danish Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is the sister of folly. (English Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is like fire without light. (English Proverb)

Too much zeal is a bad soldier who fires before the word of command. (Traditional Proverb)

Zeal is like fire: it needs both feeding and watching. (Traditional Proverb)

Zeal is fit only for the wise but is found mostly in fools. (Traditional Proverb)

Blind zeal can only do harm.

(Traditional Proverb)

Too much zeal spoils everything.

(French Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is a runaway horse.

(English Proverb)

ENVIRONMENT:

What a man can be is born with him; what he becomes is a result of his environment.

(Albanian Proverb)

We are changed as we change our environment. (Traditional Proverb)

Have the wisdom to abandon the values of a time that has passed and pick out the constituents of the future. An environment must be suited to the age and men to their environment. (Traditional Proverb)

Ignorance is a form of environmental pollution. (American Proverb)

ENVY AND JEALOUS:

Without jealousy, love would wither.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Envy is the companion of great success.
(Swedish Proverb)

Envy is the truest form of flattery.
(Swedish Proverb)

Jealousy is cruel as the grave.
(Romanian Proverb)

Love is never without jealousy.(Romanian)

Envy always shoots at a high mark.
(Romanian Proverb)

Envy never dies.(Romanian Proverb)

Envy follows merit like the shadow follows the body.(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Jealousy is as ash.(Nigerian Proverb)

Envy for a friend is like the taste of a sour pumpkin.(Peruvian Proverb)

Jealous about honor and careless about providing.(Mexican Proverb)

Envy and greed grow on the same stalk.

(Namibian Proverb)

One blacksmith envies another.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain that seeks what caused it.

(German Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain which eagerly seeks what causes pain.

(German Proverb)

I feel pain that envy is exchanged for beautiful deeds.

(Greek Proverb)

The house of envy lies in the lowest hollows, golden, sunless, breathed upon by no wind, grim and filled full of inert chill, and lacking warmth, is always roiled in fog.

(Greek Proverb)

Envy shoots at others and wounds herself.

(Costa Rican Proverb)

To make your neighbor jealous, go to bed early and get up early.

(Corsican Proverb)

As long as there will remain two men on Earth, Jealousy will reign.

(Bengali Proverb)

Envy is a weight not placed by its bearer.

(Arabic Proverb)

A bite from a lion is better the look of envy.
(Arabic Proverb)

Envy is left-handed praise.(Albanian Proverb)

Envy is destroyed by true friendship.
(Albanian Proverb)

Envy is blind.(Albanian Proverb)

Envy is a kind of praise.(Albanian Proverb)

Envy doesn't enter an empty house.
(Albanian Proverb)

A friend's envy is worse than an enemy's
hatred.(Albanian Proverb)

He who doesn't feel jealousy is not in love.
(African Proverb)
Between imitation and envy, imitation is
better.(African Proverb)

The torment of envy is like a grain of sand in
the eye.(Chinese Proverb)

If envy were a fever, the entire world would be
ill.(Danish Proverb)

When fortune's chariot rolls easily, envy and
shame cling to the wheels.(Danish Proverb)

It is better to have a husband without love than jealous. (Italian Proverb)

If the secret sorrows of everyone could be read on their forehead, how many who now cause envy would suddenly become the objects of pity. (Italian Proverb)

From the well of envy, only a fool drinks the water. (Nigerian Proverb)

It is better to be the object of jealousy, than of pity. (Moroccan Proverb)

Love is too rare to be lost on jealousy. (Mexican Proverb)

Love without jealousy is like a Pole with no moustache. (Polish Proverb)

Envy sees the sea but not the rocks. (Russian Proverb)

Envy can breed swans from bad duck eggs. (Russian Proverb)

The store of rice in your attic is your enemy -- it makes them who have none very jealous. (Thai Proverb)

Merit is often an obstacle to fortune; the reason is it produces two bad effects, envy and fear. (Traditional Proverb)

Jealous Hate the game and not the player.
(Traditional Proverb)

If envy would burn, there would be no need for wood. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Green with envy. (Traditional Proverb)

Jealousy and fear have big eyes.
(Serbian Proverb)

Relationship produces envy. (Latin Proverb)

Happiness invites envy. (Latin Proverb)

Envy is the companion of glory.
(Latin Proverb)

Envy no man. (Latin Proverb)

Envy waits on boasting. (Latin Proverb)

Envy is the companion of glory. (Latin Proverb)

Where there's no jealousy, there's no love.
(German Proverb)

Envy accomplishes nothing. (Greek Proverb)

The enemy's own punishment is his envy.
(Indian Proverb)

A loving man, a jealous man. (Italian Proverb)

A rakish bachelor makes a jealous husband.
(Italian Proverb)

He who envies, suffers. (German Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain seeking its cause.
(German Proverb)

No jealousy, no love. (German Proverb)

There is no love without jealousy. (French)

Better envy than pity. (German Proverb)

Envy eats nothing, but its own heart.
(German Proverb)

Envy envies itself. (German Proverb)

Jealousy is nourished by doubt.
(French Proverb)

Love expels jealousy. (French Proverb)

Envy goes beyond avarice. (French Proverb)

Envy crieth of spite where honor rideth.

(Dutch Proverb)

Envy shoots at others and wounds itself.

(English Proverb)

A neighbor's eye is full of jealousy.

(Danish Proverb)

Envy does not enter an empty house.

(Danish Proverb)

Envy is its own torturer.(Danish Proverb)

Envy was never a good spokesman.

(Danish Proverb)

The eye envies, not the ear.(African Proverb)

Compete, don't envy.(Arab Proverb)

EQUALITY:

Equality is difficult, but superiority is painful.

(Serere Proverb)

If between friends there is not equality, there won't be perfect love.(Sicilian Proverb)

Equality of man is an empty phrase so long as it does not exist among the world's peoples.

(Hebrew Proverb)

He who seeks equality should go to ---.

(Albanian Proverb)

Equality begins in the grave.

(Albanian Proverb)

If you want equality, then go to the graveyard.

(German Proverb)

The only real equality is in the cemetery.

(German Proverb)

If all men were on equality, the consequence would be that all must perish: for who would till the ground? Who would sow it? Who would plant? Who would press wine?(Latin Proverb)

Perfect love cannot be without equality.

(Scottish Proverb)

ERROR:

It takes a wise man to learn from his mistakes, but an even wiser man to learn from others.(Zen Proverb)

You can correct a mistake.(Sicilian Proverb)

It is well to learn from the errors of others, since there is not time enough to make all of them by yourself. (Swedish Proverb)

It's good to learn from the errors of others, since we don't have time to carry out all of them ourselves. (Swedish Proverb)

Even an old lady makes mistakes. (Russian Proverb)

Only people who work make mistakes. (Portuguese Proverb)

To make an error is human; pushing the same error is dumb. (Portuguese Proverb)

To make an error is human, keep doing it is foolishness. (Portuguese Proverb)

Have the courage to admit your mistakes. (Klingon Proverb)

If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to correct it. (Japanese Proverb)

We learn from our mistakes. (Italian Proverb)

An egoistic person can't realize his own mistakes, but can always find mistakes of others. (Indonesian Proverb)

No matter how smart a person is, eventually he will make a mistake. (Indonesian Proverb)

Only those make no errors, who do not work at all. (Hungarian Proverb)

There are still errors. (Hungarian Proverb)

We all make mistakes. (English Proverb)

He is the best general who makes the fewest mistakes. (English Proverb)

Error carries away the un teachable. (Egyptian Proverb)

Custom without reason is but ancient error. (English Proverb)

Mistakes are made even by priests at the altar. (Corsican Proverb)

Excessive talk is sure to include errors. (Burmese Proverb)

A man who has committed a mistake and doesn't correct it is committing another mistake. (Chinese Proverb)

In a group of many words, there is bound to be a mistake somewhere in them.

(Chinese Proverb)

Making a thousand decisions, even the wise will make a mistake. (Chinese Proverb)

Success in the end erases all the mistakes along the way. (Chinese Proverb)

There are no mistakes, only lessons. (Chinese Proverb)

See and believe, and in order not to make a mistake, touch. (Colombian Proverb)

The person who recognizes his major mistakes is on the road to wisdom. (Colombian Proverb)

Be not ashamed of mistakes and thus make them crimes. (Confucian Proverb)

The humble pay for the mistakes of their betters. (Baguirmi Proverb)

Wise men learn from other men's mistakes; fools insist on learning from their own. (Albanian Proverb)

When fools make mistakes, they lay the blame on providence. (Albanian Proverb)

A little doubt saves many a mistake. (Albanian Proverb)

Error can't be defended by error.

(Albanian Proverb)

An open mind only hurts those who fear their own mistakes.(African Proverb)

The ancestors may annoy you but don't make a mistake of annoying them back, they may annoy you forever.(African Proverb)

Only those who do nothing never make a mistake.(African Proverb)

If you have a poor father that is destiny; if you have a poor father-in-law, that is your mistake.(African Proverb)

If you don't inquire, you're bound to make mistakes.(African Proverb)

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Let a wrong-doing repeat itself at least three times: the first may be an accident, the second a mistake, but the third is likely to be intentional. (African Proverb)

Your friend will swallow your mistakes; your enemy will present them on a plate.

(Arab Proverb)

A known mistake is better than an unknown truth. (Arab Proverb)

Better a mistake at the beginning than at the end. (Cameroonian Proverb)

Begin with an error of an inch and end by being a thousand miles off the mark.

(Chinese Proverb)

Always leave a little room for a mistake.

(Chinese Proverb)

When a king makes a mistake, all the people suffer. (Chinese Proverb)

Only he who does nothing makes a mistake.

(French Proverb)

He who stops half way is only half in error.

(German Proverb)

An old error is always more popular than a new truth. (German Proverb)

A book is a good friend when it lays bare the errors of the past. (Indian Proverb)

The man who never makes a mistake always takes orders from one who does.

(Italian Proverb)

The earth covers the errors of the physician.

(Italian Proverb)

Never point out the mistakes of another with a dirty finger. (Italian Proverb)

Wise men learn by other men's mistakes, fools by their own. (Italian Proverb)

By ignorance we mistake, and by mistakes we learn. (Latin Proverb)

War gives no opportunity for repeating a mistake. (Latin Proverb)

If a rich man steals it is a mistake; if a poor man makes a mistake he has stolen.

(Moroccan Proverb)

The fool's excuse is bigger than the mistake he made. (Persian Proverb)

The thief makes perhaps one mistake; those he stole from made a hundred.

(Russian Proverb)

The patient who names a doctor his heir makes a big mistake. (Spanish Proverb)

The earth hides as it takes, the physician's mistakes. (Spanish Proverb)

If the Master teaches what error is, the disciple's submission is slavery if he teaches truth, this submission is ennoblement. (Traditional Proverb)

Leave him in error who loves his error. (Traditional Proverb)

The first mistake are theirs who commit them, the second are theirs that permit them. (Traditional Proverb)

He who knows much makes many mistakes. (Turkish Proverb)

The earth will cover the doctor's mistakes. (Ukrainian Proverb)

Every error has its excuse. (Polish Proverb)

Mistakes are to be pardoned. (Latin Proverb)

The fast talker makes mistakes. (Japanese Proverb)

Man loves his own mistakes. (Indian Proverb)

Error is no payment. (Italian Proverb)

A mistake is no fraud. (German Proverb)

A mistake is no reckoning. (French Proverb)

There are two kinds of error blind credulity and piecemeal criticism. Never believe a word without putting its truth to the test discernment does not grow in laziness and this faculty of discernment is indispensable to the Seeker. Sound skepticism is the necessary condition for good discernment but piecemeal criticism is an error. (Traditional Proverb)

ETERNITY:

Eternal peace lasts until the next war.
(Russian Proverb)

Greed is eternal. (Klingon Proverb)

Obeisance to the self that is a reflection of eternal reality. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Only love gives us the taste of eternity.
(Jewish Proverb)

Eternity has no grey hairs. (English Proverb)

A house is for a voyage but a tomb is for eternity. (African Proverb)

To ask is a temporary shame; not to ask, an eternal one. (Japanese Proverb)

Death makes us equal in the grave but not in eternity. (Portuguese Proverb)

Eternal peace lasts only until the next war. (Russian Proverb)

One night with an ugly woman and one day in the mountains both are like an eternity. (Turkish Proverb)

Live not for time, but eternity. (Traditional Proverb)

A dreamer lives for eternity. (Traditional Proverb)

Eternity makes room for a salty cucumber. (Russian Proverb)

Hope springs eternal. (Danish Proverb)

EXAGGERATION:

Exaggeration is to paint a snake and add legs.
(Chinese Proverb)

EXCELLENCE:

He who governs by his moral excellence may be compared to the Pole star which abides in its place while all other stars bow towards it.
(Chinese Proverb)

It is well to remember that there are five reasons for drinking the arrival of a friend, one's present or future thirst, the excellence of the wine, or any other reason.(Traditional)

EXCUSE:

Excuses are like assholes, everyone has one, and they all stink.(US Marine Proverb)

An unrequested excuse is a self accusation.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Being ignorant of law is no excuse.
(Polish Proverb)

Since excuses were invented, no one is ever in the wrong.(Mexican Proverb)

An excuse is nearer to a woman than her apron. (Irish Proverb)

Don't be ever in court or a castle without a woman to make your excuse. (Irish Proverb)

A good excuse is never bad. (Hungarian Proverb)

Oh old hyena eats me without making excuses. (Ethiopian Proverb)

An absent person should have his excuse. (Egyptian Proverb)

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There is never wanting an excuse for drinking. (Cuban Proverb)

Where the heart is willing it will find a thousand ways, but where it is unwilling it will find a thousand excuses. (Dayak Proverb)

An excuse is sometime more ugly than guilt. (Arabic Proverb)

Success never needs an excuse. (Albanian Proverb)

Don't make excuses, make good.

(Albanian Proverb)

Don't give a dog a bad name in order to have an excuse to burn it. (African Proverb)

A lazy man plants on a mad bark as an excuse for not planting. (African Proverb)

Where there is a will there is a way. Where there is no will there is an excuse.

(Arab Proverb)

Absent, none without blame; present, none without excuse. (French Proverb)

He is a bad shot who cannot find an excuse.

(German Proverb)

Any excuse is good if it hold good.

(Italian Proverb)

Love is an excuse for its own faults.

(Italian Proverb)

If you don't want to do something, one excuse is as good as another. (Jewish Proverb)

A lazy messenger is not short of excuses.

(Jewish Proverb)

Find you without an excuse, and find a hare without a Meuse.(Latin Proverb)

He that does ill never wants for excuses.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The fool's excuse is bigger than the mistake he made.(Persian Proverb)

Every man is rich in excuses to safeguard his prejudices, his instincts, and his opinions.
(Traditional Proverb)

A willful fault has no excuse, and deserves no pardon.(Welsh Proverb)

Love will find a way. Indifference will find an excuse.(Ukrainian Proverb)

An excuse is often substituted for reason.
(Traditional Proverb)

What is in use, wants no excuse.
(Spanish Proverb)

Every error has its excuse.(Polish Proverb)

A bad excuse is better than none.(Spanish)

An unasked excuse infers transgression.
(Malay Proverb)

That which is customary requires no excuse.
(Italian Proverb)

The wrong-doer never lacks excuses.
(Italian Proverb)

Who excuses himself accuses himself.
(Italian Proverb)

Every excuse is good, if it works.
(Italian Proverb)

He who excuses, accuses himself.(Italian)

Who excuses, accuses.(Dutch Proverb)

Excuses are always mixed with lies.
(Arab Proverb)

EXPERIENCE:

Better than the young man's knowledge is the old man's experience.(Tibetan Proverb)

A single bad experience is worth a thousand threats.(Turkish Proverb)

They are people of experience who do not sleep at a strange place.(Xhosa Proverb)

There is no knowledge without experience.
(Sicilian Proverb)

To seamen of Kwale, death by water is common experience. (Swahili Proverb)

Experience may teach a fool. (Scottish Proverb)

When the elderly ones in a house travel, the younger ones quickly grow in experience. (Nigerian Proverb)

Death is an experience best shared. (Klingon Proverb)

Experience is more important than theory. (Italian Proverb)

Experience is what you get when you didn't get what you wanted. (Italian Proverb)

Experience runs a valuable school, but fools learn in no other. (Italian Proverb)

No experience, narrow minded. (Indonesian Proverb)

This is, what we experience, this is to be liked. (Hungarian Proverb)

A little bit of experience is better than a barrel full of knowledge. (Finnish Proverb)

Age brings experience, and good mind wisdom. (Greek Proverb)

There's no substitute for experience. (English Proverb)

Not a few proverbs are dear children of experience. (English Proverb)

Good judgment comes from experience, and experience comes from poor judgment. (English Proverb)

Experience is the mistress of fools. (English Proverb)

Experience is the mother of knowledge. (English Proverb)

Some folks speak from experience; others, from experience, don't speak. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom and memory the mother. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is a dear school, but fools learn in no other. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is a comb which fate gives to a man when his hair is all gone. (Albanian Proverb)

A wise man learns by the experiences of others; an ordinary man learns by his own experience; a fool learns by nobody's experiences. (Albanian Proverb)

A thorn of experience is worth a wilderness of advice. (Albanian Proverb)

A thimbleful of experience is worth a tubful of knowledge. (Albanian Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of experience. (African Proverb)

He who has got experience can milk a running cow. (African Proverb)

Experience is the comb that nature gives us when we are bald. (Belgian Proverb)

The tongue of experience utters the most truth. (Arab Proverb)

Experience is a comb which nature gives to men when they are bald. (Chinese Proverb)

Experience is the teacher of jesters and the intelligence of the wise. (German Proverb)

Experience without learning is better than learning without experience. (Latin Proverb)

It is best to learn wisdom by the experience of others. (Latin Proverb)

A proverb is a short sentence based on long experience. (Spanish Proverb)

The horses of hope gallop, but the asses of experience go slowly. (Russian Proverb)

Experience is not always the kindest of teachers, but it is surely the best.
(Spanish Proverb)

A man can't be judge of his neighbor's intelligence. His own vital experience is never his neighbor's. (Traditional Proverb)

A king learns by his ears a saint by his intellect a beast by his nose and a fool by his experience. (Traditional Proverb)

A complete catastrophe includes not learning from the experience. (Traditional Proverb)

We start as fools and become wise through experience. (Tanzanian Proverb)

Experience will show you, a Master can only point the way. (Traditional Proverb)

Experience teacheth that resolution is a sole help in need.(Traditional Proverb)

One bad experience is worth more than a thousand threats.(Turkish Proverb)

Everything is worn out with usage -- except for experience.(Turkish Proverb)

Experience is the mother of science.
(Traditional Proverb)

Experience is the mother of wisdom.
(Traditional Proverb)

Proverbs are the children of experience.
(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

Don't just take love, experience it.(Persian)
Experience purchased by suffering teaches wisdom.(Latin Proverb)

Experience is the best teacher.
(Latin Proverb)

Believe him who speaks from experience.
(Latin Proverb)

Experience costs blood.(Jewish Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of daily experience.
(Dutch Proverb)

A proverb is the child of experience.
(English Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom.
(Belgian Proverb)

Experience keeps a dear school.
(Belgian Proverb)

Experiences are the spectacles of intellect.
(Arab Proverb)

F CATEGORY

FACE:

The tears running down your face do not blind you. (Togolese Proverb)

When the cat washes its face, you know it's going to rain. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who doesn't approach with disbelief, won't see the face of paradise. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who drives donkeys and believes women, will never see the face of paradise.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Even the brave are scared by a lion three times: first by its tracks, again by its roar, and one last time face to face.(Somali Proverb)

A nice face is the best letter of recommendation.(Swedish Proverb)

Ye have a face to God, and another to the Devil.(Scottish Proverb)

Ye seek grace at a graceless face.

(Scottish Proverb)

Spit at heaven and you'll get it back in your face.(Sicilian Proverb)

Praise to the face is open disgrace.

(Romanian Proverb)

The face is the index of the mind.

(Romanian Proverb)

The heart's mirth does make the face fair.

(Romanian Proverb)

One hand washes the other and both of them wash the face.(Portuguese Proverb)

A fair face, foul heart.(Romanian Proverb)

Face to face, the truth comes out.

(Romanian Proverb)

A child's face is his mirror. (Nigerian Proverb)

When a face is sullen it remains there to be seen on its owner. (Nigerian Proverb)

You will not dare mistreating the face you see in the morning. (Palestinian Proverb)

For the bad weather, a cheerful face.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Three things cause sorrow to flee; water, green trees, and a beautiful face. (Moroccan Proverb)

He who follows his wife's advice will never see the face of god. (Maltese Proverb)

He who spits in the air will have it fall back on his face. (Mexican Proverb)

Monday's child is fair of face, Tuesday's child is full of grace, and Wednesday's child is full of woe. Thursday's child has far to go, Friday's child is loving and giving, Saturday's child works hard for its living, and a child that's born of the Sabbath day. (Latin Proverb)

A bee stinging a crying face.

(Japanese Proverb)

A man with a sour face should not open a shop. (Japanese Proverb)

Even the Buddha's face, only until the third. (Japanese Proverb)

Kind hearts are better than fair faces. (Japanese Proverb)

He who speaks to your face is not a traitor. (Italian Proverb)

He who spits towards the sky is spitting on his face. (Igbo Proverb)

A welcome is a debtor's face. (Irish Proverb)
There is thick sandal leather on his face. (Hungarian Proverb)

Just as people's faces are different, so are their opinions different. (Hebrew Proverb)

Who spits against the wind, it falls in his face. (English Proverb)

The joy of the heart makes the face fair. (English Proverb)

Truth has a scratched face. (English Proverb)

Good fame is better than a good face.

(English Proverb)

A king's face should show grace.

(English Proverb)

In Frassetu and Tavera, don't say ?cuppa,?
because they'll punch you in the face.

(Corsican Proverb)

One hand washes the other, both hands wash
the face.(Corsican Proverb)

Faces of men we see but not their hearts.

(Cuban Proverb)

There is no better mirror than the face of an
old friend.(Cuban Proverb)

He, who hurts his nose, hurts his face.

(Dutch Proverb)

To know another is not to know that person's
face, but to know that person's heart.

(Chinese Proverb)

To scrape the light off one's face.

(Chinese Proverb)

A curse turns around and strikes the one who
uttered it in the face.(Corsican Proverb)

Don't hit one on the face.(Chinese Proverb)

A man says his word to the face.

(Azerbaijani Proverb)

If I could see your face, I would not need food.

(Amharic Proverb)

Wrinkled purses make wrinkled faces.

(Albanian Proverb)

The face is the index of the mind, but
appearances are deceitful. (Albanian Proverb)

The face is a mask; look behind it.

(Albanian Proverb)

It is well that our faults are not written on our
faces. (Albanian Proverb)

Affectation is a greater enemy to the face than
smallpox. (Albanian Proverb)

A beautiful face is a letter of recommendation.

(Albanian Proverb)

A fair face may hide a foul heart.

(Albanian Proverb)

Sometimes the face can tell what the lips can't
say. (African Proverb)

One finger cannot wash the whole face.

(African Proverb)

The ungrateful son is a wart on his father's face; to leave it is a blemish; to cut it off is pain. (Afghan Proverb)

If there is only bread and onions, still have a happy face. (Afghan Proverb)

Ashes will always blow back into the face of the thrower. (African Proverb)

A stern look is not a slap in the face. (African Proverb)

The ungrateful son is like a wart on his father's face; to leave it there is unsightly; to cut it off is painful. (Afghan Proverb)

The wife carries the husband on her face; the husband carries the wife on his clothes. (Bulgarian Proverb)

The barber learns to shave on the orphan's face. (Arab Proverb)

Don't cut off your nose to spite your face. (American Proverb)

Even ugly faces are worth looking at -- and that is a great comfort for most people. (Chinese Proverb)

Easy to know men's faces, not their hearts.

(Chinese Proverb)

Only your real friends will tell you when your face is dirty.

(Burmese Proverb)

Many a good face is under a ragged hat.

(Chinese Proverb)

Learn to paint a tiger and you only paint his skin; learn to know a human being and you only know his face.

(Chinese Proverb)

Though talking face to face, their hearts are a thousand miles apart.

(Chinese Proverb)

Age may wrinkle the face, but lack of enthusiasm wrinkles the soul.

(Danish)

A beautiful face is admired even when its owner doesn't say anything.

(Danish Proverb)

Better a blush in the face than a spot in the heart.

(Dutch Proverb)

The face is no index to the heart.

(English Proverb)

A big nose never spoiled a handsome face.

(French Proverb)

Affectation is a greater injury to the face than smallpox.

(German Proverb)

Who spits against the wind spits in his own face. (French Proverb)

They, who eat cherries with the great, are like to have the stones and stalks flung in their face. (German Proverb)

For news of the heart, ask the face. (Guinean Proverb)

One hand washes the other and both wash the face. (Greek Proverb)

The diamond in your belly sparkles on your face. (Indian Proverb)

Have an open face, but conceal your thoughts. (Italian Proverb)

To go safely through the world you must have the eye of a falcon, the ear of an ass, the face of an ape, the mouth of a pig, the shoulders of a camel, and the legs of a deer. (Italian Proverb)

A fool will jump into the bath and forget to wash his face. (Jewish Proverb)

In the eyes of a lover a pock-marked face is one with pretty dimples. (Japanese Proverb)

Good luck in business is like the froth on an ox's face.(Japanese Proverb)

A gilt-edged visiting card often hides an ugly face.(Japanese Proverb)

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You cannot strike a face that is smiling.
(Korean Proverb)

The face is the index to the mind.
(Latin Proverb)

If you spit in the face of a coward he'll tell you that it's raining.(Lebanese Proverb)

He who slaps himself on the face should not cry ouch.(Lebanese Proverb)

The face is the portrait of the mind; the eyes, its informers.(Latin Proverb)

You will not dare mistreat the face you see in the morning.(Palestinian Proverb)

Monday's child is fair of face, Tuesday's child is full of grace, Wednesday's child is full of woe. Thursday's child has far to go, Friday's child is loving and giving, Saturday's child works hard for its living, and a child that's

born of the Sabbath day Is fair and wise and good and gay. (Latin Proverb)

Ashes fly back into the face of him who throws them. (Nigerian Proverb)

Mountain does not meet mountain, but a face meets another face. (Maltese Proverb)

Smack a tray of water and you get to wash your face. (Malay Proverb)

The loveliest faces are to be seen by moonlight, when one sees half with the eye and half with the fancy. (Persian Proverb)

Marry me forthwith, mother, for my face is growing wrinkled. (Portuguese Proverb)

Watch the faces of those who bow low. (Polish Proverb)

A brave man is scared of a lion three times: first when he sees the tracks; second when he hears the first roar; and third when they are face to face. (Somali Proverb)

A man is known by the eye, and the face discovers wisdom. (Scottish Proverb)

When night falls the face of the wolf lights up. (Russian Proverb)

In a fight the rich man tries to save his face,
the poor man his coat. (Russian Proverb)

Deprive a mirror of its silver and even the czar
won't see his face. (Russian Proverb)

In the face of love and death, courage is
useless. (Spanish Proverb)

He who spits above himself will have it fall on
his face. (Spanish Proverb)

One hand washes the other, and both the
face. (Spanish Proverb)

The more a woman admires her face, the more
she ruins her house. (Spanish Proverb)

Spilled wine is a sign of happiness, but break
the bed and all will have long faces.
(Spanish Proverb)

Play with an ass and he will flirt his tail in
your face. (Spanish Proverb)

A good face is a letter of recommendation.
(Traditional Proverb)

A letter from the heart can be read on the face.
(Swahili Proverb)

Where the heart is past hope, the face is past shame. (Spanish Proverb)

Cut off one's nose to spite one's face.
(Traditional Proverb)

Cunning is a short blanket - if you pull it over your face, you expose your feet.
(Traditional Proverb)

May you wander over the face of the earth forever, never sleep twice in the same bed, never drink water twice from the same well, and never cross the same river twice in a year.
(Traditional Proverb)

In water one sees one's own face. But in wine one beholds the heart of another.
(Traditional Proverb)

The back of one door is the face of another.
(Traditional Proverb)

Women workers in old watch factories got poisoning by licking brushes used for applying radium compound to watch faces.
(Traditional Proverb)

Better to see the face than to hear the name.
(Zen Proverb)

If you spit against the wind, you spit in your own face. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Ashes always fly back in the face of him who throws them. (Yoruban Proverb)

Know which way you face.
(Traditional Proverb)

Blessings on him that said, face about.
(Spanish Proverb)

A smiling face dispels unhappiness.
(Nigerian Proverb)

A devotee's face, and a cat's claws. (Spanish)

A smiling face is half the meal.
(Latvian Proverb)

Weeping washes the face. (Indian Proverb)

His face would hang him. (Irish Proverb)

There's virtue in a man's face.
(French Proverb)

A man's face is a lion's. (German Proverb)

Beware of the person with two faces.
(Dutch Proverb)

Beware of the man of two faces.

(Dutch Proverb)

Beauty carries its dower in its face.

(Danish Proverb)

FACTS:

Passion is of greater consequence than facts.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

You hide the fact you hate me; I hide the fact I know.

(Rwandan Proverb)

Facts are male, words are female.

(Italian Proverb)

Facts are stubborn things.

(English Proverb)

Let's face the facts and get at the root of trouble.

(Albanian Proverb)

Facts are better than theories.

(Albanian Proverb)

Fact can be stranger than fiction.

(Albanian Proverb)

A single fact is worth a shipload of argument.

(Albanian Proverb)

Those who judge before they know the facts will learn to shed tears.(African Proverb)

If you close your eyes to facts, you will learn through accidents.(African Proverb)

Maternity is a matter of fact; paternity is a matter of opinion.(American Proverb)

Consider the facts seven times before you suspect someone.(Japanese Proverb)

I shall speak facts; but some will say I deal in fiction.(Latin Proverb)

It's a well-known fact, dirt stinks more when stirred.(Latin Proverb)

Wise men talk about ideas, intellectuals about facts, and the ordinary man talks about what he eats.(Mongolian Proverb)

A single fact can spoil a good argument.
(Traditional Proverb)

Man must learn to increase his sense of responsibility and of the fact that everything he does will have its consequences.
(Traditional Proverb)

In fact, we are often able to do a task because we think we are able to do it.

(Traditional Proverb)

Fact is stranger than fiction.(Swedish Proverb)

Not speech, but facts, convince.

(Greek Proverb)

FAILURE:

Make my enemy brave and strong, so that if defeated, I will not be ashamed.

(Native American Plains Proverb)

Man learns little from success, but much from failure.(English Proverb)

Failure is the mother of success.

(Chinese Proverb)

Your failures could be stepping-stones to success.(Albanian Proverb)

Who is great in faith won't be small in failure.(Albanian Proverb)

Success has many fathers, but failure is an orphan.(Albanian Proverb)

If we blame others for our failures, then we should also give others credit for our successes. (Albanian Proverb)

The two hardest things in life to handle are success and failure. (African Proverb)

Success in life largely depends on how you handle your failures. (African Proverb)

Defeat is not failure but trail is total failure. (African Proverb)

A proud heart can survive a general failure because such a failure does not prick its pride. (African Proverb)

Men learn little from success, but much from failure. (Arab Proverb)

Success has many parents, but failure is an orphan. (American Proverb)

The great question is not whether you have failed, but whether you are content with failure. (Chinese Proverb)

The conquerors are kings; the defeated are bandits. (Chinese Proverb)

If the bread in the oven is a failure you lose a week; if the harvest is a failure you lose a year; if marriage is a failure then you lose a life.

(Estonian Proverb)

Failures are but mileposts on the road to success.(Italian Proverb)

From success to failure is one step; from failure to success is a long road.

(Jewish Proverb)

Success has many fathers, while failure is an orphan.(Russian Proverb)

Failure is often that early morning hour of darkness that precedes the dawning of the day of success.(Traditional Proverb)

Failure is not falling down but refusing to get up.(Traditional Proverb)

Failure is not defeat until you stop trying.
(Traditional Proverb)

It is wise to keep in mind that no success or failure is necessarily final.(Traditional)

The power of accomplishment is often a hairline between success and failure.
(Traditional Proverb)

Success is not permanent. The same is also true of failure. (Traditional Proverb)

Yesterday's failures are today's seeds that must be diligently planted to be able to abundantly harvest tomorrow's success. (Traditional Proverb)

The first pancake is always a failure. (Russian Proverb)

The house completed, possession defeated. (Italian Proverb)

One learns by failing. (French Proverb)

Failing to plan is planning to fail. (Chinese)

Art is art, even though unsuccessful. (Danish)

FAIR:

Who goes to the fair without money, goes with one problem and returns with three.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A blustering night, a fair day follows.

(Spanish Proverb)

Lear young, lear fair. (Scottish Proverb)

Ruse the fair day at even. (Scottish Proverb)

There is many a fair thing full false.

(Scottish Proverb)

Touch me not on the fair heel.

(Scottish Proverb)

Freedom is a fair thing. (Scottish Proverb)

Gods help is nearer nor the fair even.

(Scottish Proverb)

It's a fair dung bairn that dare not greit.

(Scottish Proverb)

Kame single, kame fair. (Scottish Proverb)

Lear young, lear fair. (Scottish Proverb)

New things are fair. (Romanian Proverb)

Sodom apples outwardly fair, ashes at the core.(Romanian Proverb)

The heart's mirth does make the face fair.
(Romanian Proverb)

When the candles are out, all women are fair.
(Romanian Proverb)

A hungry lowse bites fair.(Scottish Proverb)

And old hound bytes fair.(Scottish Proverb)

A fair face, foul heart.(Romanian Proverb)

Fair is not fair, but that which pleases.
(Romanian Proverb)

Fair words break no bones.(Romanian)

Fair words fill not the belly.(Romanian)

Fair words hurt not the mouth.
(Romanian Proverb)

He that has a white horse and a fair wife never
wants trouble.(Romanian Proverb)

Often a troll-woman is under fair skin, and
virtue under dark hair.(Icelandic Proverb)

Three women, a goose and two women make a whole fair. (Hungarian Proverb)

Fair words are not enough to an empty belly. (Hungarian Proverb)

Fair flowers do not remain long by the wayside. (German Proverb)

Speak fair, and think what you will. (German Proverb)

He that has a white horse and a fair wife need never want for trouble. (Gypsy Proverb)

Take heed is a fair thing. (English Proverb)

The joy of the heart makes the face fair. (English Proverb)

None but the brave deserve the fair. (English Proverb)

Fair words will not make the pot boil. (English Proverb)

After rain comes fair weather. (Dutch Proverb)

Soft and fair goeth far. (Dutch Proverb)

They understand one another like thieves in a fair. (Dutch Proverb)

More fair than scales.(Arabic Proverb)

Speak fair, think what you will.
(Albanian Proverb)

When the candles are all out, all women are fair.(Albanian Proverb)

What's the good of a fair apple if it has a worm in its heart?(Albanian Proverb)

Fair words butter no cabbage.
(Albanian Proverb)

Fair words please the fool, and sometimes the wise.(Danish Proverb)

Deceit is in haste, but honesty can wait a fair leisure.(Danish Proverb)

A good pilot is not known when the sea is calm and the weather fair.(Danish Proverb)

It is only the blind who ask why they are loved who are fair.(Danish Proverb)

He who has a white horse and a fair wife is seldom without trouble.(Danish Proverb)

He gapes like a clown at a fair.
(Dutch Proverb)

All is well, for if the bride has not fair hair, she has a fair skin. (Dutch Proverb)

The words are fair, said the wolf, but I will not come into the village. (Dutch Proverb)

Fair, good, rich, and wise, is a woman four stories high. (French Proverb)

Fair is he that comes, but fairer he that brings. (French Proverb)

Fair flowers do not remain long by the wayside. (French Proverb)

He is like a silver pin, Fair without, but foul within. (French Proverb)

If the landlady is fair, the wine is fair. (German Proverb)

Fair flowers are not left standing along the wayside long. (German Proverb)

Saint Swithun's day, if thou be fair, for forty days it will remain; Saint Swithun's day, if thou bring rain, for forty days it will remain. (German Proverb)

Three women, three geese, and three frogs, make a fair. (German Proverb)

Your words are fair, said the wolf, "but I will not come into the village."(German Proverb)

They understand each other, like thieves at a fair.(Latin Proverb)

Pride is innate in beauty, and haughtiness is the companion of the fair.(Latin Proverb)

Fair and softly goes far in a day.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Learn young, learn fair; learn old, learn more.(Scottish Proverb)

Better a fair pair of heels than a halter.
(Russian Proverb)

Every one speaks of the fair as he himself finds it.(Spanish Proverb)

When God pleases, it rains in fair weather.
(Spanish Proverb)

All the months of the year, curse a fair Februeer.(Traditional Proverb)

A summer fog for fair, a winter fog for rain.
(Traditional Proverb)

Hoist your sail when the wind is fair.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fair on September first, fair for the month.
(Traditional Proverb)

As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman which is without discretion.
(Traditional Proverb)

When the goose honk high, fair weather when the goose honks low, foul weather.
(Traditional Proverb)

The gods sell all things at a fair price.
(Traditional Proverb)

St. Swithin's Day, if thou dost rain, for forty days it will remain; St. Swithin's Day, if thou be fair, for forty days 'twill rain no more.
(Traditional Proverb)

Soft and fair goes far.(Spanish Proverb)

Praise a fair day at night.(Latin Proverb)

Too late for the fair.(Latin Proverb)

By fair means or foul.(Latin Proverb)

Sell me dear, and measure me fair.
(Italian Proverb)

Fair words won't feed a cat.(Italian Proverb)

Fair words, but look to your purse.

(Italian Proverb)

Never seemed prison fair, or mistress foul.

(German Proverb)

Fair hair may have foul roots.(German)

Fair words don't fill the pocket.(German)

To every bird its nest seems fair.(French)

A day after the fair.(German Proverb)

Fie upon a cloak in fair weather!(French)

Fair feathers make fair fowls.(French Proverb)

Fair things are soon snatched away.

(French Proverb)

Fair without, foul within.(French Proverb)

Everyone his own, is but fair.(French Proverb)

Fair and softly goes far.(French Proverb)

Fair money can cover much that's foul.

(Dutch Proverb)

Fair play's a jewel.(Dutch Proverb)

A fair booty makes a fair thief.

(English Proverb)

FAIRY:

He is a fairy beggar that may not goe by ane mans door.(Scottish Proverb)

He is a fairy Cook, which may not lick his own fingers.(Scottish Proverb)

Don't ask questions of fairy tales.
(Jewish Proverb)

There is a crock of gold in the tomb of every chieftain, but they are all guarded by cats and fairies.(Irish Proverb)

God and fairies can be wrong as well.
(Chinese Proverb)

Any man can lose his hat in a fairy wind.
(Irish Proverb)

Do not ask questions of fairy tales.
(Jewish Proverb)

FAME:

The brave is known by his fame.

(Turkish Proverb)

Fame lives on after death.(Irish Proverb)

Cattle die, kinsmen die, and so shall you die too. But one thing I know that never dies: the fame of a dead man's deeds.(Icelandic)

Good fame is better than a good face.

(English Proverb)

If god does not grant you glory, be content with fame.(Brazilian Proverb)

Wealth and obscurity cannot equal poverty and fame.(Chinese Proverb)

Fame is longer than life.(Albanian Proverb)

All kinds of fame belong partly to others.

(Arab Proverb)

Spread the word of a Psalm and it becomes a popular song.(Burmese Proverb)

The palace leads to fame, the market to fortune, and loneliness to wisdom.

(Chinese Proverb)

The great scholar forgets about fame, the average scholar works for it, and the unworthy scholar steals it. (Chinese Proverb)

Fame and repute follow a man to the door. (Danish Proverb)

Who can escape envy and blame, which speaks or writes for public fame? (Dutch Proverb)

Who lends his lips to naught but blame, has in his heart no love of fame. (German Proverb)

Where an ass is crowned to fame; both town and country bear the shame. (German Proverb)

If you would acquire fame, let not the sun shine on you in bed. (Spanish Proverb)

Some have the fame, and other card the wool. (Spanish Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night. Fame: A gull floating on water. (Traditional Proverb)

Popular beliefs on essential matters must be examined in order to discover the original thought. (Traditional Proverb)

If you hold high office, the whole village will share your fame. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Various are the roads to fame. (Italian Proverb)

Popular agitation leads to justice.
(Indian Proverb)

Common fame is seldom to blame.
(German Proverb)

He who sows virtue reaps fame. (French)

Popularity is the small change of glory.
(French Proverb)

Common fame seldom lies. (Dutch Proverb)

Fame is a magnifying glass. (English Proverb)

Profit is better than fame. (Danish Proverb)

FASHION:

You have to suffer in the name of fashion.
(Spanish Proverb)

Better be dead as out of the fashion.
(Scottish Proverb)

Old sheep shouldn't dress in lamb's fashion.
(English Proverb)

When the gorse is out of bloom, kissing's out of fashion. (Danish Proverb)

Fashion is a tyrant from which there is no deliverance; all must conform to its whimsical. (French Proverb)

Entreat him in jackass fashion; if he won't carry the sack, give him a whack.
(German Proverb)

Men after the modern fashion, and asses after the ancient. (Italian Proverb)

Better be out of the world than out of the fashion. (Portuguese Proverb)

The old man at home, and the young abroad, lie after the same fashion. (Spanish Proverb)

Ever since dying came into fashion, life hasn't been safe. (Traditional Proverb)

Every man after his fashion.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fashion is more powerful than any tyrant.
(Latin Proverb)

FATE AND DESTINY:

We have far greater compassion for another's misfortune than our pleasure in another's good fortune. (Yiddish Proverb)

If you really love something, your fate is in its hands. (Tupuri Proverb)

To get May rest on luck, to keep may rest on virtue. (Swedish Proverb)

Watch your character; it becomes your destiny. (Tibetan Proverb)

See a pin and pick it up, all the day you'll have good luck; see a pin and let it lie, you'll want a pin before you die. (Traditional Proverb)

Speedy exception is the mother of good fortune. (Traditional Proverb)

Unexpected good fortune gets more appreciation. (Sicilian Proverb)

When a poor man gets lucky, nothing can contain him. (Sicilian Proverb)

Whoever falls in love with an old person laments their fortune. (Sicilian Proverb)

Whoever sows on hard ground needs good wishes and luck. (Sicilian Proverb)

He that is born to be hanged shall never be drowned. You can't escape your destiny. (Spanish Proverb)

The blindness of that one is his good fortune. (Swahili Proverb)

Knowledge is no match for luck. (Sicilian Proverb)

Luck is the friend of jackasses and the crazy; it's a mortal enemy of the virtuous. (Sicilian Proverb)

Sit, sit, daughter, sit, because good fortune is coming. (Sicilian Proverb)

If ever ye make a lucky pudding, I shall eat the prick. (Scottish Proverb)

One who gets up early is doubly lucky. (Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

Death and bad luck, you take them with you wherever you go. (Sicilian Proverb)

Don't pay a single gold coin for the sorrel, but when he's good; be ready to spend a fortune. (Sicilian Proverb)

God arranges luck.(Sicilian Proverb)

Luck is the friend of jackasses and the crazy;
it's a mortal enemy of the virtuous.
(Sicilian Proverb)

No fence against ill fortune.
(Romanian Proverb)

No flying from fate.(Romanian Proverb)

A lucky man can stumble upon a treasure
while an unlucky one can't even find a
mushroom.(Russian Proverb)

Do not be born good or handsome, but be
born lucky.(Russian Proverb)

The lucky man's enemy dies and the unlucky
man's friend.(Russian Proverb)

Fortune is variant.(Romanian Proverb)

Fortune knocks once at least at every man's
gate.(Romanian Proverb)

Fortune's wheel is never stopped.
(Romanian Proverb)

Fate throws fortune, but not everyone catches.
(Polish Proverb)

Fate throws fortune, but not everyone catches.
(Polish Proverb)

Fortune goes like a wheel.(Polish Proverb)

Luck favors the bold.(Portuguese Proverb)

Unlucky in gambling, lucky in love.
(Portuguese Proverb)

When it is in an unlucky phase, the vulture
below, shits on the vulture above.
(Portuguese Proverb)

An ounce of fortune is worth a pound of
forecast.(Romanian Proverb)

Care and diligence bring luck.
(Romanian Proverb)

Fortune is blind and makes blind.
(Romanian Proverb)

Fortune and olives are alike: sometimes a man
has abundance and other times not any.
(Peruvian Proverb)

If mind is clean, fate is good.(Mongolian)

If you endeavor, the fate will favor you.
(Mongolian Proverb)

He, who is not lucky, let him not go to sea.
(Latin Proverb)

We all envy other people's luck.(Latin Proverb)

Every man forges his own destiny.
(Latvian Proverb)

If the palm of the hand itches it signifies the coming of great luck.(Lesotho Proverb)

Never confuse wisdom with luck.
(Klingon Proverb)

You can't buy fate.(Klingon Proverb)

It doesn't take time to change one's destiny.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Fate aids the courageous.(Japanese Proverb)

Once you have made a fortune, know how to spend it.(Japanese Proverb)

Sleep and wait for good luck.(Japanese)

Destiny often withholds the crown from the very person who deserves it.(Kashmiri)

Good care takes the head off bad luck.
(Irish Proverb)

Luck and laziness goes hand in hand.
(Irish Proverb)

A fall bodes a lucky journey from the house
but not toward it.(Icelandic Proverb)

Christ is powerful, but more powerful is
destiny.(Icelandic Proverb)

Fate and free-will both play an equal role in
destinies.(Indian Proverb)

A meeting in sunlight is lucky, and a burying
in the rain.(Irish Proverb)

Luck belongs to the brave.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Luck brings friends, need tries them.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The brave have all the luck.(Hungarian)

We have seen a hare, we shall have no luck.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Even the luck of a poor man is poor.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Everyone is the blacksmith of his own fortune.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Fortune is blind, but not invisible.

(French Proverb)

No one is satisfied with his fortune, nor dissatisfied with his intellect.

(French Proverb)

Everybody is the architect of his own fortune.

(German Proverb)

Luck sometimes visits a fool, but it never sits down with him.

(German Proverb)

Affairs sleep soundly when fortune is present.

(Greek Proverb)

Endeavor to bear the ignorance of fortune with patience.

(Greek Proverb)

There is no flying from fate.

(English Proverb)

You can't escape your destiny.

(English)

See a pin and pick it up, all the day you'll have good luck.

(English Proverb)

Sweep the house with a broom in may and you'll sweep the luck of the house away.

(English Proverb)

Luck has a slender anchorage.

(English)

No man can make his own good luck.

(English Proverb)

Fortune is blind.(English Proverb)

Fortune is weary to carry one and the same man always.(English Proverb)

He that hath no ill fortune is troubled with good.(English Proverb)

Wedding and widowing are by the hand of destiny.(Corsican Proverb)

Fortune and glass break easily.

(Dutch Proverb)

Today's beneficiary is the incarnation of his preexisting well-doer; the fate of one's next existence lies in his existence today.

(Chinese Proverb)

What first appears as a calamity may later bring good fortune.(Chinese Proverb)

At birth your fate is written.(Corsican Proverb)

You cannot be lucky forever.(Burmese)

Fate leads those who are willing but must push those who are not.(Chinese Proverb)

Fortune has a fickle heart and a short memory. (Chinese Proverb)

Cat luck en' dog luck. (Bajan Proverb)

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More hideous than the disappearance of good fortune. (Arabic Proverb)

Luck in the sky and brains in the ground. (Arabic Proverb)

If the people wanted life, destiny better respond. (Arabic Proverb)

Throw a lucky man into the sea, and he will come up with a fish in his mouth. (Arabic)

There is no return, worse luck; for could I return, I would foresee what has come into the country. (Bantu Proverb)

Your whole destiny is involved in the attitude you take toward your sin. (Albanian Proverb)

One man's folly is another man's fortune. (Albanian Proverb)

When fools make mistakes, they lay the blame on providence. (Albanian Proverb)

The only sure thing about luck is that it's sure to change. (Albanian Proverb)

Discord between the powerful is a fortune for the poor. (Arabic Proverb)

Your whole destiny is involved in the attitude you take toward your sin. (Albanian Proverb)

One man's folly is another man's fortune. (Albanian Proverb)

Fortune never comes with both hands full. (Albanian Proverb)

Fortune makes friends; misfortune tries them. (Albanian Proverb)

A great fortune is a great servitude. (Albanian Proverb)

Fortune is like price: if you can wait long enough, the price will fall. (Albanian Proverb)

Lucky men need no counsel. (Albanian)

Fortune can take away riches but not courage. (Albanian Proverb)

Change of fortune hurts a wise man no more than a change of the moon. (Albanian Proverb)

Fortune can take away riches but not courage.
(Albanian Proverb)

Change of fortune hurts a wise man no more
that a change of the moon.(Albanian Proverb)

Fate can be taken by the horns, like a goat,
and pushed in the right direction.
(Albanian Proverb)

If luck is with you, even your ox will give birth
to a calf.(Albanian Proverb)

All are architects of fate working in these walls
of time.(Albanian Proverb)

The worm that exposes itself on the ground is
waiting for a lucky bird to devour it.
(African Proverb)

He who moves with each day is better than
another who waits for luck.(African Proverb)

He who burns down his house knows why
ashes cost a fortune.(African Proverb)

If you have a poor father that is destiny; if you
have a poor father-in-law, that is your
mistake.(African Proverb)

Unfortunates learn from their own mistakes, and the lucky ones learn from other's mistakes.(Afghan Proverb)

Storing milk in a sieve, you complain of bad luck?(Afghan Proverb)

Give me, mother, luck at my birth, then throw me if you will on the rubbish heap.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Throw a lucky man in the sea, and he will come up with a fish in his mouth.
(Arab Proverb)

It is not the bullet that kills you, it is fate.
(Arab Proverb)

In the presence of Fate, the physician becomes a fool.(Arab Proverb)

A great fortune depends on luck, a small one on diligence.(Chinese Proverb)

The palace leads to fame, the market to fortune, and loneliness to wisdom.
(Chinese Proverb)

If you can't change your fate, change your attitude.(Chinese Proverb)

The winds of the heavens shift suddenly; so does human fate. (Chinese Proverb)

To attract good fortune, spend a new coin on an old friend, share an old pleasure with a new friend, and lift up the heart of a true friend by writing his name on the wings of a dragon. (Chinese Proverb)

He that dares not venture must not complain of ill luck. (Danish Proverb)

He must stand high that would see the end of his own destiny. (Danish Proverb)

Fortune often knocks at the door, but the fool does not invite her in. (Danish Proverb)

Every man is the architect of his own fortune. (Danish Proverb)

A person must stand very tall to see their own fate. (Danish Proverb)

They must stand high who would see their own destiny. (Danish Proverb)

Speak little of your ill luck, and boast not of your good luck. (Danish Proverb)

Luck will carry a man across the brook if he is not too lazy to leap. (Danish Proverb)

Luck taps at the door and inquires whether
prudence is within.(Danish Proverb)

Luck has much for many, but enough for no
one.(Danish Proverb)

Law helps the waking; luck may come to the
sleeping.(Danish Proverb)

It needs a light spirit to bear a heavy fate.
(Danish Proverb)

If it is to be luck, the bull may as well calve as
the cow.(Danish Proverb)

Fortune does not stand waiting at any one's
door.(Dutch Proverb)

A fool may meet with good fortune, but the
wise only profits by it.(Dutch Proverb)

Lucky charms protect you only if you have
your own luck.(Darkovan Proverb)

If ill luck were cheese, dairy-women would
want work.(Darkovan Proverb)

Each man must ride the road of his own
fate.(Darkovan Proverb)

He was born upon St. Gal pert's night, three
days before luck.(Dutch Proverb)

He that has the luck leads the bride to church. (Dutch Proverb)

If ill luck were cheese, dairy-women would want work. (Darkovan Proverb)

Each man must ride the road of his own fate. (Darkovan Proverb)

Our wisdom is no less at Fortune's mercy than our wealth. (Dutch Proverb)

A great fortune in the hands of a fool is a great misfortune. (French Proverb)

Don't trust in fortune until you are in heaven. (Filipino Proverb)

Don't put your trust in Fortune until you are in heaven. (Filipino Proverb)

Fortune is a woman; if you neglect her to-day, expect not to regain her to-morrow. (French Proverb)

Fortune can take from us only what she has given us. (French Proverb)

An ounce of luck is worth a pound of wisdom. (French Proverb)

Against change of fortune set a brave heart.
(French Proverb)

See a pin and pick it up, all the day you'll have good luck; see a pin and let it laid, bad luck you'll have all day.(French Proverb)

If bad luck is asleep you must not awaken it.
(German Proverb)

He who has the fortune brings home the bride.
(German Proverb)

Fortune is like women: loves youth and is fickle.(German Proverb)

Fortune gives her hand to a bold man.
(German Proverb)

Fortune gives many too much, but no one enough.(German Proverb)

Fortune and misfortune are two buckets in the same well.(German Proverb)

As fortune is sought, so it is found.
(German Proverb)

The lucky fellow loses his wife; the unlucky fellow loses his horse.(Georgian Proverb)

In bad luck, hold out; in good luck, hold in.
(German Proverb)

Luck sometimes visits a fool, but never sits down with him. (German Proverb)

Luck seeks those who flee and flees those who seek it. (German Proverb)

Whatever is given to the poor, is laid out of the reach of fortune. (German Proverb)

Time, wine, women, and fortune, are ever changing. (German Proverb)

As people go their own way, destiny goes with them. (Indian Proverb)

Fate and self-help share equally in shaping our destiny. (Indian Proverb)

Fortune comes to him who strives for it.
(Italian Proverb)

The priest's friend loses his faith, the doctor's his health, and the lawyer's his fortune.
(Italian Proverb)

If you are lucky, even your ox will calve.
(Jewish Proverb)

Better an ounce of luck than a pound of gold.
(Jewish Proverb)

To wait for luck is the same as waiting for death.(Japanese Proverb)

Luck is like having a rice dumpling fly into your mouth.(Japanese Proverb)

If you are looking for bad luck, you will soon find it.(Japanese Proverb)

Even the stone you trip on is part of your destiny.(Japanese Proverb)

A few things gained by fraud destroy a fortune otherwise honestly won.(Latin Proverb)

A drop of luck is worth a cask of wisdom.
(Latin Proverb)

You don't need intelligence to have luck, but you do need luck to have intelligence.
(Jewish Proverb)

Parents can give their children everything except good luck.(Jewish Proverb)

Fortune enriches or tramples on us at her will.(Latin Proverb)

All is in vain unless Providence is with us.
(Latin Proverb)

Fortune smiles on the brave, and frowns upon the coward.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune is fickle and soon asks back what he has given.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune fears the brave and crushes the cowardly.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune favors the bold, but abandons the timid.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune enriches or tramples on us at her will.
(Latin Proverb)

All is in vain unless Providence is with us.
(Latin Proverb)

A wise man turns chance into good fortune.
(Latin Proverb)

Providence may delay, but punishment will come at length.(Latin Proverb)

Providence is always on the side of the big battalions.(Latin Proverb)

When you're out of luck in the coffin making business, no one dies.(Lebanese Proverb)

Providence our herald, no barrier can oppose us. (Latin Proverb)

Providence may delay, but punishment will come at length. (Latin Proverb)

Providence is always on the side of the big battalions. (Latin Proverb)

When you're out of luck in the coffin making business, no one dies. (Lebanese Proverb)

The stupid fear fortune, the wise endure it. (Latin Proverb)

The highest spoke in fortune's wheel may soon turn lowest. (Latin Proverb)

The gifts of fortune do not always benefit us. (Latin Proverb)

No fate is worse than a life without a love. (Mexican Proverb)

He who does not venture has no luck. (Mexican Proverb)

Fortune is like a wall that falls on those who lean on it. (Mexican Proverb)

It is the fate of the coconut husk to float, for the stone to sink. (Malawian Proverb)

If you fall into a pit, Providence is under no obligation to come and look for you.

(Persian Proverb)

Every one sings as he has the gift, and marries as he has the luck.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Such is the fate of the sheep: either shorn or roasted.

(South American Proverb)

The hand that rocks the cradle rules the nation and its destiny.

(South African Proverb)

If you were born lucky, even your rooster will lay eggs.

(Russian Proverb)

Fortune and misfortune live in the same courtyard.

(Russian Proverb)

Marriage is a little bit like buying melons, you need a little luck.

(Spanish Proverb)

Luck comes to those who look after it.

(Spanish Proverb)

He that has no ill luck grows weary of good luck.

(Spanish Proverb)

Marriage is a little bit like buying melons, you need a little luck.

(Spanish Proverb)

Luck comes to those who look after it.

(Spanish Proverb)

People are the architects of their own fortune.

(Spanish Proverb)

A good fortune may forbid a bad luck, which
may in turn disguise a good fortune.

(Traditional Proverb)

One should go invited to a friend in good
fortune, and uninvited in misfortune.

(Swedish Proverb)

Fortune helps him that's willing to help
himself. (Traditional Proverb)

Destiny makes us brothers, none goes his way
alone, All that we sent into lives of others,
Comes back into our own.

(Traditional Proverb)

One's best fortune or, their worst is their
spouse. (Traditional Proverb)

No one is luckier than him who believes in his
luck. (Traditional Proverb)

Merit is often an obstacle to fortune; the
reason is it produces two bad effects, envy and
fear. (Traditional Proverb)

One's best fortune or, their worst is their spouse. (Traditional Proverb)

No one is luckier than him who believes in his luck. (Traditional Proverb)

The ritual of marriage is not simply a social event it is a crossing of threads in the fabric of fate. Many strands bring the couple and their families together and spin their lives into a fabric that is woven on their children. (Traditional Proverb)

The acts of this life are the destiny of the next. (Traditional Proverb)

A person does not seek luck; luck seeks the person. (Turkish Proverb)

A man does not seek his luck, luck seeks its man. (Turkish Proverb)

One ounce of good luck is better than a ton of brains. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Patience can conquer destiny. (Traditional Proverb)

Luck is the idol of the idle. (Traditional Proverb)

Hanging and waving go by destiny.

(Traditional Proverb)

Who ventures nothing has no luck.

(Spanish Proverb)

Wind and good luck are seldom lasting.

(Spanish Proverb)

Women, wind, and fortune, soon change.

(Spanish Proverb)

Luck that lasts is always suspected.

(Tibetan Proverb)

There is luck in leisure.(Spanish Proverb)

Where luck is wanting, diligence is useless.

(Spanish Proverb)

Fate sends almonds to toothless people.

(Spanish Proverb)

Fortune aids the bold.(Spanish Proverb)

Good fortune is loaned, not owned.

(Norwegian Proverb)

Luck is loaned, not owned.

(Norwegian Proverb)

Fortune is made of glass.(Romanian Proverb)

Bad luck is fertile.(Russian Proverb)

Luck never gives; it only lends.
(Scottish Proverb)

A good heart breaks bad fortune.
(Spanish Proverb)

Good fortune is loaned, not owned.
(Norwegian Proverb)

Luck is loaned, not owned.
(Norwegian Proverb)

Luck is infatuated with the efficient.
(Persian Proverb)

Fortune is a giver and a taker.(Polish Proverb)

Fortune's wheel is ever turning.
(Polish Proverb)

A stout heart breaks ill fortune.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Providence assists not the idle.(Latin Proverb)

Providence crushes pride.(Latin Proverb)

Providence has not entirely deserted us.
(Latin Proverb)

Providence is better than a rent.

(Latin Proverb)

Virtue our leader, fortune our companion.

(Latin Proverb)

Fortune favors the brave.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune favors fools.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune helps the brave.(Latin Proverb)

Fortune and the arts assist each other.

(Latin Proverb)

Bold resolution is the favorite of providence.

(Latin Proverb)

You cannot take away someone's luck.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Fortune will call at the smiling gate.

(Japanese Proverb)

The gallows was made for the unlucky.

(Italian Proverb)

Who changes country, changes luck.

(Italian Proverb)

Who changes his condition changes fortune.

(Italian Proverb)

Too much luck is bad luck. (German Proverb)

Women, fortune, and gold, favor fools.
(German Proverb)

After bad luck comes good fortune.
(Gypsy Proverb)

Good luck beats early rising. (Irish Proverb)

A stout heart overcomes ill fortune.
(Italian Proverb)

Fortune and go to sleep. (Italian Proverb)

Have luck, and sleep. (Italian Proverb)

Too much luck is bad luck. (German Proverb)

Women, fortune, and gold, favor fools.
(German Proverb)

Fools for luck. (German Proverb)

Fortune and misfortune are neighbors.
(German Proverb)

Fortune and women are partial to fools.
(German Proverb)

Good luck, with good looking after!
(German Proverb)

Industry is the parent of fortune.

(German Proverb)

Cowards have no luck. (German Proverb)

Fortune and glass break soon, alas!

(Dutch Proverb)

More luck than wit. (Dutch Proverb)

The worse service, the better luck.

(Dutch Proverb)

Luck has but a slender anchorage.

(English Proverb)

The Devil's children have the Devil's luck.

(English Proverb)

Fortune rarely brings good or evil singly.

(Danish Proverb)

Luck is better than a hundred marks.

(Danish Proverb)

Lucky at cards, unlucky in love.

(Danish Proverb)

The more knaves, the better luck.

(Danish Proverb)

When wisdom fails, luck helps. (Danish)

New day -- new destiny.(Bulgarian Proverb)

Fortune and flowers do not last forever.
(Chinese Proverb)

Few have luck, all have death.
(Danish Proverb)

Diligence is the mother of good luck.
(Arab Proverb)

Fate loves a rebel.(Arab Proverb)

Great care is no defense against Fate.
(Arab Proverb)

Seven trades but no luck.(Arab Proverb)

FATHER:

When a father gives to his son, they both
laugh.(Yiddish Proverb)

A stammered would eventually say father.
(Yoruban Proverb)

You can trust your brother, your father, your
mother, but never your wife.(Zambian)

Writing is the mother of eloquence and the father of artists.(Syrian Proverb)

One father is better at caring for ten children than ten children are for one father.
(Traditional Proverb)

At someone's funeral we weep for our own mothers and fathers.(Tshi Proverb)

The father gave his son a vineyard; the son didn't give the father even a grape.
(Turkish Proverb)

The olive grove of your grandfather, the cherry trees of your father, and your grape vines.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A husband of a mother is a father.
(Swahili Proverb)

The day you go naked, is the day you will meet your father.(Swahili Proverb)

Trot mother, trot father, how should the foal amble?(Scottish Proverb)

A dog for the mother, a horse for the father.
(Sicilian Proverb)

God plays seriously, but He's a merciful father.(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to be loved by all, first love God,
then your mother and father. (Sicilian Proverb)

He was scant of news that told his father was
hanged. (Scottish Proverb)

Sike father, sike son. (Scottish Proverb)

Like father, like son; like mother like
daughter. (Romanian Proverb)

One father can support ten children; ten
children cannot support one father.
(Romanian Proverb)

One father is enough to govern one hundred
sons, but not a hundred sons one father.
(Romanian Proverb)

Time is the father of truth. (Romanian Proverb)

Better a chugging mother, nor a riding father.
(Scottish Proverb)

One good father can do more than 100 school
masters. (Persian Proverb)

Play, play, with the beard of the father also
play? (Persian Proverb)

Courage is the father of success.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Regard Heaven as your father, Earth as your Mother and all things as your Brothers and Sisters.(Native American Plains Proverb)

If he hasn't seen her/his father, he would claim to be a king.(Persian Proverb)

The ill-mannered child finds a father wherever he goes.(Mexican Proverb)

A diamonds father is coal, yet it regards itself as upper-class.(Namibian Proverb)

Do not boast about your wealth if you are a father.(Malagasy Proverb)

Foolish spending is a father of poverty.
(Manx Proverb)

Child's pig, father's pork.(Martinican Proverb)

The earth is not an inheritance of our fathers, nor one for our sons.(Luo Proverb)

Your father is part of you always.(Klingon)

The enemy of a father will never be friends of his son.(Kurdish Proverb)

The dishonor of the father dishonors his sons and their sons for three generations.
(Klingon Proverb)

Earthquakes, thunderbolts, fires, fathers.
(Japanese Proverb)

When a father helps a son, both smile; but
when a son must help his father, both cry.
(Jewish Proverb)

Don't talk about a rope in the house of
someone whose father was hung.
(Irish Proverb)

It's bad manners to talk about ropes in the
house of a man whose father was hanged.
(Irish Proverb)

If a young man is not prudent in seeking what
killed his father, what killed his father may
also kill him.(Igbo Proverb)

Whichever son is able should bury his father.
The first son did not kill him.(Igbo Proverb)

If they don't exchange a few words, father and
son will never know one another.
(Indian Proverb)

Father's goodness is higher than the
mountains. Mother's goodness is deeper than
the sea.(Finnish Proverb)

Success has many fathers.(German Proverb)

When a son attends to his father, it is a twofold joy for both; when wise things are prescribed to him, the son is.

(Egyptian Proverb)

If a father does not cultivate, the son does not inherit land.(Ekonda Proverb)

The desire is the father of the thought.

(Dutch Proverb)

It is easy to be the father of children already born.(Bulgarian Proverb)

The emperor is the father of his people, not a master to be served by slaves.

(Chinese Proverb)

Three daughters and a mother are four devils for a father.(Argentine Proverb)

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The mule was asked: The mule was asked: "Who is your father?" It responded with: "The horse is my uncle."(Arabic Proverb)

The son does not cut his finger in cutting meat for his father.(Bajan Proverb)

Dance, father, people's eyes don't eat, they just stare.(Bantu Proverb)

They are happy, the free men that have their fathers.(Bantu Proverb)

It is easier for the son to ask from the father than for the father to ask from the son.
(Bengali Proverb)

A son as cunning as his father knows the arrows like father.(Bajan Proverb)

To become a father is easy, but to be a father is difficult.(Albanian Proverb)

Success has many fathers, but failure is an orphan.(Albanian Proverb)

Home is the father's kingdom, the children's paradise, the mother's world.
(Albanian Proverb)

Good fathers make good sons.
(Albanian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom and memory the mother.(Albanian Proverb)

As the baker, so the buns; as the father, so the sons.(Albanian Proverb)

Your mother is the bodyguard of your father.
(African Proverb)

It takes a breast for a child to know it's mother
and it takes a mother for a child to know its
father.(African Proverb)

A father never resembles his son; it's the son
that resembles the father.(African Proverb)

If she can't dig or cook send her back to her
father.(African Proverb)

A child doesn't belong to the father or mother;
a child belongs to the ancestors.
(African Proverb)

If you know his father and grandfather, don't
worry about his son.(African Proverb)

When a father praises his son, he flatters
himself.(American Proverb)

The wish is the father of the deed.
(American Proverb)

The child is the father of the man.
(American Proverb)

One father can feed seven children, but seven
children cannot feed one father.
(Cameroonian Proverb)

Karma is the mother and karma is the father.
(Burmese Proverb)

If a son is uneducated, his father is to blame.
(Chinese Proverb)

Father and mother are kind, but God is kinder.
(Danish Proverb)

The son shoots a leopard; the father is proud.
(Congolese Proverb)

He, who will not obey father, will have to obey stepfather.
(Danish Proverb)

From the father comes honor, from the mother comfort.
(Dutch Proverb)

An ennobled peasant does not know his own father.
(Dutch Proverb)

Children suck the mother when they are young and the father when they are old.
(English Proverb)

Tis a wise child that knows its own father.
(Dutch Proverb)

One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters.
(English Proverb)

Gambling is the son of avarice and the father of despair. (French Proverb)

A father is a banker provided by nature. (French Proverb)

Mention not a rope in the house of one whose father was hanged. (French Proverb)

It is better the child should cry than the father. (German Proverb)

As the field, so the crops; as the father, so the sons. (German Proverb)

A father maintains ten children better than ten children one father. (German Proverb)

You cannot satisfy the whole world and your father. (French Proverb)

When you follow in the path of your father, you learn to walk like him. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Few are like father, no one is like mother. (Icelandic Proverb)

You can buy everything, except a father and a mother. (Indian Proverb)

When the mother dies the father becomes an uncle. (Indian Proverb)

Sorrow for the death of a father lasts six months; sorrow for a mother, a year; sorrow for a wife, until another wife; sorrow for a son, forever. (Indian Proverb)

Any man can be a father, but it takes a special person to be a dad. (Italian Proverb)

God is a father, happiness is a stepfather. (Jewish Proverb)

The goodness of the father reaches higher than a mountain; that of the mother goes deeper than the ocean. (Japanese Proverb)

If the father is a frog, the son will be a frog. (Japanese Proverb)

If the father marries the aunt, he's an uncle. (Jewish Proverb)

If the father is a frog, the son will be a frog. (Japanese Proverb)

A girl without a mother is like a mountain with no paths; a girl without a father is like a mountain with no streams. (Kurdish Proverb)

When a son gives to his father, they both weep. (Jewish Proverb)

When a father gives to his son, both laugh;
when a son gives to his father, both cry.

(Jewish Proverb)

One of life's greatest mysteries is how the boy
who wasn't good enough to marry your
daughter can be the father of the smartest
grandchild in the world. (Jewish Proverb)

He is a fool who spares the children after
having killed the father. (Latin Proverb)

He does not sing his father's songs. [He does
not imitate the good example of his father.]
(Latin Proverb)

A mother is gold, a father is a mirror.
(Nigerian Proverb)

The sin for which you repent is the father of
virtue; but a virtue that you talk about, is the
mother of sin. (Malagasy Proverb)

Friendship reminds us of fathers, love of
mothers. (Malagasy Proverb)

What reaches the mother's heart will only
reach the father's knees. (Polish Proverb)

You only appreciate your father the day you
become a father yourself. (Persian Proverb)

Treat your superior as a father, your equal as a brother, and your inferior as a son.

(Persian Proverb)

The strictness of the teacher is better to bear than the prejudice of the father.

(Persian Proverb)

When a stepmother moves in, the father becomes a stepfather. (Serbian Proverb)

There are many fathers, but only one mother.

(Russian Proverb)

Success has many fathers, while failure is an orphan. (Russian Proverb)

Clever father, clever daughter; clever mother, clever son. (Russian Proverb)

It is a wise son that knows his own father.

(Spanish Proverb)

He goes safely to trial whose father is a judge.

(Spanish Proverb)

Alas! Father, another daughter is born to you.

(Spanish Proverb)

Three daughters and their mother, four devils for the father. (Spanish Proverb)

All you under the heaven Regard heaven as your father, earth as your mother, and all things as your brothers and sisters.

(Traditional Proverb)

The father may well be a horse, but it's most likely that the son will be a mule.

(Tibetan Proverb)

Whatsoever was the father of disease, an ill diet was the mother.

(Traditional Proverb)

We didn't inherit the land from our fathers. We are borrowing it from our children.

(Traditional Proverb)

The mother knows best whether the child be like the father.

(Traditional Proverb)

No one will say, "My father is incontinent." Everyone will say, "He is a man of advice and wisdom."

(Tunisian Proverb)

When the father has eaten too much salt in his lifetime, then his son thereafter will have a great thirst.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

Covetousness is the father of unfulfilled desires.

(Yoruban Proverb)

Mother's baby, Father's maybe.

(Traditional Proverb)

After a thrifty father, a prodigal son.

(Spanish Proverb)

Prosperity forgets father and mother.

(Spanish Proverb)

Like father, like son.

(Latin Proverb)

Boredom is the father of all sins.

(German Proverb)

Mean fathers, wasteful sons.

(French Proverb)

One cannot please everybody and one's father.

(French Proverb)

Children have a hair of their father.

(Belgian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom.

(Belgian Proverb)

FEAR:

Never fear the sea, fear the storm.

(Tahitian Proverb)

Fear does not empty tomorrow of its sadness;
it empties today of its power.

(Turkish Proverb)

Things never go so well that one should have no fear, and never so ill that one should have no hope. (Turkish Proverb)

Fear is worse than the ordeal itself.
(Yiddish Proverb)

Who serves God, fears nothing.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Fear less, hope more; eat less, chew more; whine less, breathe more; talk less, say more; hate less, love more; and all good things are yours. (Swedish Proverb)

Persevere and never fear. (Swedish Proverb)

All the armament of Sicily won't arm fear.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Perfect love casteth out fear.
(Romanian Proverb)

Riches bring care and fears. (Romanian)

There is no remedy for fear. (Romanian)

Fear has large eyes. (Russian Proverb)

Bour'd not with Bawty, fear lest he bite ye.
(Scottish Proverb)

A dog that has been bitten by a snake, fears the sausage. (Portuguese Proverb)

Dry bread is better with love than a fat capon with fear. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear gives wings. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear hath a quick ear. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear is stronger than love. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear keeps and looks to the vineyard, and not the owner. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear keeps the garden better than the gardener. (Romanian Proverb)

Dry bread is better with love than a fat capon with fear. (Romanian Proverb)

Fear gives wings. (Romanian Proverb)

It is the fear of what tomorrow may bring that makes the tortoise to carry his house along with him wherever he goes. (Nigerian Proverb)

Fear the reckoning of those you have wronged. (Norse Proverb)

Coward, strangle your fear, or else you will strangle yourself. (Ovambo Proverb)

Have a vision not clouded by fear.
(Native American Cherokee Proverb)

Fear to let fall a drop and you will spill a lot.
(Malay Proverb)

Fear to let spill a drop and you will spill a lot.
(Malay Proverb)

Everyone is master of their own fear.
(Mexican Proverb)

Fear doesn't travel by donkey.
(Mexican Proverb)

Fear is power.(Klingon Proverb)

May your enemies run with fear!
(Klingon Proverb)

Only fools have no fear.(Klingon Proverb)

A wise man does not lose his way, a brave
man does not fear.(Japanese Proverb)

Do no evil and have no fear.(Italian Proverb)

Food is no more important than wisdom; the
beginning of wisdom is the fear of God.
(Irish Proverb)

It is better to fear, something than to get frightened.(Hungarian Proverb)

Whiskey on beer, never fear. Beer on whiskey, mighty risky.(English Proverb)

Who fears will lose.(Estonian Proverb)

Burnt child fears the fire.(Faroese Proverb)

Love is full of busy fear.(English Proverb)

Love is full of fear.(English Proverb)

Fear lends wings.(English Proverb)

Better face a danger once than be always in fear.(English Proverb)

Cider on beer, never fear; beer upon cider, makes a bad rider.(English Proverb)

All temptations are found either in hope or fear. (English Proverb)

All weapons of war cannot arm fear.
(English Proverb)

Things never go so well that someone should have no fear, nor so bad that someone should have no hope.(Danish Proverb)

A guilty conscience feels continual fear.
(Chinese Proverb)

Be frugal in prosperity, fear not in adversity.
(Chinese Proverb)

Lord Ye's professed love of dragons turned into his worst fear.(Chinese Proverb)

Respect out of fear is never genuine; reverence out of respect is never false.(Chinese Proverb)

Fear a silent man.(Beninese Proverb)

Three things to fear: a crumbling wall, an angry dog, and a shrew.(Arabic Proverb)

If you conduct yourself properly, fear no one.
(Arabic Proverb)

Poverty with security is better than plenty in the midst of fear and uncertainty.
(Albanian Proverb)

One cannot stop sleeping in fear of bad dreams.(Amharic Proverb)

Fear no man, and do justice to all men.
(Albanian Proverb)

Your greatest hope is your greatest fear.
(African Proverb)

To be precautionous doesn't mean fear phobia.
(African Proverb)

The brave man is not he who doesn't feel afraid, but he who conquers that fear.
(African Proverb)

Fear the worse. (Afghan Proverb)

Fear the person who doesn't fear God.
(Afghan Proverb)

Fear a silent man. He has lips like a drum.
(Beninese Proverb)

The greater the fear the nearer the danger.
(Danish Proverb)

It needs a high wall to keep out fear.
(Danish Proverb)

Of listening children have your fears, for little pitchers have great ears. (Dutch Proverb)

All temptations are found in either hope or fear. (English Proverb)

For most people love of justice is no more than the fear to suffer injustice. (French Proverb)

Fear and restlessness kill more than do illnesses. (French Proverb)

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He, who fears to suffer, suffers from fear. (French Proverb)

He who is feared by many, fears many. (German Proverb)

Many a one threatens, while he quakes for fear. (German Proverb)

Wine upon beer is very good cheered; beer upon wine consider with fear. (German Proverb)

Fear is a fine spur; so is rage. (Irish Proverb)

He who has a straw tail is always in fear of its catching fire. (Italian Proverb)

If not for fear, sin would be sweet. (Jewish Proverb)

Who is in the right fears, which is in the wrong hopes. (Italian Proverb)

Who is in fear of every leaf must not go into the wood. (Italian Proverb)

Fear an ignorant man more than a lion.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Fear not a jest. If one throws salt at you, you will not be harmed unless you have some places.

(Latin Proverb)

Fear increasing age, for it does not come without companions.

(Latin Proverb)

Even the fear of death is dispelled by music.

(Latin Proverb)

The barking dog gives you no power -- it gives you fear.

(Malagasy Proverb)

It is the fear of offence that makes men swallows poison.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Fear to let fall a drop, will always make you spill a lot.

(Malawian Proverb)

The thief has a chicken's heart -- he sleeps in fear.

(Russian Proverb)

Fear the goat from the front, the horse from the rear, and a man from all sides.

(Russian Proverb)

Before the time, great courage; when at the point, great fear.

(Spanish Proverb)

Fear and love never eat from the same plate.
(Spanish Proverb)

To live in fear is a life half-lived.
(Spanish Proverb)

The judge's son goes into the courtroom
without fear. (Spanish Proverb)

Of the malady a man fears, he dies.
(Spanish Proverb)

A life lived in fear is half lived.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fear may force a man to cast beyond the
moon. (Swedish Proverb)

Fear less, hope more, eat less, chew more,
whine less, breathe more, talk less, say more,
hate less, love more, and all good things will
be yours. (Swedish Proverb)

Fear only two God, and the man who has no
fear of God. (Traditional Proverb)

Fear of death is worse than death itself.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fear makes the wolf bigger than he is.
(Traditional Proverb)

Do the thing you fear and the death of fear is certain. (Traditional Proverb)

Merit is often an obstacle to fortune; the reason is it produces two bad effects, envy and fear. (Traditional Proverb)

That fear may reach all, punish but few. (Traditional Proverb)

When we have gold we are in fear, when we have none we are in danger. (Traditional Proverb)

Fear is no obstacle to death. (West African Proverb)

Truth fears no trial. (Traditional Proverb)

Truth fears nothing but concealment. (Traditional Proverb)

Ownership is to fear. (Traditional Proverb)

Fear him who fears not God. (Traditional Proverb)

Fear the man who fears you. (Traditional Proverb)

Who has nothing fears nothing. (Spanish)

A teacher stands in fear of teaching.

(Traditional Proverb)

To own is to fear.(Spanish Proverb)

Do not lose honor through fear.

(Spanish Proverb)

Fear guards the vineyard.(Spanish Proverb)

Fear has big eyes.(Russian Proverb)

Fear the Greeks bearing gifts.

(Russian Proverb)

Fear the law not the judge.(Russian Proverb)

Fear those who do not fear God.

(Persian Proverb)

Fear the Greeks bearing gifts.

(Russian Proverb)

Fear and love do not go together.

(Lithuanian Proverb)

He fears the very flies.(Latin Proverb)

He that has been hurt, fears.(Latin Proverb)

Who loves, fears.(Italian Proverb)

Fear blows wind into your sails.

(Japanese Proverb)

Fear is the fever of life. (Indian Proverb)

Love, thieves, and fear, make ghosts.

(German Proverb)

Fear is a great inventor. (French Proverb)

Courage is often caused by fear.

(French Proverb)

Beggars fear no rebellion. (Dutch Proverb)

Love is incompatible with fear.

(Chinese Proverb)

Fear not the man who fears God.

(Arab Proverb)

Fear the person who fears you. (Arab Proverb)

Men fear, but time fears the pyramids.

(Arab Proverb)

FIRE:

Fire starts with sparks. (Ukrainian Proverb)

Three comforts of old age: fire, tea and tobacco. (Welsh Proverb)

You are lighting a fire in the wind.
(Xhosa Proverb)

The burnt child shuns the fire. (Swedish)

To have a lot of irons in the fire.
(Swedish Proverb)

A little spark can kindle a great fire.
(Syrian Proverb)

He who has his hand in the water is not like him who has his hand in the fire.
(Syrian Proverb)

Your bottom is fatter and dropping down to the fire. (Thai Proverb)

No smoke will come out from a place where there is no fire. (Turkish Proverb)

Poverty is a shirt of fire. (Turkish Proverb)

Who doesn't want a fire, should remove the wood. (Sicilian Proverb)

Women, fire, and the sea are perilous for man.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow; the devil comes with a bellows. (Spanish Proverb)

Fire does not beget fire in the end it begets ashes. (Swahili Proverb)

If you find your own house is on fire, you may be sure that your neighbor's house is burning much more fiercely. (Swahili Proverb)

The maker of wooden spoons saves his hand from fire. (Swahili Proverb)

The remedy of fire is fire. (Swahili Proverb)

Burned child avoids the fire. (Swedish Proverb)

Have a fire for the crows. (Swedish Proverb)

Out of the ashes into the fire.
(Swedish Proverb)

Out of the ashes into the fire.
(Swedish Proverb)

It takes bales of hundredweight because a fire of straw lasts little. (Sicilian Proverb)

It's dumb to put snow on the kitchen spit, the snow melts and the fire goes out.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Justice and fire, keep them at arm's length.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Fire is good for the farcy.(Scottish Proverb)

Foul water slokens fire.(Scottish Proverb)

If he may spend meikle, put the more to the fire.(Scottish Proverb)

Little kens the wife that sits by the fire, how
the wind blows cold in hurle-burle swyre.
(Scottish Proverb)

Many irons in the fire, pare must cool.
(Scottish Proverb)

Quhen thy neighbor's house is on fire, take
tent to thy own.(Scottish Proverb)

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tent to thy own.(Scottish Proverb)

Look to thyself when thy neighbor's house is on fire.(Romanian Proverb)

No fire, no smoke.(Romanian Proverb)

The smoke of a man's own house is better than the fire of another's.(Romanian Proverb)

Water afar off quenches not fire.
(Romanian Proverb)

Who has skirts of straw needs fear the fire.
(Romanian Proverb)

From fire to flame.(Russian Proverb)

A burnt bairn fire dreads.(Scottish Proverb)

Fire is the test of gold; adversity of friendship.
(Romanian Proverb)

Foul water as soon as fair will quench hot fire.
(Romanian Proverb)

Gold is tried in the fire.(Romanian Proverb)

He was burned, so he ran into the bamboo grove, but the grove caught fire.
(Punjabi Proverb)

A woman is flax, man is fire, and the devil comes and blows the bellows.(Romanian)

Fire is the test of gold. (Romanian Proverb)

A bottle of oil warmed over the fire has no means of producing oil by itself.

(Nigerian Proverb)

If one were to remove every smoking wood from a fire and condemn it as bad, one would be killing the fire itself. (Nigerian Proverb)

If you neglect the pot, it boils over and extinguishes the fire. (Nigerian Proverb)

You don't have to put out the fire when all is ash. (Norse Proverb)

When there's fire, dry and wet burn together. (Persian Proverb)

A bottle of oil warmed over the fire has no means of producing oil by itself.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Where there was fire, ashes remain.

(Mexican Proverb)

Even foul water will put out a fire.

(Mongolian Proverb)

Kif is like fire; a little warms, a great deal burns. (Moroccan Proverb)

It is the one who lies by a fire who feels the heat.(**Namibian Proverb**)

What you lose in the fire, you will find in the ashes.(**Native American Creole Proverb**)

Pots take turns to sit on the fire.(**Maasai**)

Bad water also quenches the fire.
(**Mamprussi Proverb**)

A fire is nourished by its own ashes.
(**Latin Proverb**)

A warrior's blood boils before the fire is hot.
(**Klingon Proverb**)

In a fire, both green and dry wood burn.
(**Kurdish Proverb**)

To get the warmth of fire one must stir the embers.(**Kikuyu Proverb**)

Fire does not burn in a jar.(**Japanese Proverb**)

One in the woodpile does not laugh at one in the fire.(**Kamba Proverb**)

There's no smoke with fire.(**Italian Proverb**)

Man dat carry straw no fe fool wid fire.
(**Jamaican Proverb**)

Since the house is on fire I will warm myself at the blaze. (Italian Proverb)

It is a poor village that has neither smoke nor fire. (Irish Proverb)

The beginning and end of one's life is to draw closer to the fire. (Irish Proverb)

When everybody's house is on fire go home and look at your own chimney. (Irish Proverb)

He keeps two irons in the fire.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He makes someone else get the chestnut from the fire. (Hungarian Proverb)

He pours oil on the fire. (Hungarian Proverb)

He, who is close to the fire, will get warm best.
(Hungarian Proverb)

It is not good to play with the fire.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Out of the frying into the fire.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He did not shoot the hare but the pot is already on the fire. (Hungarian Proverb)

He has put bad wood on the fire.

(Hungarian Proverb)

He did not shoot the hare but the pot is already on the fire.(Hungarian Proverb)

He has put bad wood on the fire.

(Hungarian Proverb)

He carries fire and water.(French Proverb)

Fire in the heart sends smoke into the head.

(German Proverb)

Without wood the fire would die.

(Gypsy Proverb)

The child says nothing, but what it heard by the fire.(Haitian Proverb)

The fish at the top edge of the fire.

(Hawaiian Proverb)

Fire dies for lack of wood; if there's no whispering, gossip stops.(Hebrew Proverb)

Who has moved for three times has as if lived through a fire.(Estonian Proverb)

It is foolhardy to start a fire just to see the flames.(Ethiopian Proverb)

The longest at the fire soonest finds cold.

(English Proverb)

Yesterday is ashes; tomorrow wood. Only today does the fire burn brightly.

(Eskimo Proverb)

Who has been burned once is afraid of fire.

(Estonian Proverb)

Who has moved for three times has as if lived through a fire.(Estonian Proverb)

It is foolhardy to start a fire just to see the flames.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Burnt child fears the fire.(Faroese Proverb)

There should be good embers after a good fire.

(Faroese Proverb)

Kindle not a fire that you cannot extinguish.

(English Proverb)

Look to yourself when your neighbor's house is on fire.(English Proverb)

Fire is love and water sorrow.(English)

A cat with a straw tail keeps away from fire.

(English Proverb)

A little wind kindles, much puts out the fire.
(English Proverb)

Base terms are bellows to a slackening fire.
(English Proverb)

Don't have too many irons in the fire.
(English Proverb)

Carnival on the balcony, Easter by the fire.
(Corsican Proverb)

Christmas on the balcony, Easter by the fire.
(Corsican Proverb)

Next to fire, straw isn't good.
(Corsican Proverb)

Zigliara, fire and flame. (Corsican Proverb)

Fire is a good servant but a poor master.
(Darkovan Proverb)

A mountain of knives and a sea of fire.
(Chinese Proverb)

A Christmas of games, an Easter by the fire.
(Corsican Proverb)

Alder fire, false fire. (Corsican Proverb)

If your neighbor's house is on fire, make haste to put out the fire in your own house.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

A flying moth throws itself into a fire.

(Chinese Proverb)

A mountain of knives and a sea of fire.

(Chinese Proverb)

Add oil to a fire.(Chinese Proverb)

He who plays with fire may become its victim.

(Chinese Proverb)

Of a small spark, a great fire.

(Chinese Proverb)

Pouring oil on the fire is not the way to quench it.(Chinese Proverb)

Putting out a fire while holding firewood.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who plays with fire may become its victim.

(Chinese Proverb)

Of a small spark, a great fire.(Chinese)

Today it may be a fire, tomorrow it will be ashes.(Arabic Proverb)

More famous than a fire on a flag.

(Arabic Proverb)

It may be a fire today, but tomorrow it will be only ashes. (Arabic Proverb)

It is always the potato of another family's boy that extinguishes the fire. (Bajan Proverb)

The cooking pot on the fire leaks, when pouring water it is broken. (Bajan Proverb)

Fire with seasoned wood and work with flexible people are easy. (Bengali Proverb)

Fire and gunpowder do not sleep together. (Ashanti Proverb)

When your neighbor's house is on fire, beware of your own. (Albanian Proverb)

When your neighbor's house is on fire, beware of your own. (Albanian Proverb)

The one whose belly isn't full of straw isn't afraid of fire. (Albanian Proverb)

The ardor of parental affection consumes the heart with its fire. (Albanian Proverb)

Fire will burn itself out if it did not find anything to burn. (Arabic Proverb)

Silks and satins, scarlet and velvet, put out the kitchen fire. (Albanian Proverb)

Fire is more bearable than disgrace.
(Arabic Proverb)

Fire could leave ashes behind.
(Arabic Proverb)

Never stir the fire with a sword.
(Albanian Proverb)

Kindle not a fire that you can't extinguish. (Albanian Proverb)

He that makes a fire of straw has much smoke but little warmth. (Albanian Proverb)

Kindle not a fire that you can't extinguish.
(Albanian Proverb)

He that makes a fire of straw has much smoke but little warmth. (Albanian Proverb)

Fire and flax agree not. (Albanian Proverb)

When your house is on fire you don't choose who to help you put out the fire.
(African Proverb)

When you see a rat running in a fire then what it's running away from is hotter than fire. (African Proverb)

When you fight fire with fire, somebody is going to get hurt. (African Proverb)

When the bush is on fire the chameleon learns to run first. (African Proverb)

A big log is a shame to the fire; an evil person is a shame to the house. (Albanian Proverb)

You shouldn't leave your own fire ablaze to go and put out your neighbor's fire. (African Proverb)

If you want to fight fire, you don't wear a skirt made of dry grass. (African Proverb)

One cannot put out fire with fire. (African Proverb)

Born by the fire and die by the fire. (African Proverb)

He who doesn't know what kills can sit on fire. (African Proverb)

An only palm-fruit doesn't get lost in the fire. (African Proverb)

A long-tailed animal doesn't jump over fire.
(African Proverb)

If you want to fight fire, you don't wear a skirt made of dry grass.(African Proverb)

Fire that is surrounded by elders cannot burn you.(African Proverb)

Fire is always a good maid, but a bad boss.(African Proverb)

The bubbling flames are not fire.
(African Proverb)

A warm fire is better than delicious cooked rice.(Afghan Proverb)

A warm fire is better than delicious cooked rice.(Afghan Proverb)

A warm fire is better than any delicious food.
(Afghan Proverb)

A real friend takes the hand of his friend in overwhelming worry and fire.(Afghan Proverb)

Fire is a good slave, but a bad master.
(Albanian Proverb)

No chicken will fall into the fire a second time.
(African Proverb)

Clouds do not always mean rain, but smoke is a sure sign of fire. (African Proverb)

If a forest catches fire, both the dry and the wet will burn up. (Afghan Proverb)

A house without a woman is like a fire without a bucket. (Bulgarian Proverb)

You cannot put a fire out with spit. (Armenian Proverb)

If you have a tail of straw, then keep away from the fire. (Argentine Proverb)

The dry reed does not seek the company of fire. (Arab Proverb)

Life, like a fire, begins in smoke and ends in ashes. (Arab Proverb)

It may be a fire today -- tomorrow it will be ashes. (Arab Proverb)

Do not dress in clothes made of leaves when going to put out a fire. (Chinese Proverb)

Distant water won't help to put out a fire close at hand. (Chinese Proverb)

Don't use oiled paper to wrap up fire. (Chinese Proverb)

Only when all contribute their firewood can they build up a strong fire. (Chinese Proverb)

Kindle not a fire you cannot put out.
(Chinese Proverb)

In the coldest flint there is hot fire.
(Chinese Proverb)

How can you put out a fire set on a cart-load of firewood with only a cup of water?
(Chinese Proverb)

Gold is tested by fire, man by gold.
(Chinese Proverb)

To pretend to satisfy one's desires with worldly goods is like using straw to put out a fire.
(Chinese Proverb)

Water from far away is no good for a fire close by. (Chinese Proverb)

Gold is proved in the fire, friendship in need.
(Danish Proverb)

Every one rakes the fire under his own pot.
(Danish Proverb)

At court they sell a good deal of smoke without fire. (Danish Proverb)

A burnt child fears the fire, and a bitten child fears a dog. (Danish Proverb)

You may hide the fire, but what about the smoke? (Native American Creole Proverb)

He who has many irons in the fire, will let some of them burn. (Danish Proverb)

There is no use in blowing a fire that burns well. (Danish Proverb)

Little sticks kindle a fire, great ones put it out. (Danish Proverb)

It is hard to make a fire on a cold hearth. (Danish Proverb)

It is easy to poke another man's fire. (Danish Proverb)

It is as bad to spit out the fire and be shamed, as it is to swallow it and be burnt. (Danish Proverb)

I would rather see smoke from my own chimney than the fire on another's hearth. (Danish Proverb)

He who would enjoy the fire must bear its smoke. (Danish Proverb)

He who has many irons in the fire, will let some of them burn.(Danish Proverb)

There is no use in blowing a fire that burns well.(Danish Proverb)

It is good to warm oneself by another's fire.
(Dutch Proverb)

He that hath many irons in the fire, some of them will cool.(Dutch Proverb)

He is too stupid to be trusted alone by the fire.(Dutch Proverb)

Escaping from the smoke he falls into the fire.
(Dutch Proverb)

By labor fire is got out of a stone.
(Dutch Proverb)

Who wants fire; let him look for it in the ashes.(Dutch Proverb)

When thy neighbor's house is on fire it's time to look about thee.(Dutch Proverb)

What is lost in the fire must be sought in the ashes.(Dutch Proverb)

When two agree in their desire, One spark will set them both on fire.(English Proverb)

He who cannot light a fire knows nothing about love.(Finnish Proverb)

The dog I bought bit me; the fire I kindled burned me.(Ethiopian Proverb)

A cow gave birth to a fire; she wanted to lick it, but it burned; she wanted to leave it, but she could not because it was her own child.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

The most covered fire is always the most glowing.(French Proverb)

One grows used to love and to fire.
(French Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow, and the devil comes and blows.(French Proverb)

Let him who is cold blow the fire.
(French Proverb)

If the fire does not burn you the smoke will blacken you.(French Proverb)

He who has a head of wax must not go near the fire.(French Proverb)

He that hath a head of wax must not approach the fire.(French Proverb)

What you lose in the fire, you will find
amongst the ashes. (French Proverb)

To do like the monkey, get the chestnuts out
of the fire with the cat's paw. (French Proverb)

Three removals are as bad as a fire.
(French Proverb)

If you want fire, look for it in the ashes.
(German Proverb)

He who wants a fire must be able to bear
smoke. (German Proverb)

He who blows on the fire will get sparks in his
eyes. (German Proverb)

Fire is a good servant but a bad master.
(German Proverb)

You pull chestnuts from the fire with a cat's
paw. (French Proverb)

Love, fire, a cough, the itch, and gout are not
to be concealed. (German Proverb)

Put out the fire betimes, ere it reaches the
roof. (German Proverb)

Silks and satins put out the kitchen fire.
(German Proverb)

Silk and velvet put out the kitchen fire.

(German Proverb)

Wood already touched by fire is not hard to set alight. (Ghanaian Proverb)

If you are in hiding, don't light a fire.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

Sometimes you have to throw yourself into the fire to escape from the smoke. (Greek Proverb)

He who has come through the fire will fade in the sun. (Indian Proverb)

When fire is applied to a stone it cracks.

(Irish Proverb)

One man's beard is on fire, and another man warms his hands on it. (Indian Proverb)

It is little use to dig a well after the house has caught fire. (Indian Proverb)

He who has a straw tail is always in fear of its catching fire. (Italian Proverb)

Fire drives the wasp out of its nest.

(Italian Proverb)

Water after does not quench a fire at hand.

(Italian Proverb)

To fall out of the frying-pan into the fire.
(Italian Proverb)

They who shun the smoke often fall into the fire.(Italian Proverb)

The smoke of my own house is better than another man's fire.(Italian Proverb)

Since the house is on fire, let us warm ourselves.(Italian Proverb)

It is no time to play chess when the house is on fire.(Italian Proverb)

When there is a fire in the neighborhood carry water to your own house.(Italian Proverb)

He, who runs away from the fire, falls in the water.(Jewish Proverb)

It is useful to first see the spark before the fire.(Japanese Proverb)

If you are in a boat you are more afraid of fire than you are of water.(Japanese Proverb)

A jealous woman will set a whole house on fire.(Latin Proverb)

A fire is nourished by its own ashes.
[Difficulties embolden rather than impede the brave.](Latin Proverb)

A fire is nourished by its own ashes.
[Difficulties embolden rather than impede the brave.](Latin Proverb)

Fire, water, and government know nothing of mercy.(Latin Proverb)

Fire, the sea, and woman; these are three ills.
(Latin Proverb)

Fire will not put out fire. Anger is not appeased by anger.(Latin Proverb)

Ill words are bellows to a slackening fire.
(Latin Proverb)

Don't laugh when your neighbors' oven is on fire.(Lithuanian Proverb)

You should know a man seven years before you stir his fire.(Latin Proverb)

Where there's smoke, there's fire.
(Latin Proverb)

You may well have caught a bird, but have you a fire to roast it on?(Malagasy Proverb)

It is not the fire in the fireplace which warms the house, but the couple who get along well.
(Malagasy Proverb)

You don't have to put out the fire when all is burnt out.(Norwegian Proverb)

When the next house is on fire, 'tis high time to look to your own.(Nigerian Proverb)

The only insurance against fire is to have two houses.(Nigerian Proverb)

The hunter does not rub himself in oil and lie by the fire to sleep.(Nigerian Proverb)

You may well have caught a bird, but have you a fire to roast it on?(Malagasy Proverb)

It is not the fire in the fireplace which warms the house, but the couple who get along well.
(Malagasy Proverb)

You may keep yourself safe from fire, but not from a bad man.(Portuguese Proverb)

Where there is no fire, no smoke rises.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Little chips kindle fire, and big logs sustain it.
(Portuguese Proverb)

You don't put a wooden pot on the fire twice.
(Persian Proverb)

You don't put a wooden pot on the fire twice.
(Persian Proverb)

The tears of the roasting meat kindle the fire
even more.(Persian Proverb)

In winter a fire is better than a Muscat
blossom.(Persian Proverb)

That fellow roasts his fish in the flames of a
fire.(Sicilian Proverb)

Do not light a fire that you cannot yourself put
out.(Scottish Proverb)

A hidden fire is discovered by its smoke.
(Spanish Proverb)

The fellow roasts his fish in the flames of a
fire.(Sicilian Proverb)

Fire, fire, many pots on. and one pea in them
all.(Spanish Proverb)

Fire and love do not say "Go to your work."
(Spanish Proverb)

Better is the smoke of my own house than the
fire of another's.(Spanish Proverb)

When fire and water are at war, it is the fire that loses. (Spanish Proverb)

The one who rings the fire bell is safe. (Spanish Proverb)

She is good who is close to the fire and does not burn. (Spanish Proverb)

My daughter-in-law tucked up her sleeves, and upset the kettle into the fire. (Spanish Proverb)

When there is a war between fire and water, fire loses. (Spanish Proverb)

When a king is about to lose his power his orders burn more intensely than fire. (Tibetan Proverb)

With one stump you can't make a good fire. (Thai Proverb)

He who has come through the fire will not fade in the sun. (Traditional Proverb)

Gold is tested by fire, people by God. (Traditional Proverb)

A liar's house is on fire and no one believes him. (Turkish Proverb)

For stern as death is love, relentless as the nether world is devotion its flames are a blazing fire. Deep waters cannot quench love, nor do floods sweep it away.

(Traditional Proverb)

May we light the fire of Nachiketa that burns out the ego and enables us to pass from fearful fragmentation to fearless fullness in the changeless whole.(Traditional Proverb)

When a heart is on fire, sparks always fly out of the mouth.(Traditional Proverb)

Zeal is like fire: it needs both feeding and watching.(Traditional Proverb)

You cannot fight a fire with water from far away.(Traditional Proverb)

Yesterday is ashes tomorrow wood. Only today the fire shines brightly.(Traditional Proverb)

When your neighbor's house is on fire, carry water to your own.(Traditional Proverb)

If your beard's on fire, others will light their pipes on it.(Turkish Proverb)

Don't set the attic on fire just because you didn't catch any mice.(Vietnamese Proverb)

The word "enough" does not exist for water,
fire, and women. (Ukranian Proverb)

Only a fool tries to jump in the fire.
(Ugandan Proverb)

Cotton cannot play with fire. (Turkish Proverb)

Fire begins with sparks. (Ukranian Proverb)

Keep fire away from straw. (Ukranian Proverb)

He who has a fever is not shown to the
fire. (Zambian Proverb)

Chestnuts roasting on an open fire.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fire is never a gentle master.
(Traditional Proverb)

A distant fire does not burn. (Swahili Proverb)

A burnt child dreads the fire.
(Traditional Proverb)

Too many irons in the fire. (Spanish Proverb)

Blood boils without fire. (Spanish Proverb)

Man, woman, and love created fire.
(Spanish Proverb)

Fire has no brother.(Nigerian Proverb)

On a thief, the hat's on fire.(Polish Proverb)

A small spark makes a great fire.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Crooked wood is straightened with fire.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Smoke spreads further than the fire.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Even foul water will quench fire.
(Mongolian Proverb)

Fire is next akin to smoke.(Latin Proverb)

Gold is proved by fire.(Latin Proverb)

Man and woman, fire and chaff.
(Latin Proverb)

Add not fire to fire.(Latin Proverb)

Young wood makes a hot fire.(Greek Proverb)

Any water will put out fire.(Italian Proverb)

Dirty water will quench fire.(Italian Proverb)

Every glowworm is not a fire.(Italian Proverb)

Fire is not quenched with fire.(Italian Proverb)

Fire and gunpowder are not bedfellows.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

Fire and faggot are but sad reformers.
(German Proverb)

No smoke without fire.(German Proverb)

The fat is in the fire.(German Proverb)

A little spark kindles a great fire.
(German Proverb)

No fire without smoke.(French Proverb)

It won't do to trifle with fire.(French Proverb)

A crooked log makes a good fire.
(French Proverb)

Any water puts out fire.(French Proverb)

Soon fire, soon ashes.(Dutch Proverb)

Foul water will quench fire.(English Proverb)

Soft fire makes sweet malt.(English Proverb)

Paper can't wrap up a fire.(Chinese Proverb)

Fire makes mud hard and gold melt.

(Chinese Proverb)

Paper can't wrap up a fire.(Chinese Proverb)

Dry wood makes a quick fire.(Danish Proverb)

Fire and straw soon make a flame.

(Danish Proverb)

The fire is winter's fruit.(Arab Proverb)

Fire purges everything.(Berber Proverb)

Secret fire is discovered by its smoke.

(Catalonian Proverb)

Fire does not make fire, only ashes.

(African Proverb)

Where there's smoke, there's fire.

(American Proverb)

FISHING:

March Whisquer was never a good Fisher.

(Scottish Proverb)

On a fishing lull, even a crayfish is fish.

(Russian Proverb)

If you didn't catch anything when fishing, then a crab is a fish. (Russian Proverb)

Forget the fishing gear as soon as the fish is caught. (Chinese Proverb)

When the bait's worth more than the fish, it's time to stop fishing. (Albanian Proverb)

The best fishing is in the deepest waters. (Albanian Proverb)

One at a time is good fishing; two at a time is making a hog of yourself. (Albanian Proverb)

When the bait is more than the fish, 'tis time to stop fishing. (African American Proverb)

We have rowed well, said the flea as the fishing boat arrives at its mooring. (Latvian Proverb)

If you want happiness for an hour, take a nap. If you want happiness for a day, go fishing. If you want happiness for a month, get married. If you want happiness for a year, inherit a fortune. If you want happiness for a lifetime, help someone else. (Traditional Proverb)

Fishing without a net is just bathing. (Nigerian Proverb)

Giving is fishing. (Italian Proverb)

He has drunk the juice of the flower of the wild aloe. (Xhosa Proverb)

A bee does not touch a withered flower. (Swedish Proverb)

April makes the flowers and the beauty, but May gets all the credit. (Sicilian Proverb)

Chilblain passes with the flowers of May. (Sicilian Proverb)

Flowers in May and fruiting in June. (Sicilian Proverb)

A ruler without a nation is like a flower without the sun. (Russian Proverb)

Beauty fades like a flower. (Romanian Proverb)

Spring won't come from one flower. (Persian Proverb)

Not all the flowers of a tree produce fruit. (Mauritanian Proverb)

If you are not a flower, don't be a thorn. (Kurdish Proverb)

A fruit-bearing tree is known by its flowers.
(Japanese Proverb)

As to flowers, when half open; as to sake,
when a person is half tipsy.
(Japanese Proverb)

At a distance enjoy the fragrance of flowers.
(Japanese Proverb)

I would like to break off the flower, but the
branch is too high.(Japanese Proverb)

Not-speaking is the flower.(Japanese Proverb)

The cherry blossom among flowers, the
warrior among men.(Japanese Proverb)

Patience is a flower that grows not in
everyone's garden.(Italian Proverb)

Never strike your wife, even with a flower.
(Indian Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is as a flower without
perfume.(French Proverb)

The tulip is, among flowers, what the peacock
is among birds. A tulip lacks scent; a peacock
has an unpleasant voice. The one takes pride
in its garb, the other in its tail.(French)

A woman is a flower in a garden; her husband is the fence around it.(Ghanaian Proverb)

Unfolded by the water are faces of the flowers. Flowers thrive where there is water, as thriving people are found where living conditions are good.(Hawaiian Proverb)

All flowers are not in one garland.(English)

April showers bring May flowers.(English)

Mint flower: the more you say Mint flower: the more you say "go away", the closer it comes.(Corsican Proverb)

A beautiful flower is incomplete without its leaves.(Chinese Proverb)

A bit of fragrance clings to the hand that gives flowers.(Chinese Proverb)

A fragrant bloom is not necessarily a beautiful flower; an orator may not be a crackerjack.(Chinese Proverb)

Add a flower to a bouquet.(Chinese Proverb)

Flowers leave some of their fragrance in the hand that bestows them.(Chinese Proverb)

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Flowers look different in different eyes. (Chinese Proverb)

For the sake of the flowers, the weeds are watered. (Arabic Proverb)

If you would enjoy the fruit, pluck not the flower. (Albanian Proverb)

Many a flower is born to blush unseen. (Albanian Proverb)

Flourish like a flower, but may your life be longer. (Afghan Proverb)

Flowers leave a part of their fragrance in the hands that bestow them. (Chinese Proverb)

A good bee never lands on a fallen flower. (Chinese Proverb)

A country where flowers are priced so as to make them a luxury has yet to learn the first principles of civilization. (Chinese Proverb)

The country where flowers are expensive lacks the foundation of culture. (Chinese Proverb)

For the benefit of the flowers, we water the thorns, too. (Egyptian Proverb)

Fair flowers do not remain long by the wayside. (French Proverb)

Beauty, unaccompanied by virtue, is as a flower without perfume. (French Proverb)

To an optimist every weed is a flower; to a pessimist every flower is a weed. (Finnish Proverb)

Love is a garden full of flowers and marriage is a field of stinging nettles. (Finnish Proverb)

Fair flowers are not left standing along the wayside long. (German Proverb)

An old man loved is a winter with flowers. (German Proverb)

Look before you leap, for snakes among sweet flowers do creep. (German Proverb)

The old one who is loved is like a winter flower. (German Proverb)

Be bad to the bad; good to the good; be a flower to other flowers and a thorn to other thorns. (Indian Proverb)

Never strike your wife, not even with a flower. (Indian Proverb)

He who wants fruit should not pick flowers. (Indian Proverb)

There are three things that refresh the heart and reduce your grief water, flowers, and a beautiful woman. (Indian Proverb)

He that paints a flower does not give it perfume. (Italian Proverb)

All the flowers of tomorrow are in the seeds of yesterday. (Italian Proverb)

The scent of every flower is short lived. (Italian Proverb)

When you are polite, the others think they are wearing flowers. (Japanese Proverb)

Each day you can admire the moon, the snow and the flowers. (Japanese Proverb)

Benefits, like flowers, please most when they are fresh. (Latin Proverb)

Benefits please like flowers, when they are fresh. (Latin Proverb)

He who paints the flower cannot paint its fragrance. (Latin Proverb)

A person born to be a flower pot will not go beyond the porch. (Mexican Proverb)

A kiss without a hug is like a flower without the fragrance. (Maltese Proverb)

The most fragrant of flowers are eaten by the green-fly. (Malawian Proverb)

Beauty without wisdom is like a flower in the mud. (Romanian Proverb)

A good bee will not go to a drooping flower. (Romanian Proverb)

Though we may pluck flowers by the way we may not sleep among flowers. (Portuguese Proverb)

An old man in love is like a flower in winter. (Portuguese Proverb)

In the garden of time grows the flower of consolation. (Russian Proverb)

All the flowers of all the tomorrows are in the seeds of today and yesterday. (Traditional Proverb)

Only a certain amount of flowers and jewels are beautiful. (Tibetan Proverb)

For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth, the time of pruning the vines has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land. (Traditional Proverb)

Different flowers look good to different people. Pick the flower when it is ready to be picked. The flower that you spent time to care for does not grow while the willow that you accidentally planted flourishes and gives shade. (Traditional Proverb)

No species of wild plant produces a flower or blossom that is absolutely black, and so far, none has been developed artificially. (Traditional Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together. (Traditional Proverb)

White flowers are not to be found in a coal sack. (Walloon Proverb)

Man is the flower of the earth. (Vietnamese)

From the withered tree, a flower blooms.
(Zen Proverb)

Say it with flowers.(Traditional Proverb)

One flower does not bring spring.
(Traditional Proverb)

One flower makes no garland.
(Traditional Proverb)

Let one thousand flowers bloom.
(Traditional Proverb)

Like a hot house flower.(Traditional Proverb)

Flower child.(Traditional Proverb)

Flower of youth.(Traditional Proverb)

Flowers are God's way of smiling.
(Traditional Proverb)

If friends were flowers, I'd pick you.
(Traditional Proverb)

Lovely flowers fade fast.(Swedish Proverb)

As delicate as a flower.(Traditional Proverb)

Early flowers give no seed.(Spanish Proverb)

Painted flowers have no scent.

(Spanish Proverb)

Butterflies come to pretty flowers.

(Korean Proverb)

Unspoken words are the flowers of silence.

(Japanese Proverb)

Yesterday's flowers are today's dreams.

(Japanese Proverb)

Dumplings are better than flowers.

(Japanese Proverb)

Many flowers, few fruits. (Japanese Proverb)

Not all flowers are fit for nosegays.

(German Proverb)

Painted flowers are scentless.

(German Proverb)

Snakes prefer to hide under flowers.

(French Proverb)

One flower does not make a garland.

(French Proverb)

April showers bring forth May flowers.

(French Proverb)

Bees touch no fading flowers. (French Proverb)

All flowers are not fit for nosegays.
(Dutch Proverb)

Painted flowers have no odor. (Dutch Proverb)

Fortune and flowers do not last forever.
(Chinese Proverb)

Beauty is a fading flower. (Danish Proverb)

Flowers are the pledges of fruit.
(Danish Proverb)

FLYING:

No flying from fate. (Romanian Proverb)

No flying without wings. (Romanian Proverb)

Better a fowl in hand nor twa flying.
(Scottish Proverb)

A bird in the hand is more worth than two
flying. (Portuguese Proverb)

For a flying enemy make a golden bridge.

In Morocco never be surprised. If you see a donkey flying, just say Allah is capable of anything. (Moroccan Proverb)

When you see the gossamer flying, be sure the air is drying. (Albanian Proverb)

It is only a mad dog that barks at a flying bird. (African Proverb)

Don't admire the flying bird before you know the pain of flapping. (African Proverb)

When you see gossamer flying, be sure the air is drying. (American Proverb)

It is good to make a bridge of gold to a flying enemy. (Danish Proverb)

For a flying enemy make a silver bridge. (Dutch Proverb)

Where two women rule a hearth-fire, the thatch may burn with the sparks flying. (Darkovan Proverb)

One bird in the hand is better than two flying. (Dutch Proverb)

A sparrow in hand is worth more than a vulture flying. (French Proverb)

One bird in the hand is worth two flying.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Make a silver bridge for a flying enemy.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Better a sparrow in the hand than two flying.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Make a bridge of silver for the flying enemy.
(Spanish Proverb)

Flying from the bull he fell into the river.
(Spanish Proverb)

For the flying enemy a golden bridge.
(Italian Proverb)

Build golden bridges for the flying foe.
(German Proverb)

Flying birds have no master.
(French Proverb)

FOOD:

When we all do as we please, all the food is eaten and all the girls will be maiden.
(Swedish Proverb)

The sweetness of food doesn't last long, but the sweetness of good words do. (Thai Proverb)

What is salt to tasteless food, what is a word to a foolish head? (Turkish Proverb)

Without effort there is no food.
(Turkish Proverb)

No partridge scratches the ground in search of food for another. (Xhosa Proverb)

Who has a priest at home, has plenty of food.
(Sicilian Proverb)

One shares food not words. (Somali Proverb)

Cheese, pears and bread, is not the food of peasants. (Sicilian Proverb)

Tasty food, plenty of food, food in the right time - and peace at mealtimes.
(Scanian Proverb)

The food is half the provisions; the rest is herring and potatoes. (Scanian Proverb)

A proverb is to speech what salt is to food.
(Panamanian Proverb)

A little axe, when well used, brings lots of food. (New Zealander Proverb)

Before eating, always take time to thank the food. (Native American Arapaho Proverb)

Eaten food is forgotten. (Manx Proverb)

Happiness is as good as food. (Maasai Proverb)

Hide the mouthfuls of food. (Maasai Proverb)

When yu go a fireside an' see food, eat half an' lef' half. (Jamaican Proverb)

Food is delicious when one is hungry.
(Japanese Proverb)

Kyoto people ruin themselves for clothing.
Osaka people for food. (Japanese Proverb)

One who eats plain food is healthy.
(Japanese Proverb)

When someone is really hungry, then there is no such thing as "bad food."
(Japanese Proverb)

Sympathy doesn't provide food, but it makes hunger more endurable. (Jewish Proverb)

Food will last while the forests last.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Food is no more important than wisdom; the beginning of wisdom is the fear of God.

(Irish Proverb)

Good sense is as important as food.

(Irish Proverb)

Words are sweet, but they never take the place of food.(Ibo Proverb)

More flies mean more food.(Icelandic Proverb)

No one gets a mouthful of food by picking between another person's teeth.(Igbo Proverb)

Many cooks put too much salt in the soup, food.(Hungarian Proverb)

Radish is poison in the morning, food at noon and medicine in the evening.

(Hungarian Proverb)

If you see a man in a gown eating with a man in rags, the food belongs to the latter.

(Fulani-Peul Proverb)

A healthy person who begs for food is an insult to a generous farmer.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

The goat says: "Where there is blood, there is plenty of food."(Ghanaian Proverb)

The grasshopper which is always near its mother eats the best food. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Who does not work will not get food. (Estonian Proverb)

Eat when the food is ready; speak when the time is right. (Ethiopian Proverb)

God gives every bird its food, but does not throw it into the nest. (Danish Proverb)

Whatever will satisfy hunger is good food. (Chinese Proverb)

You can't tell the cost of food and fuel without being the head of a household; you can't appreciate the love of your parents without having children of your own. (Chinese Proverb)

A closed mouth catches neither flies nor food. (Corsican Proverb)

When the food is cooked there is no need to wait before eating it. (Bajan Proverb)

What one won't eat by itself, one will eat when mixed with other food. (Bantu Proverb)

An abundance of food at your neighbor's will not satisfy your hunger. (Bayaka Proverb)

Cooked food is not sold for goats.

(Bajan Proverb)

One spoon of soup in need has more value than a pot of soup when we have an abundance of food. (Angolan Proverb)

If I could see your face, I would not need food. (Amharic Proverb)

More die of food than famine.

(Albanian Proverb)

Your food is supposed to be your medicine and your medicine is supposed to be your food.

(African Proverb)

You should know what's being cooked in the kitchen otherwise you might eat a forbidden food. (African Proverb)

Water is colorless and tasteless but you can live on it longer than eating food.

(African Proverb)

The mouth is stupid after eating it forgets who gave it the food. (African Proverb)

The man who counts the bits of food he swallows is never satisfied. (African Proverb)

The forest not only hides man's enemies but it's full of man's medicine, healing power and food.(African Proverb)

Good music goes with good food.
(African Proverb)

Food gained by fraud tastes sweet to a man, but he ends up with gravel in his mouth.
(African Proverb)

One who eats alone cannot discuss the taste of the food with others.(African Proverb)

He who doesn't clean his mouth before breakfast always complains that the food is sour.(African Proverb)

A warm fire is better than any delicious food.
(Afghan Proverb)

A bad cook also has his/her share of the bad food.(African Proverb)

Food you will not eat you do not boil.
(African Proverb)

Even the best cooking pot will not produce food.(African Proverb)

The most dangerous food is a wedding cake.
(American Proverb)

The conversation of the wise concerns ideas; that of the intelligent is about ideas; the common folk talk about food.

(Chinese Proverb)

The black dog gets the food; the white dog gets the blame.(Chinese Proverb)

Food tastes best when you eat it with your own spoon.(Danish Proverb)

The poor man seeks for food, the rich man for appetite.(Danish Proverb)

God gives birds their food, but they must fly for it.(Dutch Proverb)

Bird never flew so high but it had to come to the ground for food.(Dutch Proverb)

The best of mankind is a farmer the best food is fruit.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Nature gave us two cheeks instead of one to make it easier to eat hot food.
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A king's son is not nobler than his food.

(Traditional Proverb)

A dog knows the places he is thrown food.

(Traditional Proverb)

You are only master of food that you haven't yet eaten. (Tibetan Proverb)

Food offered without affection is like food offered to the dead. (Traditional Proverb)

Laughter is brightest, in the place where the food is. (Traditional Proverb)

Those who are one in food are one in life. (Traditional Proverb)

When the sun rises, I go to work. When the sun goes down I take my rest, I dig the well from which I drink, I farm the soil which yields my food, I share creation, and Kings can do no more. (Traditional Proverb)

They ate our food, and forgot our names. (Tunisian Proverb)

Three things give us hardy strength: sleeping on hairy mattresses, breathing cold air, and eating dry food. (Welsh Proverb)

Fine words do not produce food. (Nigerian Proverb)

Good talk saves the food. (Portuguese Proverb)

Warm bed, cold food. (Serbian Proverb)

Even food can attack.(New Zealander Proverb)

A dog is worthy of his food.(Latin Proverb)

A hound's food is in its legs.(Irish Proverb)

Long fasting is no economy of food.
(German Proverb)

Warm food, warm friendships.(Czech Proverb)

Art finds its food everywhere.(Danish Proverb)

Truth is bitter food.(Danish Proverb)

First food, then religion.(Afghan Proverb)

FORGIVENESS:

A contented stomach, a forgiving heart; but an empty stomach pardons nothing.
(Sicilian Proverb)

All wald have all, all wald forgive.
(Scottish Proverb)

Erring is human, forgiving is divine.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Forgive all but thyself.(Romanian Proverb)

In case of doubt it is best to lean to the side of mercy. (Legal Proverb)

Mercy or power. (Klingon Proverb)

Young men forgive old men never.
(French Proverb)

He who falls victim to his enemies can expect no mercy. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Even when a sharp sword rests on your neck, don't give up on mercy. (Hebrew Proverb)

Mercy resides in God; deeds are in men.
(Filipino Proverb)

He that has no charity deserves no mercy.
(English Proverb)

He, who has no charity, deserves no mercy.
(English Proverb)

The strong forgive, the weak remember.
(Ecuadorian Proverb)

Some forgiveness is weakness.
(Arabic Proverb)

Forgive and regret much later.
(Albanian Proverb)

Every family has a goodness of mercy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Where blood has been shed the tree of forgiveness cannot grow. (Brazilian Proverb)

If God were not forgiving, heaven would be empty. (Berber Proverb)

A kind speech and forgiveness is better than alms followed by injury. (Arab Proverb)

If there were no wrongdoing, there would be no forgiveness. (Egyptian Proverb)

If you offend, ask for pardon; if offended, forgive. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Forgiving the unrepentant is like drawing pictures on water. (Japanese Proverb)

Fire, water, and government know nothing of mercy. (Latin Proverb)

The revenge of an idiot is without mercy. (Latin Proverb)

Forgiveness hides a pleasure that you can't get back from revenge. (Persian Proverb)

Poverty is a sin that the rich never forgive. (Russian Proverb)

Him, who errs, forgives once, but never twice. (Spanish Proverb)

Mercy to living beings, self restraint, truth, honesty, chastity and contentment, right faith and knowledge, and austerity are but the entourage of morality. (Traditional Proverb)

Let there be no limit to your mercy even as there is no limit to your Father in Heaven's mercy. (Traditional Proverb)

I've learned the great value of the three F's
forgive, forget and forge ahead.
(Traditional Proverb)

The Goddess of mercy has a thousand hands
and needs them all. (Traditional Proverb)

Forgiveness is a pillar of justice.
(Russian Proverb)

Forgive and forget. (German Proverb)

Forgive thyself nothing and others much.
(German Proverb)

The noblest vengeance is to forgive.
(Dutch Proverb)

Weaklings never forgive their enemies.
(Chinese Proverb)

Women and fools never forgive.

(Chinese Proverb)

Forgiveness is more satisfying than

revenge. (Arab Proverb)

FRIENDSHIP:

Slander makes friends part. (Swedish Proverb)

A narrow place can contain a thousand friends. (Syrian Proverb)

A small house is enough room for a thousand friends. (Syrian Proverb)

Friendship is a furrow in the sand. (Tongan)

A man, who seeks a perfect friend, will remain friendless. (Turkish Proverb)

Don't tell your secret to your friend, he will tell it to his friend. (Turkish Proverb)

Everything is best when new, a friend and wine are best when old. (Turkish Proverb)

None is so rich as to throw away a friend. (Turkish Proverb)

Who seeks a friend without faults dies alone.
(Turkish Proverb)

A good person has many friends; a good horse has many masters. (Tywa Proverb)

A friend when in need is a faithful friend.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

Speak well of your friend; of your enemy say nothing. (Welsh Proverb)

A friend in time of need is a friend indeed.
(Yemeni Proverb)

Friends are needed both for joy and for sorrow. (Yiddish Proverb)

The woman without a husband doesn't have a friend. (Sicilian Proverb)

To recognize a real friend, you have to together have eaten three bushels of salt. (Sicilian)

When you lose friends, you go down many steps. (Sicilian Proverb)

When you want to serve your friend, you can't worry about your belongings. (Sicilian Proverb)

Where malice has taken root, friendship can never be formed. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who doesn't want to stay with friends, is either a cop, a cuckold, or a spy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

You won't know who your friends are until you need them. (Sicilian Proverb)

You'll realize he was a friend when you lose him and see him no more. (Sicilian Proverb)

Your most faithful friends are your own hands. (Sicilian Proverb)

A married couple is neither enemies nor friends. (Somali Proverb)

Dead men have no friends. (Spanish Proverb)

Friends and wine should be old. (Spanish Proverb)

Better an intelligent enemy than a stupid friend. (Swahili Proverb)

When your Companion is being shaved, put water. (Swahili Proverb)

Where you have an enemy, you will also surely find a friend. (Swahili Proverb)

Your own small place is not like a big place of

your companion. (Swahili Proverb)

Envy is the companion of great success.
(Swedish Proverb)

Friendship doubles our joy and divides our grief. (Swedish Proverb)

Friendship stands not in one side.
(Scottish Proverb)

Giff, gaff, makes good friends.
(Scottish Proverb)

He is wise who can make a friend of a foe.
(Scottish Proverb)

If ye wanted me, and your meat, you would want a good friend. (Scottish Proverb)

It is not tint that is done to friends.
(Scottish Proverb)

Little intermitting makes good friends.
(Scottish Proverb)

Many Aunts, many Eames, many kin, and few friends. (Scottish Proverb)

Many purses holds friends together.
(Scottish Proverb)

Oft counting makes good friends.

(Scottish Proverb)

Quhen friends meets, hearts warms.

(Scottish Proverb)

There is no friend, to a friend in mister.

(Scottish Proverb)

An intelligent foe is better than a stupid friend. (Senegalese Proverb)

A frequent accounting, a long friendship.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A trusted friend is a priceless treasure.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Clear pacts, long friendship. (Sicilian Proverb)

Don't maintain a friendship with cops because you'll lose your wine and your cigars.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Everyone thinks of his own gain, and plays in this way to deceive his companion.

(Sicilian Proverb)

God save me from false friends, so that I can protect myself from my enemies. (Sicilian)

If an offense has hurt you too much, leave it, my friend, for a future time. (Sicilian Proverb)

If between friends there is not equality, there won't be perfect love. (Sicilian Proverb)

Luck is the friend of jackasses and the crazy; it's a mortal enemy of the virtuous. (Sicilian)

Oh, oh, oh! Three times I say it, which falls into poverty loses his friends. (Sicilian Proverb)

Lawsuits consume time, and money, and rest, and friends. (Romanian Proverb)

Make your enemy your friend. (Romanian)

One enemy can do more hurt than ten friends can do well. (Romanian Proverb)

Wine is a turncoat, first a friend, then an enemy. (Romanian Proverb)

Without other people's companionship, even paradise would be an unlikable place. (Romanian Proverb)

A mile walked with a friend has only one hundred steps. (Russian Proverb)

A wise companion is half the journey. (Russian Proverb)

An old friend is better than two new ones.

(Russian Proverb)

Friendship is friendship, but keep our tobacco apart. (Russian Proverb)

Friendship is one thing and tobacco is another. (Russian Proverb)

Know friend when trouble. (Russian Proverb)

One does not regret giving one's own ear-ring to one's dear friend. (Russian Proverb)

Tell me who your friends are and I'll tell you who you are. (Russian Proverb)

The lucky man's enemy dies and the unlucky man's friend. (Russian Proverb)

A friend who visits you when you are suffering is your best friend.
(Rwandan Proverb)

First friends, then broken heads.
(Samoan Proverb)

Go often to the house of thy friend; for weeds soon choke up the unused path.
(Scandinavian Proverb)

A friend is not known but in need.
(Scottish Proverb)

A morsel eaten gains no friend.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Friends are friends, business are business.

(Portuguese Proverb)

If you have a friend who is a physician, send him to your enemy's house.

(Portuguese Proverb)

In adversity is when friendship is proven.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A faithful friend is hard to find, remember man and keep in mind. (Romanian Proverb)

A good friend is my nearest relation.

(Romanian Proverb)

A poor man has no friends. (Romanian Proverb)

Fire is the test of gold; adversity of friendship.

(Romanian Proverb)

Friends tie their purse with a cobweb thread.

(Romanian Proverb)

He that has a full purse never wanted a friend.

(Romanian Proverb)

She who doesn't say it to you isn't your friend. (Ndongan Proverb)

A friend is one who warns you.

(Traditional Proverb)

Pretend you're in great danger, and you'll find out if you have any friends.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Renounce a friend who covers you with his wings and destroys you with his beak.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

If the owner of two adjacent farms cannot be friends, then they must wait till their next reincarnation to be able to make friends.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Rather than tell a lie to help a friend, it is better to assist him in paying the fine for his offense. (Nigerian Proverb)

A friend is like a source of water during a long voyage. (Nilotic Proverb)

A friend is like a water source for a long journey. (Nilotic Proverb)

A friend is someone you share the path with.

(Nilotic Proverb)

No friend is he who but flatters.

(Norse Proverb)

There is mingling in friendship when man can utter his entire whole mind to another.

(Norse Proverb)

A friend is like a poem. (Persian Proverb)

It is better to be in chains with friends, than to be in a garden with strangers.

(Persian Proverb)

What can the enemy do when the friend is cordial. (Persian Proverb)

Envy for a friend is like the taste of a sour pumpkin. (Peruvian Proverb)

It's not the fault of the Indian, but of he who makes of the Indian his friend. (Mexican)

There's no better mirror than an old friend. (Mexican Proverb)

True friendship is one soul shared by two bodies. (Mexican Proverb)

Every rose has a thorn as its friend. (Moroccan Proverb)

It is always a pleasure to greet a friend from afar. (Namibian Proverb)

Only two relationships are possible - to be a friend or to be an enemy.

(Native American Cree Proverb)

Lose your temper and you lose a friend; lie and you lose yourself. (Native American Hopi)

I have been to the end of the earth, I have been to the end of the waters, I have been to the end of the sky, I have been to the end of the mountains, I have found none that are not my friends. (Native American Navajo Proverb)
We are friends; we must assist each other to bear our burdens.

(Native American Osage Proverb)

Don't be like a shadow: a constant companion, but not a comrade. (Malagasy Proverb)

Better leave something to an enemy than borrow from a friend. (Manx Proverb)

Choose him for a friend who incites you to good works. (Manx Proverb)

While seeking new friends, hold to the old. (Manx Proverb)

One loyal friend is worth ten thousand relatives. (Latin Proverb)

A friend is someone who walks by your side.
(Luo Proverb)

Friendship likes distance. (Maasai Proverb)

Wives and oxen have no friends.
(Kikuyu Proverb)

A warrior does not let a friend face danger alone. (Klingon Proverb)

Everything is for sale, even friendship.
(Klingon Proverb)

Never place friendship above profit.
(Klingon Proverb)

When a warrior goes to a battle, he does not abandon his friends. (Klingon Proverb)

A thousand friends are too few; one enemy is one too many. (Kurdish Proverb)

Kurds have no friends. (Kurdish Proverb)

What care is a friend worth? What handling can a chuckling take? (Kashmiri Proverb)

I have no friends; I make my mind my friend.
(Japanese Proverb)

There are formalities between the closest of friends. (Japanese Proverb)

The person who only accepts friends without faults will never have any real friends. (Jewish Proverb)

Your friend has a friend, and your friend's friend has another friend -- so know when to keep quiet. (Jewish Proverb)

God is the friend of both the simple guy and the leper. (Kashmiri Proverb)

I protect myself from my enemies; may God protect me from my friends. (Italian Proverb)

Reconciled friendship is a wound ill salved. (Italian Proverb)

You will never have a friend if you must have one without faults. (Italian Proverb)

Better the coldness of a friend than the sweetness of an enemy. (Irish Proverb)

Friends are like fiddle-strings and they must not be screwed too tightly. (Irish Proverb)

He who has a good neighbor has a good friend. (Irish Proverb)
Law is costly; shake hands and be friends.

(Irish Proverb)

No war is bitterer than the war of friends, but it does not last long.(Irish Proverb)

The best looking-glass is the eyes of a friend.
(Irish Proverb)

True friendship is like one soul living in two bodies. (Irish Proverb)

Your pocket is your friend.(Irish Proverb)
In choosing a friend, go up a step.
(Israeli Proverb)

A true friend is one that will take a bullet for you in the war. (Italian Proverb)

The rain does not recognize anyone as a friend; it drenches all equally.
(Ibo Proverb)

An offer of friendship to a friend's foe is unbecoming an honorable man.
(Icelandic Proverb)

One enemy is too many; 100 friends are far too few.(Icelandic Proverb)

A secret is a weapon and a friend.(Irish)

He who is a friend of Christ, will soon find salvation. (Hungarian Proverb)

Luck brings friends, need tries them.
(Hungarian Proverb)

I learned much from my teachers, more from my friends, and the most from my pupils. (Hebrew Proverb)

If you do a person a favor, you'll be his superior; if he does one for you, his inferior; and if neither, you'll be his friend.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Who's a hero? He who turns his enemy into his friend. (Hebrew Proverb)
If you see your friend's ox or sheep straying, don't look the other way; return them to your friend. (Hebrew Proverb)

A bird is recognized by her feathers, a man by his friend. (Hungarian Proverb)

Dog and cat friendship. (Hungarian Proverb)

Friends are lost by calling too often and by not calling often enough. (French Proverb)

The interested friend is a swallow on the roof.
(French Proverb)

The sweetest grapes are picked from the vineyard of friendship. (French Proverb)

Light is half a companion. (Genoese Proverb)

Everyone's companion is no one's friend. (German Proverb)

I would rather have a dog as a friend than an enemy. (German Proverb)

Money lent to a friend must be recovered from an enemy. (German Proverb)

The person who has no enemies also has no friends. (German Proverb)

Your friend's enemy might be your best friend. (German Proverb)

The prickly branches of the palm tree do not show preference even to friends. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Better the friend we can see than the money we cannot. (Greek Proverb)

In times of difficulty, friendship is on trial. (Greek Proverb)

It is better in times of need to have a friend rather than money. (Greek Proverb)

Rich folk have many friends. (English)

The first year let your house to your enemy; the second to your friend; the third live in it yourself. (English Proverb)

The rich knows not who is his friend. (English Proverb)

There is no better looking-glass than an old friend. (English Proverb)

Who helps us in trouble is a true friend. (Estonian Proverb)

It's good to have some friends both in heaven and hell. (English Proverb)

Little intermeddling makes good friends. (English Proverb)

Long absence and guilt can change a friend. (English Proverb)

Friends are like centipedes, they have many legs when work needs to be done. (English)

Friends tie their purse with a cobweb thread. (English Proverb)

If your friend is honey, don't lick it all.

(Egyptian Proverb)

If your friend is like honey, don't lick all of it.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Friends and family are worth more than money. (Corsican Proverb)

He who has money and friends, turns his nose at justice. (Corsican Proverb)

In good companionship, the monk took a wife.

(Corsican Proverb)

A good friend is worth more than a bad brother. (Croatian Proverb)

Cheese, wine, and a friend must be old to be good. (Cuban Proverb)

There is no better mirror than the face of an old friend. (Cuban Proverb)

Blessed is the man who has friends, but woe to him who needs them. (Czech Proverb)

Do not protect yourself with a fence, but rather by your friends. (Czech Proverb)

When in need, you shall know a friend. (Czech Proverb)

One enemy is too much, and a hundred friends are not enough.(Danish Proverb)

Before you make a friend, eat a pack of salt with him.(Dutch Proverb)

Better a good neighbor than a distant friend.
(Dutch Proverb)

In the division of inheritance, friendship standeth still.(Dutch Proverb)

Wealth makes many friends.(Biblical Proverb)

Your own friend, and your father's friend, forsake not.(Biblical Proverb)

It's easier to know your enemies than to know your friends.(Bolivian Proverb)

A good friend is recognized in times of trouble.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

A man should choose a friend who is better than himself.(Chinese Proverb)

Better to drink the weak tea of a friend than the sweet wine of an enemy.(Chinese Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart, heaven to the soul, all else to the ears.
(Chinese Proverb)

Drinking with a bosom friend, a thousand shots are too few; Talking with a disagreeable person, half a sentence is too many.

(Chinese Proverb)

Friendship between gentlemen appears indifferent but is pure like water.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you want to know someone's character, look at the friends he keeps. (Chinese Proverb)

It is easy to dodge the arrow of an enemy, but difficult to avoid the spear of a friend.

(Chinese Proverb)

It takes a year to make a friend, but you can lose one in an hour. (Chinese Proverb)

With true friends. (Chinese Proverb)

Treachery darkens the chain of friendship, but truth makes it brighter than ever.

(Conastoga Proverb)

In every family where there is a son, the head of an ox, goat or ram is cooked to be eaten by him with his friends. (Bajan Proverb)

A good friend is a treasure. (Bajan Proverb)

The tongue that belongs to a fake friend is sharper than a knife. (Argentine Proverb)

A good friend is better than a near relation.
(Argentine Proverb)

You can live without a brother but not without a friend.(Arabic Proverb)

Watching what you say is your best friend.
(Arabic Proverb)

A friend is the one that lends a hand during the time of need.(Arabic Proverb)

The best friend is the one who does not joke around.(Arabic Proverb)

My friends are like stars, pick one and it'll guide you.(Arabic Proverb)

The friend in tight times.(Arabic Proverb)

Literal meaning: The fisherman is the shark's friend.(Arabic Proverb)

Hunger has no friend.(Bantu Proverb)

Where there is a friend, one does not have to call, he will come of his own accord.
(Bantu Proverb)

Your friend, one doesn't stare at his forehead, one stares at his stomach.(Bantu Proverb)

Faithful are the wounds of a friend; but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful.

(Biblical Proverb)

He that repeats a matter separates very friends. (Biblical Proverb)

He that walks with wise men shall be wise, but a companion of fools shall be destroyed.

(Biblical Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?"

(Arabic Proverb)

Good manners is the greatest friend.

(Arabic Proverb)

To be sure that your friend is a friend, you must go with him on a journey, travel with him day and night, and go with him near and far. (Angolan Proverb)

Your best friend is yourself. (Albanian Proverb)

You may choose your friends; your family is thrust upon you. (Albanian Proverb)

You can't trust your best friend.

(Albanian Proverb)

You can't jest an enemy into a friend, but you can jest a friend into an enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

When you buy friends with anything other than friendship, they do not stay bought long.(Albanian Proverb)

True friends are like diamonds, precious and rare; false ones like autumn leaves, found everywhere.(Albanian Proverb)

To have a friend, close one eye; to keep him, close both.(Albanian Proverb)

Three faithful friends: an old wife, an old dog, and ready money.(Albanian Proverb)

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Think twice before you speak to a friend in need.(Albanian Proverb)

There are many kinds of fruit that grow on the tree of life, but none so sweet as friendship.
(Albanian Proverb)

The man who loves to argue is left without friends.(Albanian Proverb)

The best way to keep friends is not to give them away. (Albanian Proverb)

The best way to have a friend is to be a friend. (Albanian Proverb)

Take a friend for what he does, a wife for what she has, and goods for what they are worth. (Albanian Proverb)

Real friendship is a slow grower. (Albanian Proverb)

Pay your debts or lose your friends. (Albanian Proverb)

Old friends are the best, but new ones are the most fun. (Albanian Proverb)

No friendship can survive the gift of gold. (Albanian Proverb)

No friend is like an old friend. (Albanian Proverb)

Never drop the friends you made on the way up. (Albanian Proverb)

Never borrow, never lend if you wish to keep a friend. (Albanian Proverb)

Many friends, few helpers. (Albanian Proverb)

Make a loan and lose a friend.

(Albanian Proverb)

Keep your friendship in repair.

(Albanian Proverb)

It takes half your life to learn who your friends are and the other half to keep them.

(Albanian Proverb)

If he's your flatterer, he can't be your friend.

(Albanian Proverb)

He who asks more of a friend than he can bestow deserves to be refused.

(Albanian Proverb)

Friendship, we call it friendship, but without sincerity.

(Albanian Proverb)

Friendship is an empty word if it only works one way.

Friends and mules fail us in hard places.

(Albanian Proverb)

Fortune makes friends; misfortune tries them.

(Albanian Proverb)

Fall not out with a friend for a trifle.

(Albanian Proverb)

Every man's your enemy till he proves your friend. (Albanian Proverb)

Equals make the best friends.
(Albanian Proverb)

Envy is destroyed by true friendship.
(Albanian Proverb)

Comparisons make enemies of our friends.
(Albanian Proverb)

Candour will lose you some friends, but not as many as deceit. (Albanian Proverb)

Bought friends are not friends indeed.
(Albanian Proverb)

Better lose a jest than a friend.
(Albanian Proverb)

Be civil to every man; you know not who may prove to be your friend.(Albanian Proverb)

An old friend wears well. (Albanian Proverb)

Adversity has no friends.(Albanian Proverb)

A sensible enemy is better than a narrow-minded friend. (Albanian Proverb)

A man is known by his friends.(Albanian)

A good friend is someone who will bail you out of jail, but your best friend is the one sitting next to you saying A good friend is someone who will bail you out of jail, but your best friend is the one sitting next to you saying "that was fucking awesome. (Albanian Proverb)

A friend is someone who shares your happiness and your pains. (Albanian Proverb)

A friend is easier lost than found. (Albanian)
A fool has few friends. (Albanian Proverb)

A dead enemy is as good as a cold friend. (Albanian Proverb)

A brother may not be a friend. (Albanian Proverb)

You can leave without a friend but never without a neighbor. (African Proverb)

When you give a friend a goat, you have to let go of the leash. (African Proverb)

When bad luck chooses you as a companion, even a ripe banana can remove your teeth. (African Proverb)

To remove a fly from a friend's forehead never use a hatchet. (African Proverb)

There is no better mirror than a best friend.
(African Proverb)

The mouth that speaks a lot is liable to hunt a friend. (African Proverb)

The best mirror of all is an old friend.
(African Proverb)

Search for a friend with no faults and you will remain with no friends. (African Proverb)

Never travel with a friend who disserts you at the notice of danger. (African Proverb)

Never let a friend lie in your sheep farm he might get hungry. (African Proverb)

It's a friend who gives you advice.
(African Proverb)

Honest advice doesn't destroy true friendship.
(African Proverb)

He who judges others and never allows to be judged loses friends. (African Proverb)

Even your dog knows the homes of your friends. (African Proverb)

Declare kinship with the hyena, and all hyenas are your friend. (African Proverb)

Call kinship with the hyena, and all hyenas are your friend. (African Proverb)

Bad friends will prevent you from having good friends. (African Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is better than a stupid friend. (African Proverb)

A true friend is a special gift. (African Proverb)

A friend is one who knows everything about you and still wants to be your friend. (African Proverb)

A false friend is like a shadow their only with you when the sun is shining. (African Proverb)

A bachelor should always spend minimum time with a friend's wife. (African Proverb)

The first day you see a friend; the next day, a brother. (Afghan Proverb)

The first day you meet, you are friends; the next day you meet, you are brothers. (Afghan)

An intelligent enemy rather than a foolish friend. (Afghan Proverb)

A wise enemy is better than a foolish friend. (Afghan Proverb)

A real friend is one who takes the hand of his friend in times of distress and helplessness.

(Afghan Proverb)

When you have no companion, look to your walking stick. (Albanian Proverb)

The monk gets married to please his friend.

(Albanian Proverb)

If you have figs in your knapsack, everyone will want to be your friend. (Albanian Proverb)

If you are in the house of a friend, bad times are soon forgotten. (Albanian Proverb)

The more intimate the friendship the deadlier the enmity. (African Proverb)

Sorrow is like a precious treasure, shown only to friends. (African Proverb)

A wound inflicted by a friend does not heal.

(African Proverb)

A small house will hold a hundred friends.

(African Proverb)

The rose is a friend of the thorn.

(Afghan Proverb)

It is easier to wage war with wise enemies than be at peace with foolish friends. (Afghan)

Be patient with your enemies and forgiving of your friends. (Afghan Proverb)

An old friend is like a saddled horse.
(Afghan Proverb)

A donkey has two friends: his two hind legs.
(Afghan Proverb)

Never mind storms and snows for the sake of a friend. (Azerbaijani Proverb)

He who looks for a friend without a fault will never find one. (Armenian Proverb)
Dine with a friend but do not do business with him. (Armenian Proverb)

Choose a friend with the eyes of an old man, and a horse with the eyes of a young one.
(Armenian Proverb)

Without the companionship even paradise would be boring. (Arab Proverb)

The enemy of my enemy is my friend.
(Arab Proverb)

So long as the pot is boiling, friendship will stay warm. (Arab Proverb)

In the small lanes there are no brothers or friends. (Arab Proverb)

If you are a friend of the captain, you can wipe your hands on the sail. (Arab Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?" (Arab Proverb)

He that has no money has no friends. (Arab Proverb)

Do not tell a friend anything you would conceal from an enemy. (Arab Proverb)

At the narrow passage there is no brother and no friend. (Arab Proverb)

A foolish man may be known by six things: Anger without cause, speech without profit, change without progress, inquiry without object, putting trust in a stranger, and mistaking foes for friends. (Arab Proverb)

There are three faithful friends: an old wife, an old dog, and ready money. (American Proverb)

Don't allow the grass to grow on the path of friendship. (American Proverb)

Before borrowing money from a friend decide which you need most. (American Proverb)

Friend, do not try to borrow combs from shaven monks. (Chinese Proverb)

A man should choose a friend who is better than himself. There are plenty of acquaintances in the world; but very few real friends. (Chinese Proverb)

A courageous foe is better than a cowardly friend. (Chinese Proverb)

A friend is worth more than a brother. (Cameroonian Proverb)

People can be done without but a lot of us need a friend. (Chinese Proverb)

One can care little for man, but we need a friend. (Chinese Proverb)

Long roads test the horse, long dealings the friend. (Chinese Proverb)

Life is partly what we make it, and partly what it is made by the friends whom we choose. (Chinese Proverb)

I have money, you have money; so we are friends. (Chinese Proverb)

Those who despise money will eventually sponge on their friends. (Chinese Proverb)

The wise man learns more from his enemies than a fool does from his friends.

(Chinese Proverb)

To attract good fortune, spend a new coin on an old friend, share an old pleasure with a new friend, and lift up the heart of a true friend by writing his name on the wings of a dragon. (Chinese Proverb)

When you have read a book for the first time, you get to know a friend; read it for a second time and you meet an old friend.

(Chinese Proverb)

You can accompany a friend for a thousand miles but at some time you must take your leave. (Chinese Proverb)

Yellow gold is plentiful compared to white-haired friends. (Chinese Proverb)

Gold is proved in the fire, friendship in need.

(Danish Proverb)

Go often to the house of a friend; for weeds soon choke up the unused path.

(Danish Proverb)

Few there are that will endure a true friend.

(Danish Proverb)

Better a friend's bite than an enemy's caress.
(Danish Proverb)

Better an open enemy than a false friend.
(Danish Proverb)

Better a bite from a friend than a caress from
an enemy. (Danish Proverb)

Many a friend has been lost by a jest, but
none has ever been got by one.
(Czech Proverb)

Even in hell it is good to have friends.
(Czech Proverb)

Do not protect yourself by a fence, but rather
by your friends. (Czech Proverb)

Feed your horse as a friend, mount him as an
enemy. (Croatian Proverb)

To a friend's house the road is never long.
(Danish Proverb)

The road to a friend's house is never long.
(Danish Proverb)

Relatives are the worst friends, said the fox as
the dogs took after him. (Danish Proverb)

Reconciled friendship is like a badly healed wound. (Danish Proverb)

Own kin are the worst friends, said the fox,
when he saw the foxy dogs after him.
(Danish Proverb)

Lend to your friend, and ask payment of your
enemy. (Danish Proverb)

It is no use hiding from a friend what is known
to an enemy. (Danish Proverb)

Forbear a quarrel with a friend to move: anger
breeds hatred; concord sweetens love. (Dutch)

A plaster house, a horse at grass, a friend in
words, are all mere glass. (Dutch Proverb)

A good friend is better than silver and gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

A friend is better than money in the purse.
(Dutch Proverb)

A dog with a bone knows no friends.
(Dutch Proverb)

Kinsmen are born, but friendship is a gift of
the gods. (Darkovan Proverb)

Friends are like fiddle strings, they must not be screwed too tight. (English Proverb)

A friend to all is a friend to none.
(English Proverb)

A friend in need is a friend indeed.
(English Proverb)

An onion shared with a friend tastes like roast lamb. (Egyptian Proverb)
A small house can lodge a hundred friends.
(Egyptian Proverb)

With a friend behind you, you have a safe bridge. (Dutch Proverb)

Who ventures to lend, loses money and friend.
(Dutch Proverb)

Precaution said, Good friend, this counsel keep: strip not yourself until you're laid to sleep. (Dutch Proverb)

Take a dog for a companion and a stick in your hand. (English Proverb)

Give out that you have many friends, and believe that you have but few. (French Proverb)

Do not let grass grow on the path of friendship. (French Proverb)

Better to have a friend on the road than gold and silver in your purse. (French Proverb)

A girl without a friend is like the spring without roses. (French Proverb)

A friend is known in time of need.
(French Proverb)

A dead man has neither relations nor friends.
(French Proverb)

A clown enriched knows neither relation nor friend. (French Proverb)

If a friend hurts you, run to your wife.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

An eye and a friend are quickly hurt.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

A close friend can become a close enemy.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Two sparrows on the same ear of corn are not long friends. (French Proverb)

The interested friend is a swallow on the roof.
(Prepared to leave at the approach of winter.)
(French Proverb)

The friends of our friends are our friends.
(French Proverb)

The false friend is like the shadow of a sundial. (French Proverb)

Small gifts maintain friendship, big ones maintain love. (French Proverb)

One has always strength enough to bear the misfortunes of one's friends.
(French Proverb)

Kindred without friends, friends without power, power without will, will without effect, effect without profit, profit without virtue, is not worth a rush. (French Proverb)

He who lends to a friend loses twice.
(French Proverb)

He who has a companion has a master.
(French Proverb)

He never was a friend who has ceased to be one. (French Proverb)

He is called clever who cheats and plunders his friend. (French Proverb)

He cannot be a friend to anyone who is his own enemy. (French Proverb)

If you have a good friend, you don't need a mirror. (German Proverb)

He who does not want to lend loses friends; he who lends gains enemies. (German Proverb)

Friendship with the French is like their wine; exquisite but short lived. (German Proverb)

Friendship is a plant we must often water. (German Proverb)

Better an honest enemy than a false friend. (German Proverb)

Promises may make friends, but 'tis performances that keep them. (German Proverb)

One foe is too many, and a hundred friends are too few. (German Proverb)

One enemy can harm you more than a hundred friends can do you good. (German Proverb)

Nature teaches us to love our friends, but religion our enemies. (German Proverb)

My friend's enemy is often my best friend. (German Proverb)

Self-praise stinks, friends praise hinks, the stranger's is sincere, and may last for a year. (German Proverb)

What you lend to a friend, an enemy sues for.
(German Proverb)

True friendship does not freeze in the winter.
(German Proverb)

To get to know a friend, you must share an inheritance with him. (German Proverb)

When the character of a man is not clear to you, look at his friends. (Haitian Proverb)

Who ceases to be a friend never was one.
(Greek Proverb)

An open enemy is better than a false friend.
(Greek Proverb)

A friend is not known till he is lost.
(Italian Proverb)

There is no need like the lack of a friend.
(Irish Proverb)

When you have an ass for a friend, expect nothing but kicks. (Indian Proverb)

These can never be true friends: Hope, dice, a prostitute, a robber, a cheat, a goldsmith, a monkey, a doctor, a distiller. (Indian Proverb)

He, who has a true friend, has no need of a mirror. (Indian Proverb)

For the friendship of two, the patience of one is required. (Indian Proverb)

For the first five years of your son's life treat him as a prince, for the next ten years as a slave, then as a friend for the rest of his life. (Indian Proverb)

He is a friend when you sneeze -- all he says is "God bless you." (Italian Proverb)

God keep me from my friends; from my enemies I will keep myself. (Italian Proverb)

Friends tie their purses with a spider's web. (Italian Proverb)

Beat the rogue and he will be your friend. (Italian Proverb)

Beat the churl and he will be your friend. (Italian Proverb)

Trust not the praise of a friend nor the contempt of an enemy. (Italian Proverb)

The unfortunate know who are their real friends. (Italian Proverb)

The poor is hated by his neighbor, but the rich hath many friends.(Italian Proverb)

Speak well of your friend; of your enemy neither well nor ill. (Italian Proverb)

Rather have a little one for your friend, than a great one for your enemy.(Italian Proverb)

Peel a fig for your friend, a peach for your enemy. (Italian Proverb)

One enemy is too many, and a hundred friends are too few. (Italian Proverb)

He's a friend at sneezing-time--the most that can be got from him is a "God bless you."
(Italian Proverb)

Make new friends, but don't forget the old ones. (Jewish Proverb)

In the mirror everybody sees his best friend.
(Jewish Proverb)

A good friend is often better than a brother.
(Jewish Proverb)

No road is too long in the company of a friend.
(Japanese Proverb)

Love without friendship is like a shadow without the sun. (Japanese Proverb)

Make a friend when you don't need one. (Jamaican Proverb)

Who makes the wolf his companion should carry a dog under his cloak. (Italian Proverb)

A fool repays a salve by a stab and a stab by a salve. [He mistakes friends for foes and foes for friends.] (Latin Proverb)

Of everything else the newest; of friends, the oldest. (Kurdish Proverb)

You may laugh at a friend's roof; don't laugh at his sleeping accommodation. (Kenyan Proverb)

Even a friend cannot rescue one from old age. (Kenyan Proverb)

Your friend has a friend; don't tell him. (Jewish Proverb)

Your friend has a friend and the friend of your friend has another friend. Learn how to keep quiet. (Jewish Proverb)

Who is mighty? One who makes an enemy into a friend. (Jewish Proverb)

Who finds a faithful friend, finds a treasure. (Jewish Proverb)

Over the bottle many a friend is found. (Jewish Proverb)

One old friend is better than two new ones. (Jewish Proverb)

Friendship lasts as long as the pot boils. (Latin Proverb)

Both are the better for their mutual friendship. (Latin Proverb)

As long as you are fortunate, you will have many friends. (Latin Proverb)

A sure friend is discovered in an unsure situation. (Latin Proverb)

Of no worldly good can the joy be perfect, unless it is shared by a friend. (Latin Proverb)

No man can be happy without a friend, or be sure of his friend till he is unhappy. (Latin Proverb)

It is the duty of friends mutually to correct each other. (Latin Proverb)

It is a solace to the miserable to have a companion in their grief. (Latin Proverb)

In time of prosperity, friends will be plenty, In time of adversity, not one amongst twenty. (Latin Proverb)

In prosperity you may count on many friends; if the sky becomes overcast you will be alone. (Latin Proverb)

In forming new friendships, forget not old friends. (Latin Proverb)

Better to lose a little money than a little friendship. (Malagasy Proverb)

When fortune deserts us, our friends are nowhere. (Latin Proverb)

Treat your friends as if hereafter they will become your enemies and your enemies as if they will become your friends. (Latin Proverb)

The silence resulting from absence has destroyed many a friendship. (Latin Proverb)

Silence is wisdom and gets a man friend. (Latin Proverb)

Pride is innate in beauty, and haughtiness is the companion of the fair. (Latin Proverb)

Offer not the right hand of friendship to everyone. (Latin Proverb)

On the road between the homes of friends, grass does not grow. (Norwegian Proverb)

What a prostitute earns she calls presents from her husband's friends. (Nigerian Proverb)

You have a lot of friends if you have money; otherwise there are only strangers. (Nepalese Proverb)

Wealth is both an enemy and a friend. (Nepalese Proverb)

Friendship is honey -- but don't eat it all. (Moroccan Proverb)

A stone from the hand of a friend is an apple. (Moroccan Proverb)

The winner has many friends, the loser has good friends. (Mongolian Proverb)

Friendship reminds us of fathers, love of mothers. (Malagasy Proverb)

Before you make a friend, eat a bushel of salt with him. (Romanian Proverb)

Win a bet of your friend, and drink it on the spot. (Portuguese Proverb)

The cat is a good friend, only she scratches. (Portuguese Proverb)

One grain does not full the granary, but it helps its companion. (Portuguese Proverb)

If you have a friend who is a doctor, then send him to your enemy's house. (Portuguese Proverb)

I renounce the friend who eats what is mine with me, and what is his own by himself. (Portuguese Proverb)

I am on good terms with the friend who eats his bread with me. (Portuguese Proverb)

He who has a good next, finds good friends. (Portuguese Proverb)

He never was a friend who ceased to be so for a slight cause. (Portuguese Proverb)

Friends are flowers in the garden of life. (Portuguese Proverb)

Friends and mules fail us at hard passes.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Everybody's friend or nobody's friend is all one. (Portuguese Proverb)

Conceal not your secret from your friend, or you deserve to lose him. (Portuguese Proverb)

Broken friendship may be soldered but can never be made sound. (Portuguese Proverb)

A friend is to be taken with his faults. (Portuguese Proverb)

Old truths, old laws, old friends, old books, and old wine are best. (Polish Proverb)

There are three kinds of enemy: the enemy himself, the friends of your enemy, and the enemies of your friends. (Persian Proverb)

The world is a rose; smell it and pass it on to your friends. (Persian Proverb)

I can only get better if I have good friends. (Persian Proverb)

A north wind has no corn, and a poor man no friend. (Spanish Proverb)

A morsel eaten selfishly does not gain a friend. (Spanish Proverb)

A friend to everybody is a friend to nobody. (Spanish Proverb)

To be without a friend is to be poor indeed. (Somali Proverb)

A rock offered by a friend is like an apple. (Sicilian Proverb)

When your wine is finished, conversation ends; when your money has been spent, you lose your friends. (Serbian Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is worth more than a stupid friend. (Senegalese Proverb)

Friends are lost by calling often and calling seldom. (Scottish Proverb)

Be slow in choosing a friend but slower in changing him. (Scottish Proverb)

To keep a new friend, never break with the old. (Russian Proverb)

One who seeks no friends is his own enemy. (Russian Proverb)

Make a friend of the wolf, but keep your axe ready. (Russian Proverb)

If you don't have a hundred rubles, make sure you have a hundred friends. (Russian Proverb)

An enemy will agree, but a friend will argue. (Russian Proverb)

A thousand friends are few; one enemy is too many. (Russian Proverb)

A mile walk with a friend has only one hundred steps. (Russian Proverb)

Life without a friend is death without a witness. (Spanish Proverb)

It is good to have friends, even in hell. (Spanish Proverb)

If you have a friend who is a doctor, make your bow and send him to the house of your enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

He who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love. (Spanish Proverb)

Friendship broken may be soldered, but never made whole. (Spanish Proverb)

Everybody's friends and nobody's friend is all one. (Spanish Proverb)

Avoid a friend who covers you with his wings and destroys you with his beak. (Spanish Proverb)

He who is everybody's friend is either very poor or very rich. (Spanish Proverb) He that trusts a faithless friend, has a good witness against him. (Spanish Proverb)

An ounce of blood is worth more than a pound of friendship. (Spanish Proverb)

When a peasant gets rich, he knows neither relations nor friends. (Spanish Proverb)

The most faithful mirror is an old friend. (Spanish Proverb)

The dead and the absent have no friends. (Spanish Proverb)

The cat always leaves her mark upon her friend. (Spanish Proverb)

Sorrows are valuable treasures that you only show to your friends. (Spanish Proverb)

Never by-pass a town where a friend lives. (Spanish Proverb)

Neither a good friar for friend, nor a bad one for enemy. (Spanish Proverb)

Ah my friends, therein lies a wonderful challenge indeed, to seek out that noble and good. Seek it and you shall find it. Let the past drift away with the water. (Traditional Proverb)

A true friend should be like a privy, open in necessity. (Traditional Proverb)

A son should be treated as a prince for five years as a slave for ten years but from his sixteenth birthday, as a close friend. (Traditional Proverb)

A person who seeks help for a friend, while needy himself, will be answered first. (Traditional Proverb)

A man's best friends are his ten fingers. (Traditional Proverb)

A helpful companion is as good as a coach. (Traditional Proverb)

A friend is the half of my life. (Traditional Proverb)

A friend is someone you can do nothing with, and enjoy it. (Traditional Proverb)

A friend is someone who doesn't like the same people you do. (Traditional Proverb)

A friend is someone who can see through you and still enjoys the show. (Traditional Proverb)

A cup of coffee commits one to forty years of friendship. (Traditional Proverb)

A brother is a friend God gave you a friend is a brother your heart chose for you.
(Traditional Proverb)

A boy's best friend is his mother and there's no spangle stronger than her apron string.
(Traditional Proverb)

One simple maxim is often worth more than two good friends. (Swiss Proverb)

One should go invited to a friend in good fortune, and uninvited in misfortune.
(Swedish Proverb)

Win a game of your friend, and drink the money on the spot. (Spanish Proverb)

Hear no ill of a friend, nor speak ill of an enemy. (Traditional Proverb)

Happy is he whose friends were born before him. (Traditional Proverb)

God defend me from my friends; from my enemies I can defend myself.

(Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is a prodigal, but love is a miser.

(Traditional Proverb)

Friends should have a high wall between them.

(Traditional Proverb)

Don't let grass grow on the path of friendship.

(Traditional Proverb)

Books and friends should be few but good.

(Traditional Proverb)

Better a wise foe than a foolish friend.

(Traditional Proverb)

One who looks for a friend without faults will have none.

(Traditional Proverb)

Money lent to a friend must be recovered from an enemy.

(Traditional Proverb)

Many a friend was lost through a joke, but none was ever gained so.

(Traditional)

It's much easier to turn a friendship into love, than love into friendship.

(Traditional Proverb)

Like two golden birds perched on the selfsame tree, intimate friends, the ego and the Self dwell in the same body. The former eats the sweet and sour fruits of the tree of life while the latter looks on in detachment. As long as we think we are the ego, we feel attached and fall into sorrow. But realize that you are the Self, the Lord of life, and you will be freed from sorrow. When you realize that you are the Self, supreme source of light, supreme source of love, you transcend the quality of life and enter into the unitive state.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is well to remember that there are five reasons for drinking the arrival of a friend, one's present or future thirst, the excellence of the wine, or any other reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

Like a shadow in the morning, the friendship of the ignoble man is great at first, then gradually decreases and disappears. Like a shadow in the afternoon, the friendship of the noble man is small at first, then gradually increases.(Traditional Proverb)

It is prosperity that gives us friends, adversity that proves them.(Traditional Proverb)

When the character of the person is not clear to you, look at his friends.(Traditional Proverb)

The time to make friends is before you need them. (Traditional Proverb)

Tell me your friends, and I'll tell you who you are. (Traditional Proverb)

Care for your horse as a friend; ride it as if it were an enemy. (Turkish Proverb)

Better your enemy who you recognize than a dark friend. (Turkish Proverb)

A stupid friend is a greater plague than a wise enemy. (Turkish Proverb)

A friend is one soul in two bodies.
(Turkish Proverb)

If your friend is honey, don't lick him thoroughly. (Tunisian Proverb)

You can hardly make a friend in a year, but you can lose one in an hour.
(Traditional Proverb)

None is so rich as that he can throw away a friend. (Turkish Proverb)

To see a friend no road is too long.
(Ukrainian Proverb)

Boast to a stranger, complain only to your friends. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Better a friend at court than gold on the finger. (Welsh Proverb)

Be a friend to yourself, and others will. (Welsh Proverb)

Short judgments make long friends. (Traditional Proverb)

False friends are worse than open enemies (Traditional Proverb)

Friends are flowers in life's garden. (Traditional Proverb)

Friends help others pity. (Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is love with understanding (Traditional Proverb)

If friends were flowers, I'd pick you. (Traditional Proverb)

A full purse is ones best companion. (Traditional Proverb)

The best mirror is an old friend. (Spanish Proverb)

The rotten apple spoils its companion.
(Spanish Proverb)

They are rich who have friends.
(Spanish Proverb)

A reconciled friend is a double enemy.
(Spanish Proverb)

A son-in-law's friendship is a winter's sun.
(Spanish Proverb)

Everybody's friend is true to none.
(Norwegian Proverb)

A friend is a poem. (Persian Proverb)

The best of friends must part.
(Persian Proverb)

An empty purse frights away friends.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Friends are known in adversity.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Of oil, wine, and friends, the oldest.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Poverty parteth friends. (Portuguese Proverb)

Short reckonings make long friends.

(Portuguese Proverb)

There's no living without friends.

(Portuguese Proverb)

There's no physician like a true friend.

(Romanian Proverb)

False friends are worst than bitter enemies.

(Scottish Proverb)

The best mirror is a friend's eye.

(Scottish Proverb)

Kings have no friends. (Senegalese Proverb)

Poverty trieth friends. (Latin Proverb)

Rich for yourself, poor for your friends.

(Latin Proverb)

True friends are tested in adversity.

(Latin Proverb)

Because friendship is pleasant, we partake of our friend's entertainment; not because we have not enough to eat in our own house.

(Yoruban Proverb)

The coldness of a friend and the coldness of linen -- they never lasted long.(Welsh Proverb)

Virtue our leader, fortune our companion.
(Latin Proverb)

Where there is wealth, friends abound.
(Latin Proverb)

Excess of obligations may lose a friend.
(Latin Proverb)

Friends become foes, and foes are reconciled.
(Latin Proverb)

Friends have all things in common.
(Latin Proverb)

Misfortunes make friends.(Latin Proverb)

Never malign a friend.(Latin Proverb)

A dissimilarity of pursuits dissolves
friendship.(Latin Proverb)

A trifling pledge of no small friendship.
(Latin Proverb)

Compete not with a friend.(Latin Proverb)

Court not companionship with tigers.
(Latin Proverb)

Dawn is the friend of the muses.

(Latin Proverb)

Envy is the companion of glory.

(Latin Proverb)

Once a friend, always a friend.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Old friends are always new. (Italian Proverb)

Save us from our friends. (Italian Proverb)

To preserve friendship, one must build walls.

(Italian Proverb)

Mutual gifts cement friendship.

(Ivorian Proverb)

Over-intelligent people can't find friends.

(Japanese Proverb)

Where friends, there riches. (German Proverb)

Where money, their friends. (German Proverb)

While the pot boils, friendship blooms.

(German Proverb)

An old enemy never becomes a friend.

(Greek Proverb)

Good accounts make good friends.(Greek)

Success has many friends.(Greek Proverb)

Even the devil needs a friend.(Indian Proverb)

Separation secures manifest friendship.
(Indian Proverb)

The deceitful have no friends.(Indian Proverb)

A clear bargain, a dear friend.(Italian Proverb)

A friend, and look to thyself.(Italian Proverb)

Everybody's friend, nobody's friend.
(Italian Proverb)

Friends are known in time of need.
(Italian Proverb)

Friends may meet, but mountains never greet.
(Italian Proverb)

Friendship should be unpicked, not rent.
(Italian Proverb)

Everybody's companion is nobody's friend.
(German Proverb)

Everybody's friend, everybody's fool.
(German Proverb)

Friendship is love with intelligence.

(German Proverb)

God's friends, the priest's foe.

(German Proverb)

Herod and Pilate are good friends!

(German Proverb)

Much money, many friends.

(German Proverb)

Presents keep friendship warm.

(German Proverb)

The best friends are in one's purse.

(German Proverb)

Suspicion is the poison of friendship.

(French Proverb)

Who lends to a friend loses doubly.

(French Proverb)

Friends and mules fail in hard trials.

(Gaelic Proverb)

A hedge between keeps a friendship green.

(German Proverb)

Hatred watches while friendship sleeps.

(French Proverb)

Little presents maintain friendship.
(French Proverb)

Long absence changes friends.
(French Proverb).

Night has no friend.(French Proverb)

Old friends and new reckonings.
(French Proverb)

A table friend is changeable.(French Proverb)

Adversity is the touchstone of friendship.
(French Proverb)

Better a friend than money to spend.
(Dutch Proverb)

Heaven preserve me from my friends!
(Dutch Proverb)

One God, one wife, but many friends.
(Dutch Proverb)

The rich have many friends.
(Dutch Proverb)

Friendship doubles joy and halves grief.
(Egyptian Proverb)

A dog is a man's best friend. (English Proverb)

Lend your money and lose your friend.
(English Proverb)

Justice knows no friendship.
(Estonian Proverb)

Friendship is not born of words alone.
(Armenian Proverb)

Time flies when you are among friends.
(Basque Proverb)

Pretty wife, old wine -- many friends.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

The earth is man's only friend.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Ceremony is the smoke of friendship.
(Chinese Proverb)

Love is blind, friendship closes its eyes.
(Chinese Proverb)

Friendship does not need pepper to cry.
(Congolese Proverb)

Sick people have no friends.
(Native American Creole Proverb)

A truth-telling woman has few friends.

(Danish Proverb)

Age is a sorry travelling companion.

(Danish Proverb)

Distrust is poison to friendship.

(Danish Proverb)

Every man's friend is every man's fool.

(Danish Proverb)

Gifts make friendship lasting. (Danish Proverb)

Keep your mouth, and keep your friend.

(Danish Proverb)

Liberal hands make many friends.

(Danish Proverb)

Praise paves the way to friendship.

(Danish Proverb)

Your friendship is your needs answered.

(Danish Proverb)

A friend is known when needed.

(Arab Proverb)

FUTURE:

To give away is to make provision for the future. (Tswana Proverb)

If an offense has hurt you too much, leave it, my friend, for a future time. (Sicilian Proverb)

Put up with your present condition to avoid a bad future. (Sicilian Proverb)

A diviner cannot accurately divine his own future. (Nigerian Proverb)

Youths look at the future, the elderly at the past; our ancestors live in the present. (Nilotic Proverb)

Who has no past, has no future. (Palestinian Proverb)

Seek wisdom, not knowledge. Knowledge is of the past, Wisdom is of the future. (Native American Lumbee Proverb)

You cannot see the future with tears in your eyes. (Native American Navajo Proverb)

Like the chameleon, one eye on the future, one eye on the past. (Malagasy Proverb)

A danger escaped is no guarantee for the future. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Children yoke parents to the past, present and future. (Japanese Proverb)

The flow of water and the future of human beings are uncertain. (Japanese Proverb)

A person worries about the past, distresses about the present, and fears the future. (Jewish Proverb)

Whosoever chooses to deny their past cannot expect to find a future. (Hungarian Proverb)

The cure for anxiety about the future is not nostalgia for the past. (Hebrew Proverb)

Tradition must be a springboard to the future, not an easy chair for resting. (Hebrew Proverb)

A person worries about the past, is upset about the present, and fears the future. (Hebrew Proverb)

Look to the past to help us move forward in the future. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Burn your enemies' caravan and you burn your future. (Gypsy Proverb)

Consider the past and you shall know the future.(Chinese Proverb)

Everything in the past died yesterday, and everything in the future is born today.
(Chinese Proverb)

The past remembered is a good guide for the future.(Chinese Proverb)

You can be cautious of the future, but not of the past.(Chinese Proverb)

The person who predicts the future is lying, even when he is right.(Arabic Proverb)

He who speaks about the future lies, even when he tells the truth.(Arabic Proverb)

For every glance behind us, we have to look twice to the future.(Arabic Proverb)

Study the past if you would divine the future.
(Albanian Proverb)

Never think of the future; it comes soon enough.(Albanian Proverb)

Don't mortgage the future for the present.
(Albanian Proverb)

No matter how old you may be the future will always be ahead of you. (African Proverb)

Dreams are related to the past but connected to the future. (African Proverb)

Don't let your past dictate your future. (African Proverb)

A spiritual leader is able to see the past, present and the future. (African Proverb)

No matter how old you may be the future will always be ahead of you. (African Proverb)

Forget the past, but look out in the future. (Afghan Proverb)

Those who foretell the future lies, even if he tells the truth. (Arab Proverb)

He who predicts the future lies, even if he tells the truth. (Arab Proverb)

He who foretells the future lies, even if he tells the truth. (Arab Proverb)

A sponge to wipe away the past; a rose to sweeten the present; a kiss to greet the future. (Arab Proverb)

Don't try to make predictions -- especially those concerning the future.(Chinese Proverb)

All the past died yesterday; the future is born today.(Chinese Proverb)

Men see only the present; heaven sees the future.(Chinese Proverb)

When we have nothing to worry about we are not doing much, and not doing much may supply us with plenty of future worries.
(Chinese Proverb)

When men speak of the future, the gods laugh.(Chinese Proverb)

You can be cautious about the future but not the past.(Chinese Proverb)

A good well-lived today makes every yesterday a dream of a good future, and every morning is a vision of hope.(Indian Proverb)

Learn about the future by looking at the past.
(Indian Proverb)

The past is the future of the present.
(Japanese Proverb)

Examine the past, examine the present, and examine the future.(Latin Proverb)

As to what is future, even a bird with a long neck cannot see it, but God only.

(Latin Proverb)

He who hath lost his good name how shall he in future gain his living. (Latin Proverb)

The past is for God, the future for the Tsars.

(Russian Proverb)

The future is for those who know how to wait.

(Russian Proverb)

If men could foresee the future, they would still behave as they do now. (Russian Proverb)

A pessimist is a person who mourns the future. (Traditional Proverb)

Have the wisdom to abandon the values of a time that has passed and pick out the constituents of the future. An environment must be suited to the age and men to their environment. (Traditional Proverb)

Many a genius is never honored until the future proves his inspiration.

(Traditional Proverb)

Every future is not far away. (Arab Proverb)

When you see an old man amiable, mild, equable, content, and good-humored, be sure that in his youth he has been just, generous, and forbearing. In his end he does not lament the past, nor dread the future he is like the evening of a fine day. (Traditional Proverb)

G CATEGORY

GAMBLING:

Unlucky in gambling, lucky in love.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Avoid gambling. (Latin Proverb)

Gambling is the son of avarice and the father of despair. (French Proverb)

There are two great pleasures in gambling: that of winning and that of losing.
(French Proverb)

Gambling sire, gambling son.
(Portuguese Proverb)

GARDEN:

When the white man is about to leave a garden for good, he wrecks it.

(Yoruban Proverb)

With a good farm, garden and vineyard, all your problems will be cured.(Sicilian Proverb)

A man could die just cultivating fava beans and the kitchen garden.(Sicilian Proverb)

Go early to the garden and the mill.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Remain continuously in the vegetable and flower garden.(Sicilian Proverb)

Rhue and time, grows both in ane garden.

(Scottish Proverb)

If mushrooms grew in the mouth, that would be not mouth but kitchen garden.

(Russian Proverb)

Fear keeps the garden better than the gardener.(Romanian Proverb)

It is better to be in chains with friends, than to be in a garden with strangers.

(Persian Proverb)

Some people like to make of life a garden, and to walk only within its paths.

(Japanese Proverb)

Patience is a flower that grows not in everyone's garden. (Italian Proverb)

Patience is a plant that does not grow in everyone's garden. (Italian Proverb)

Don't cut your cactus in a neighbor's garden. (Irish Proverb)

Everyone is nice till the cow gets into the garden. (Irish Proverb)

A book is like a garden in the pocket. (Indian Proverb)

When a wolf is mentioned, he is already walking round the garden. (Hungarian Proverb)

He that will bare-foot go must not plant a garden of thistle. (French Proverb)

A woman without a man is like a garden without a fence. (German Proverb)

A woman is a flower in a garden; her husband is the fence around it. (Ghanaian Proverb)

To one who does not know, a who garden is a forest. (Ethiopian Proverb)

A man of words and not of deeds is like a garden full of weeds. (English Proverb)

If Bastelica had a port, Ajaccio would be its garden. (Corsican Proverb)

A woman's belly is a garden with many kinds of fruit. (Arabic Proverb)

No garden without its weeds.
(Albanian Proverb)

Make a garden or plant, and a man is happy for life. (Albanian Proverb)

Knowledge is like a garden, if you don't cultivate it you cannot harvest it.
(African Proverb)

Even when you dig a soft place, you still leave the garden. (African Proverb)

We have quite enough to do weeding our own garden. (Belgian Proverb)

A book is a garden carried in the pocket.
(Arab Proverb)

A flower cannot blossom without sunshine nor a garden without love. (Chinese Proverb)

A flower cannot blossom without sunshine nor a garden without love. (Chinese Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine.
Pleasure for one year a marriage; but pleasure for a lifetime, a garden. (Chinese Proverb)

If you would be happy for a week, take a wife;
if you would be happy for a month, kill a pig;
but if you would be happy all your life, plant a garden. (Chinese Proverb)

Much more than you have sown will grow in your garden. (Croatian Proverb)

The herb patience does not grow in every man's garden. (Danish Proverb)

If you want to be happy for a year, plant a garden; If you want to be happy for life, plant a tree. (English Proverb)

Don't make an oven of your cap or a garden of your belly. (French Proverb)

Love is a garden full of flowers and marriage is a field of stinging nettles. (Finnish Proverb)

To one who knows no better, a small garden is a forest. (Ethiopian Proverb)

As is the gardener, so is the garden.
(German Proverb)

You must not throw stones into your neighbor's garden. (French Proverb)

Knowledge is like a garden: if it is not cultivated, it cannot be harvested.
(Guinean Proverb)

Everyone is nice until the cow gets into the garden. (Irish Proverb)

A man of words and not deeds, Is like a garden full of weeds. (Italian Proverb)

A lawsuit is a fruit-tree planted in a lawyer's garden. (Italian Proverb)

You seek for fruit in the garden of Tantalus.
(Latin Proverb)

More grows in a garden than the gardener sows there. (Portuguese Proverb)

Friends are flowers in the garden of life.
(Portuguese Proverb)

In the garden of time grows the flower of consolation. (Russian Proverb)

Many things grow in the garden that was never sown there. (Spanish Proverb)

In the garden more grows, than the gardener sows. (Spanish Proverb)

He will never worship well the image on the altar who knew it when it was a trunk of wood in the garden. (Spanish Proverb)

A woman's belly is a garden with many fruits. (Spanish Proverb)

The gardener's feet do no harm to the garden. (Spanish Proverb)

More things grow in the garden than the gardener sows. (Spanish Proverb)

To a physician a sick man is a garden. (Swahili Proverb)

The sick man is the garden of the physicians. (Swahili Proverb)

If I wanted an easy care garden, I would have planted weeds. (Traditional Proverb)

He who plants a garden plants happiness. If you want to be happy for a lifetime, plant a garden. (Traditional Proverb)

Everyone has enough weeding to do in their own garden. (Traditional Proverb)

More grows in the garden than the gardener knows he has sown. (Traditional Proverb)

Life begins the day you start a garden. (Traditional Proverb)

It is better to remove the weeds from your own garden, before you start with your neighbors. (Traditional Proverb)

To one who does not know, a small garden is a forest. (Traditional Proverb)

The plum tree, dwindling, contains less of the spring But the garden is wider, and holds more of the moon. (Traditional Proverb)

Welcome to my garden. (Traditional Proverb)

There is little use building a fence around the garden to keep out the rabbits. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

The Spirit of Gardening. (Traditional Proverb)

Life began in a garden.(Traditional Proverb)

Being led down the garden path.
(Traditional Proverb)

Friends are flowers in life's garden.
(Traditional Proverb)

Garden of Weedin.(Traditional Proverb)

In the garden my soul is sunshine.
(Traditional Proverb)

Being led down the garden path.
(Traditional Proverb)

Common garden variety.(Traditional Proverb)

Cultivate your garden.(Traditional Proverb)

Cultivate the garden within.(Latin Proverb)

He who plants a garden plants happiness.
(German Proverb)

Garden flowers larger, field flowers
stronger.(Chinese Proverb)

GARDENING:

The Spirit of Gardening.
(Traditional Proverb)

GENERATION:

A woman who is not successful in her own marriage has no advice to give to her younger generations. (Nigerian Proverb)

The earth is not ours, it is a treasure we hold in trust for future generations.
(Namibian Proverb)

Before you take any decision, consider its effect on the next seven generations.
(Native American Hopi Proverb)

The dishonor of the father dishonors his sons and their sons for three generations.
(Klingon Proverb)

Clogs to clogs in three generations.
(English Proverb)

From clogs to clogs is only three generations. (Danish Proverb)

Happy the generation where the great listen to the small, for it follows that in such a generation the small will listen to the great.

(Jewish Proverb)

Life is for one generation; a good name is forever.

(Japanese Proverb)

Whoever teaches his son teaches not only his son but also his son's son, and so on to the end of generations.

(Jewish Proverb)

When two paupers get married it is the beginning of a generation of beggars.

(Mexican Proverb)

If you want happiness for a lifetime - help the next generation.

(Traditional Proverb)

From shirtsleeves to shirtsleeves in three generations.

(Italian Proverb)

GENIUS:

It don't take a genius to spot a goat in a flock of sheep.

(Cowboy Proverb)

Genius is one part inspiration and three parts perspiration.

(Albanian Proverb)

Colleges hate geniuses, just as convents hate saints. (Albanian Proverb)

A genius does not shout his wisdom from the housetops. (Albanian Proverb)

The difference between genius and stupidity is that genius has its limits. (African Proverb)

A genius is he who is first to be right'.
(African Proverb)

Genius can be recognized by its childish simplicity. (Chinese Proverb)

Genius is an infinite capacity for taking pains. (Dutch Proverb)

A genius is one who shoots at something no one else can see, and hits it.
(Traditional Proverb)

Many a genius is never honored until the future proves his inspiration.
(Traditional Proverb)

GHOST:

You lament not the dead, but lament the trouble of making a grave; the way of the ghost is longer than the grave. **(Efik Proverb)**

The blind person never fears ghosts.
(Burmese Proverb)

No one is more afraid of ghosts than those that don't believe in them. **(Chinese Proverb)**

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If you have money you can make the ghosts and devils turn your grind stone.
(Traditional Proverb)

If you go out a lot at night, you will probably meet ghosts. **(Vietnamese Proverb)**

Love, thieves, and fear, make ghosts.
(German Proverb)

Nobody wages war with ghosts.
(African Proverb)

GOALS:

You may adopt an indirect approach to reach your goal. **(Kashmiri Proverb)**

This proverb is often used to illustrate a person who does not have enough resources to accomplish his goal. **(Indonesian Proverb)**

No goal is unachievable. **(African Proverb)**

Having a goal is just a dream with a deadline. **(African Proverb)**

Before you can score you must first have a goal. **(Greek Proverb)**

Bright but hidden, the Self dwells in the heart. Everything that moves, breathes, opens, and closes Lives in the Self. He is the source of love and may be known through love but not through thought. He is the goal of life. Attain this goal. **(Traditional Proverb)**

Be true to your own goals. **(Traditional Proverb)**

Keep your eye upon the goal. **(Latin Proverb)**

GOD:

Man strives, and god laughs. (Yiddish Proverb)

When you stand with the blessings of your mother and God, it matters not who stands against you. (Yoruban Proverb)

God is good, but never dance with a lion. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

Who cannot pray to God, let him go to sea. (Swedish Proverb)

The mouse fell from the ceiling, and the cat cried "Allah!". (Syrian Proverb)

To him who puts a cord around his neck, God will supply someone to pull it. (Tuareg Proverb)

Do good and throw it into the sea; if the fish don't know it, god will. (Turkish Proverb)

He who abandons his family, god forsakes him. (Venezuelan Proverb)

God created people because he loves stories. (Yiddish Proverb)

God is an honest payer, but a very slow one. (Yiddish Proverb)

God will provide. If only God would provide until He provides. (Yiddish Proverb)

Who cannot pray to God, let him go to sea. (Swedish Proverb)

Who serves God, fears nothing. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who sins and then makes amends, trusts in God. (Sicilian Proverb)

God grant me to argue with those who understand me. (Spanish Proverb)

God grant me to contend with those that understand me. (Spanish Proverb)

God sends cold after clothes. (Spanish Proverb)

God take you, pound, drunk out and not yet spun. (Spanish Proverb)

The friar who prays in god's name prays for two. (Spanish Proverb)

Salt comes from north, gold from south and silver from the land of Whites, but the Word of God, the famous things, histories and fairy tales, we only find them in Timbuktu. (Sudanese Proverb)

The justice of God is better than the justice of the world. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you are astonished at Moses' deeds, you will be more astonished at Pharaoh's. Not-Moses declared himself to be a prophet, but Pharaoh declared himself to be God. (Swahili Proverb)

The soul goes to God, the body to the earth, and belongings to those to whom they should go. (Sicilian Proverb)

That which is written by God is what is. (Swahili Proverb)

There are three who have to give an accounting to God; the judges, the priests, and the godparents. (Sicilian Proverb)

The fear of God is not wearing a white turban. (Swahili Proverb)

There's no defense against the wrath of God. (Sicilian Proverb)

The very thing you do not want, that is what pleases god. (Swahili Proverb)

What is given by God, can't be lacking. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who serves God, fears nothing. (Sicilian)

The very thing you do not want, that is what pleases god. (Swahili Proverb)

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Ye have a face to God, and another to the Devil. (Scottish Proverb)

God save me from false friends, so that I can protect myself from my enemies. (Sicilian Proverb)

Ye would doe little for God, and the Devil were dead. (Scottish Proverb)

God save us from a mistaken summons and poorly informed justice. (Sicilian Proverb)

God is high above, and Russia is far away. (Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

God save us from evil neighbors and from the indignation of the upright. (Sicilian Proverb)

Children and the deaf are the punishment of God. (Sicilian Proverb)

God save us from four people: doctors, notaries, pharmacists, and bad bosses. (Sicilian Proverb)

God sends men cold, as they have clothes to. (Scottish Proverb)

God closes a door and opens a portico. (Sicilian Proverb)

It's useless to give advice opposing God. (Sicilian Proverb)

God sends never the mouth, but the meat with it. (Scottish Proverb)

God gives cookies to those without teeth. (Sicilian Proverb)

Only God can judge and foretell. (Sicilian)

Gods help is nearer nor the fair even. (Scottish Proverb)

God has dominion over your possessions and your life. (Sicilian Proverb)

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God is far up high, the Tsar is far away.

(Russian Proverb)

God keeps those safe who keep themselves safe. (Russian Proverb)

God marks the crook. (Russian Proverb)

Worship the gods of where you live.

(Russian Proverb)

God comes with leaden feet but strikes with iron hands. (Russian Proverb)

God spends the day elsewhere, but he always spends the night in Rwanda.

(Rwandan Proverb)

God does not give horns to a cow that likes to gore. (Russian Proverb)

All things hath a beginning, God excepted.
(Scottish Proverb)

God gave, God took back.(Russian Proverb)

God gives to those who get up early.
(Russian Proverb)

God gives to those who wake up early.
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God marks the crook.(Russian Proverb)

God takes care of the one who takes care of himself.(Russian Proverb)

God loveth adverbs.(Puritan Proverb)

God hath leaden feet, but iron hands.
(Romanian Proverb)

God sends meat and the devil sends cooks.
(Romanian Proverb)

God's greatest act was to make one day follow another.(Puerto Rican Proverb)

God loveth adverbs.(Puritan Proverb)

God hath leaden feet, but iron hands.
(Romanian Proverb)

God sends meat and the devil sends cooks.
(Romanian Proverb)

God stays long, but strikes at last.
(Romanian Proverb)

God's mill grinds slow but sure.
(Romanian Proverb)

Man shoots, God carries the bullets.
(Polish Proverb)

What Jimmy did to God, God does to Jimmy. (Polish Proverb)

Give to the poor, lend to God.
(Portuguese Proverb)

God gives nuts to who has no teeth.
(Portuguese Proverb)

God stays long, but strikes at last.
(Romanian Proverb)

They are the gods themselves that white-wash
the fruits of the pumpkins. (Nigerian Proverb)

'what shall i add for the poor?' asked god.
'fingernails and itch,' answered the poor.
(Oromo Proverb)

Trust in God -- but tie your camel tight.
(Persian Proverb)

The words of God are not like the oak leaf
which dies and falls to the earth, but like the
pine tree which stays green forever.
(Native American Plains Proverb)

Sharing and giving are the ways of God.
(Native American Sauk Proverb)

First you are to think always of god. Second
you are to use all your powers to care for your

people and especially the poor.
(Native American Sioux Proverb)

God gave us each a song.
(Native American Ute Proverb)

He who steals in order to give to god can only get advice from the devil. (Nicaraguan Proverb)

Any wealth that takes only a market week to acquire is sure to contain in it things for which the gods will surely come to make claims. (Nigerian Proverb)

God keeps away flies from the tailless cow.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Greatness and beauty do not belong to the gods alone. (Nigerian Proverb)

The elders of a community are the voice of God. (Nigerian Proverb)

The gods may still send a gentle breeze when they want to bless us. (Nigerian Proverb)

If a man puts a cord around his neck, God will provide someone to pull it. (Moroccan Proverb)

In Morocco never be surprised. If you see a donkey flying, just say Allah is capable of anything. (Moroccan Proverb)

God is in the details and so is the devil.

(Namibian Proverb)

When you lose the rhythm of the drumbeat of god, you are lost from the peace and rhythm of life.(Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

When you have learned about love, you have learned about god.

(Native American Fox Proverb)

Inner peace and love are the greatest of God's gifts.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

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The eye of God is large.(Maasai Proverb)

He who follows his wife's advice will never see the face of god.(Maltese Proverb)

God does not hear you if you do not speak.

(Mexican Proverb)

God speaks for the man who holds his peace.
(Mexican Proverb)

He who has a hundred and one pesos, and owes a hundred and two, let him commend himself to god.(Mexican Proverb)

Both the hunted and the hunter rely on God.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Some pray to the gods only when in trouble.
(Japanese Proverb)

God is the friend of both the simple guy and the leper.(Kashmiri Proverb)

We decide our affairs, and then we rest them with God.(Jabo Proverb)

God protect us from him who has read but one book.(Italian Proverb)

God save us from the enriched poor and from the impoverished rich.(Italian Proverb)

The mills of god grind slowly, yet they grind exceedingly small.(Italian Proverb)

Food is no more important than wisdom; The beginning of wisdom is the fear of God.
(Irish Proverb)

God fits the back for the burden.

(Irish Proverb)

May the smile of God light you to glory.

(Irish Proverb)

The favorite place of God is in the heart of man. (Israeli Proverb)

God swats flies for an animal that has no tail.

(Igbo Proverb)

Swearing in the name of one god while at the shrine of another god. (Igbo Proverb)

He respects neither God, nor man.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Man plans, God decides. (Hungarian Proverb)

The mills of God grind slowly, but surely.

(Hungarian Proverb)

God takes care of a blind cow. (Hindi Proverb)

Even God cannot satisfy everyone.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Give the emperor what is the emperors and

God what is Gods. (Hungarian Proverb)

God does not beat one with a stick.

(Hungarian Proverb)

God has taken him to a high position.

(Hungarian Proverb)

God is the doctor of the man who quarrels
with his master.(Hungarian Proverb)

Give the emperor what is the emperors and
God what is Gods.(Hungarian Proverb)

God does not beat one with a stick.

(Hungarian Proverb)

God has taken him to a high position.

(Hungarian Proverb)

God is the doctor of the man who quarrels
with his master.(Hungarian Proverb)

God neither hurries, nor is late.

(Hungarian Proverb)

He has caught the leg of God.

(Hungarian Proverb)

When the gods are angry with a man, they give
him what he asks for.(Greek Proverb)

Go in God's name--so you ride no witches.

(Gypsy Proverb)

God has only one measure for all people.

(Haitian Proverb)

God made man upright, but man searched out many crooked devices.(Hebrew Proverb)

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God did not create hurry.(Finnish Proverb)

God never says no to grand thoughts.

(Finnish Proverb)

The nest of the blind bird is made by god.

(English Proverb)

Think and thank god.(English Proverb)

Where there is peace, god is.(English Proverb)

Who begs for the sake of mischief steals from the God.(Estonian Proverb)

Who disobeys his parents, disobeys God.
(Estonian Proverb)

Who helps himself will be helped by God.
(Estonian Proverb)

Who toils and moils will be helped by God.
(Estonian Proverb)

Who whisks himself on a Saturday will be
punished by God.(Estonian Proverb)

The son of the god of thunder does not die of
lightning.(Ewe Proverb)

Mercy resides in God; deeds are in men.
(Filipino Proverb)

God is better pleased with adverbs than with
nouns.(English Proverb)

God is dead.(English Proverb)

God looks to clean hands, not to full ones.
(English Proverb)

God's a good man.(English Proverb)

God help the rich, the poor can look after
themselves.(English Proverb)

God is better pleased with adverbs than with nouns. (English Proverb)

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God looks to clean hands, not to full ones. (English Proverb)

God's a good man. (English Proverb)

He that after sinning mends, recommends himself to god. (English Proverb)

He that sows trusts in god. (English Proverb)

Great God is the ruler of all the gods.
(Egyptian Proverb)

May no lies be spoken against me in the presence of God. (Egyptian Proverb)

Clean as God's fingertips. (English Proverb)

No leaf shudders outside the will of God.
(Corsican Proverb)

Put it in the ground and trust in God.
(Corsican Proverb)

The soul belongs to God, and possessions to their owners. (Corsican Proverb)

The soul to God, and the body to the Earth.
(Corsican Proverb)

Where money is lacking, God provides.
(Corsican Proverb)

Even a leaf does not flutter on the tree without
the will of god.(Cuban Proverb)

God made us and we wonder at it.
(Cuban Proverb)

God's mills mill slowly, but surely.
(Czech Proverb)

God gives every bird its food, but does not
throw it into the nest.(Danish Proverb)

What you are God's gift to you what you do
with yourself is your gift to God.
(Danish Proverb)

Everything has an end except God.
(Dutch Proverb)

God is our general in time of war.
(Bosnian Proverb)

If god does not grant you glory, be content
with fame.(Brazilian Proverb)

God promises a safe landing but not a smooth passage. (Bulgarian Proverb)

If God should listen to rooks, he should send a plague to horses. (Bulgarian Proverb)

You can even be a God, if you try.
(Burmese Proverb)

God cures and the doctor gets paid.
(Chilean Proverb)

The evil is dreaded by men but not heaven; the kind-hearted is cheated by mortals but not God. (Chinese Proverb)

Though you don't believe in other gods, you believe in the god of thunder; though you don't believe in medicine generally, you believe in laxatives. (Chinese Proverb)

God gives the wheat, He doesn't bake the bread. (Austrian Proverb)

Two in harmony are in god's company.
(Argentine Proverb)

The voice of the people is the will of god.
(Argentine Proverb)

God provides for the blind vulture.
(Bambara Proverb)

Trust in God, but tie your camel.

(Arabic Proverb)

Desire of God and desire of man are two.

(Bengali Proverb)

Trust in Allah, but tie your camel first.

(Arabic Proverb)

Unless a man is simple, he cannot recognize God, the Simple One. (Bengali Proverb)

Trust Allah, but tie up your camel.

(Arabic Proverb)

God don't like ugly. (Bajan Proverb)

Tie your camel and rely on God.

(Arabic Proverb)

Unless a man is simple, he cannot recognize God, the Simple One. (Bengali Proverb)

Trust Allah, but tie up your camel.

(Arabic Proverb)

Complaining to someone other than God is disgraceful. (Arabic Proverb)

God loves him who cares for the poor more than him who respects the wealthy.

(Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

Human thinks and God plans.

(Arabic Proverb)

God's hand is with those who work in groups.

(Arabic Proverb)

God sends clothes to those with no proper figure, and bread to those with no teeth.

(Arabic Proverb)

God gives time but doesn't ignore.

(Arabic Proverb)

Trust in god but lock your car.

(Albnian Proverb)

God creates 40 people with the same looks.

(Arabic Proverb)

God helps those who help themselves.

(Albanian Proverb)

God does not ask to withstand more than is possible.(Albanian Proverb)

When you're a stranger in a land, if good comes to it may you have you share and if bad comes let it go to the owners of the land who know what gods should be appeased.

(African Proverb)

When you lose on the drum-beating if the gods, you lose on the rhythm and pace of life.
(African Proverb)

What the gods keep for the poor, no man can destroy.(African Proverb)

The voices of the ancestors are the voices of the gods.(African Proverb)

Praise of the moon the god.(African Proverb)

He who drinks wine without libation is a traitor to the gods.(African Proverb)

A sin against a brother or sister is an offence against the gods.(African Proverb)

He that dines with the gods must do so with a very long spoon.(African Proverb)

She is beautiful; she has love, understands; she respects herself and others; everyone likes, loves and honors her; she is a goddess.
(African Proverb)

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A sin against a brother or sister is an offence against the gods. (African Proverb)

He that dines with the gods must do so with a very long spoon. (African Proverb)

In childhood you are playful, in youth you are lustful in old age you are feeble, so when will you before God be worshipful?
(Afghan Proverb)

Unless God does it, what can a doctor do?
(Afghan Proverb)

If you don't recognize God, at least know Him by His power. (Afghan Proverb)

God said, God said, "Eat and drink," but He didn't say, "Gorge to the full." (Afghan Proverb)

God isn't in need of our prayers.
(Afghan Proverb)

God has said, God has said, "Start moving so that I may start blessing." (Afghan Proverb)

Fear the person who doesn't fear God.
(Afghan Proverb)

Allah has said, "Start moving so that I may start blessing". (Afghan Proverb)

If you fear God, you won't fear humans.
(Albanian Proverb)

He who does not know is forgiven by God.
(African Proverb)

God conceals himself from the mind of man,
but reveals himself to his heart.
(African Proverb)

Though God is almighty, he doesn't send rain
from a clear sky.(Afghan Proverb)

God gives nothing to those who keep their
arms crossed.(Bambara Proverb)

When the thief has stolen from a thief, God
laughs in heaven.(Armenian Proverb)

Trust in Allah, but tie up your camel.
(Arab Proverb)

Put your trust in God, and keep your powder
dry.(American Proverb)

God is big, but the forest is bigger.
(Brazilian Proverb)

If God were not forgiving, heaven would be
empty.(Berber Proverb)

God is a busy worker but loves to be helped.
(Basque Proverb)

Do not walk in God's ways on someone else's behalf.(Bambara Proverb)

God gives nothing to those who keep their arms crossed.(Bambara Proverb)

When the thief has stolen from a thief, God laughs in heaven.(Armenian Proverb)

Trust in Allah, but tie up your camel.
(Arab Proverb)

The hand of God is with the group.
(Arab Proverb)

Once you have found your rhythm, you will then know your God.(Arab Proverb)

God is not without sins: He created the world.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

We ain't what we want to be; we ain't what we gonna be; but thank God, we ain't what we was.(American Proverb)

God gives but does not lock the gate.
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God is a busy worker but loves to be helped.
(Basque Proverb)

God and fairies can be wrong as well.
(Chinese Proverb)

Eighteen daughters beautiful as goddesses are not as good as one crippled son.
(Chinese Proverb)

The farmer hopes for rain, the walker hopes for sunshine, and the gods hesitate.
(Chinese Proverb)

When men speak of the future, the gods laugh. (Chinese Proverb)

You burn incense before the god, and then topple him. (Chinese Proverb)

God sends men cold according to their clothes.
(Danish Proverb)

God permits the wicked; but not for ever.

(Danish Proverb)

God never sends mouths but he sends meat.

(Danish Proverb)

God help the sheep when the wolf is judge.

(Danish Proverb)

God gives the will, necessity gives the law.

(Danish Proverb)

God gives all birds their food but does not drop it into their nests. (Danish Proverb)

God feeds the birds that use their wings.

(Danish Proverb)

God cometh with leaden feet, but striketh with iron hands. (Danish Proverb)

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God feeds the birds that use their wings.

(Danish Proverb)

God cometh with leaden feet, but striketh with iron hands. (Danish Proverb)

God comes at last, when we think he is farthest off. (Danish Proverb)

God cures, and the doctor gets the money.
(Dutch Proverb)

Everything has an end with the exception of
God.(Dutch Proverb)

What the gods make, the planet can find use
for.(Darkovan Proverb)

Take care how you beseech the gods for a gift,
for they will give it to you.(Darkovan Proverb)

Not even a god can bring back the leaves that
have fallen.(Darkovan Proverb)

Kinsmen are born, but friendship is a gift of
the gods.(Darkovan Proverb)

Give the Goddess her due, even when her due
is grief.(Darkovan Proverb)

God sent him meat, but the devil cooked it.
(Dutch Proverb)

God sells knowledge for labor, honor for risk.
(Dutch Proverb)

God gives birds their food, but they must fly
for it.(Dutch Proverb)

God does not pay weekly, but He pays at the
end.(Dutch Proverb)

God deliver me from a man of one book.

(Dutch Proverb)

The farther from Rome the nearer to God.

(Dutch Proverb)

God and man think him a fool who brags of his of his own great wisdom. (French Proverb)

A silent woman is a gift from God.

(French Proverb)

A party of two is that of God; of three of the king; of four is of the devil. (French Proverb)

God and man think him a fool who brags of his of his own great wisdom. (French Proverb)

A silent woman is a gift from God.

(French Proverb)

A party of two is that of God; of three of the king; of four is of the devil. (French Proverb)

One, who recovers from sickness, forgets about God. (Ethiopian Proverb)

God visits us, but most of the time we are not at home. (French Proverb)

God visits us often, but most of the time we are not home. (French Proverb)

God save you from a man who has but one business. (French Proverb)

God save me from those I trust in.
(French Proverb)

God puts a good root in the little pig's way.
(French Proverb)

God often visits us, but most of the time we are not at home. (French Proverb)

To grow rich one has only to turn his back on God. (French Proverb)

He who is near the Church is often far from God. (French Proverb)

God is everywhere, except where he has a delegate. (German Proverb)

God gives, but man must open his hand.
(German Proverb)

God gives us nuts but he does not crack them for us. (German Proverb)

God gives the nuts, but He does not crack them. (German Proverb)

God gave us hands but He doesn't build bridges with them. (German Proverb)

God forgives sinners; otherwise His heaven would be empty.(German Proverb)

God cures the sick, and the doctor gets the money.(German Proverb)

A good soldier has only three things to think about; the king, God, and nothing.
(German Proverb)

God is everywhere, except where he has a delegate.(German Proverb)

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God forgives sinners; otherwise His heaven would be empty.(German Proverb)

O what we must suffer for the sake of God's church! Said the abbot, when the roast fowl burned his fingers.(German Proverb)

The nearer the church the farther from God.
(German Proverb)

Call on God, but row away from the rocks.
(Indian Proverb)

Abuse is like a god that destroys his master.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

God laughs when you steal from a thief.
(Indian Proverb)

The mills of the gods grind slowly but they grind finely.(Irish Proverb)

You have to believe in gods to see them.
(Indian Proverb)

When we take one step toward to God, he takes seven steps toward us.(Indian Proverb)

Since love departs at dawn, create, O God, a night that has no morn.(Indian Proverb)

God sends us the meat, but it is the Devil who sends us cooks.(Italian Proverb)

God sends nothing but what can be borne.
(Italian Proverb)

God save you from a bad neighbor, and from a beginner on the fiddle.(Italian Proverb)

God save me from one who does not drink.
(Italian Proverb)

God save me from him who studies but one book.(Italian Proverb)

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God save me from him who studies but one book.(Italian Proverb)

God save me from him who has but one occupation.(Italian Proverb)

God save me from a bad neighbor and a beginner on the fiddle.(Italian Proverb)

To become rich in this world, it needs only to turn ones back on God.(Italian Proverb)

To a weaving that has begun, God sends threads.(Italian Proverb)

God detests a man who rushes to accuse a neighbor.(Jewish Proverb)

God created a world full of little worlds.
(Jewish Proverb)

God could not be everywhere and therefore He made mothers. (Jewish Proverb)

If triangles had a God, He'd have three sides. (Jewish Proverb)

If God were living on earth, people would break His windows. (Jewish Proverb)

God will provide -- ah, if only He would till He does! (Jewish Proverb)

God is closest to those with broken hearts. (Jewish Proverb)

God is a father, happiness is a stepfather. (Jewish Proverb)

God did not create woman from man's head, that he should command her, nor from his feet, that she should be his slave, but rather from his side, which she should be near his heart. (Jewish Proverb)

God could not be everywhere, that's why he made mothers. (Jewish Proverb)

God detests a man who rushes to accuse a neighbor. (Jewish Proverb)

God created a world full of little worlds. (Jewish Proverb)

God could not be everywhere and therefore He made mothers. (Jewish Proverb)

Dear God: You do such wonderful things for complete strangers; why not for me?
(Jewish Proverb)

A man if he lives alone is either a god or a demon. (Latin Proverb)

God created women and women created the hearth. (Kurdish Proverb)

The nearer to the synagogue, the farther from God. (Jewish Proverb)

Every little blade of grass declares the presence of God. (Latin Proverb)

God will be present, whether asked or not.
(Latin Proverb)

God sends meat, but the Devil sends cooks.
(Latin Proverb)

God and nature do not work together in vain.
(Latin Proverb)

Many meet the gods, but few salute them.
(Latin Proverb)

Better to be guilty in the eyes of men than in the eyes of God.(Malagasy Proverb)

The church is nearby, God is far away.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Do good and throw it into the sea -- if it is not appreciated by an ungrateful man, it will be appreciated by God.(Lebanese Proverb)

To be in love and act wisely is scarcely granted to a god.(Latin Proverb)

When one is in trouble, one remembers God.(Nigerian Proverb)

Allah preserves us from "If only I'd known!"
(Nigerian Proverb)

He who doesn't speak will get no help from God.(Mexican Proverb)

Your soul to God, your body to dust, your property to your relatives, because thus it has been found written.(Maltese Proverb)

God grant me a good sword and no use for it.
(Polish Proverb)

The tongue of men is the whip of God.
(Persian Proverb)

It is not from the love of God that the cat catches mice. (Persian Proverb)

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God gives to us according to the measure of our hearts. (Persian Proverb)

God gives the milk, but not the pail. (Romanian Proverb)

Before you find God, you will be eaten by saints. (Romanian Proverb)

He is an old saint; any may leave it in the hands of God. (Portuguese Proverb)

God heals, and the doctor gets the money. (Portuguese Proverb)

God has given nuts to one who has no teeth. (Portuguese Proverb)

God grant me to dispute with those who understand me. (Portuguese Proverb)

Trust in God, but mind your own business. (Russian Proverb)

Your body belongs to the Tsar, your soul to God, and you're back to the squire.

(Russian Proverb)

God knows why he has made the wings of some birds shorter. (Slovenian Proverb)

Your body belongs to the Tsar, your soul to God, and you're back to the squire.

(Russian Proverb)

When he mounts his horse he forgets God; when he dismounts, he forgets his horse.

(Russian Proverb)

The past is for God, the future for the Tsars. (Russian Proverb)

Pray to God, but keep on rowing to the shore. (Russian Proverb)

Honor goes to God; the priests get the bacon. (Russian Proverb)

God wanted to punish mankind, so he created lawyers. (Russian Proverb)

God wanted to chastise mankind, so he sent lawyers. (Russian Proverb)

God is always where we don't look for him. (Russian Proverb)

Italians talk to women, Frenchmen to the learned, and the Spaniard talks to God.

(Spanish Proverb)

God defend you from the devil, the eye of a harlot, and the turn of a die. (Spanish Proverb)

He who leaves his people will be left by God. (Spanish Proverb)

God cures, and the doctor takes the fee. (Spanish Proverb)

He who does not speak, God does not hear. (Spanish Proverb)

God comes to see without ringing the bell. (Spanish Proverb)

Go in God's name, for he takes a loaf of mine. (Spanish Proverb)

God, healeth, and the physician hath the thanks. (Spanish Proverb)

From a praying young man, and a fasting old man, God preserve my cloak. (Spanish Proverb)

God will provide, but a good bundle of straw will not be amiss. (Spanish Proverb)

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God will listen to you whatever cloak you wear. (Spanish Proverb)

God take you, pound of flax, drunk out and not yet spun. (Spanish Proverb)

God keep you from "It is too late." (Spanish Proverb)

God is a good worker but He loves to be helped. (Spanish Proverb)

God grant, dear wife, that this son be ours. (Spanish Proverb)

God grant you good fortune, my son, for knowledge avails you little. (Spanish Proverb)

The voice of the people is the voice of God.
(Spanish Proverb)

Take what you want, God said to man, and pay for it.(Spanish Proverb)

Peter is so godly that God does not improve his condition.(Spanish Proverb)

God lets things go -- but only to a point.
(Swiss Proverb)

God gives every bird his worm, but He does not throw it into the nest.(Swedish Proverb)

God is our neighbor when our brother is absent.(Swahili Proverb)

Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad.(Spanish Proverb)

Against stupidity, the gods themselves contend in vain.(Traditional Proverb)

A blank page is God's way of showing you how hard it is to be God.(Traditional Proverb)

He who has had enough to eat thinks of serving God; the hungry think of stealing.
(Tibetan Proverb)

God defend me from my friends; from my enemies I can defend myself.

(Traditional Proverb)

God couldn't be everywhere, so he created mothers.

(Traditional Proverb)

Fear only two God, and the man who has no fear of God.

(Traditional Proverb)

Do you need proof of God? Does one light a torch to see the sun?

(Traditional Proverb)

God's most wondrous deeds one moment sunshine another moment shade.

(Traditional Proverb)

God will provide the victuals, but He will not cook the dinner.

(Traditional Proverb)

God will hold us responsible for all the wonderful things that we have refused to enjoy.

(Traditional Proverb)

God makes three requests of his children? Do the best you can, where you are, with what you have, now?

(Traditional Proverb)

God has created us brothers but has given us separate purses.

(Traditional Proverb)

God gives no linen, but flax to spin.

(Traditional Proverb)

Do you need proof of God? Does one light a torch to see the sun?(Traditional Proverb)

Listen to your enemy, for God is talking.

(Traditional Proverb)

One is equally indebted to ones teacher and to God.(Traditional Proverb)

Man, know thyself ... and thou shalt know the gods.(Traditional Proverb)

Man does what he can, God does what he will.(Traditional Proverb)

When in prayer you clasp your hands, God opens His.(Traditional Proverb)

The grace of God is found between the saddle and the ground.(Traditional Proverb)

The body is the house of God. That is why it is said, 'Man know thyself.'(Traditional Proverb)

Allah gave hunger to one and hunger to another.(Turkish Proverb)

Where there is God, there is no need.
(Traditional Proverb)

Work as if everything depended upon you, and
pray as if everything depended upon God.

(Traditional Proverb)

God made low branches for birds that cannot
fly so well. (Turkish Proverb)

For the birds that cannot soar, God has
provided low branches. (Turkish Proverb)

When two poor men help each other, God
laughs. (Walloon Proverb)

God sits on high and he sees far.
(Ukranian Proverb)

God is looking for those who come to Him.
(Ukranian Proverb)

God postpones, he does not overlook.
(Turkish Proverb)

Tie your camel, and then trust in Allah.
(Traditional Proverb)

No way on God's green earth.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fear him who fears not God.
(Traditional Proverb)

God likes help when helping people.

(Traditional Proverb)

God save all here, barren the cat.

(Traditional Proverb)

God's green acre.(Traditional Proverb)

God's green earth.(Traditional Proverb)

Death is God's broom.(Swedish Proverb)

Right or wrong, God aid our purpose.

(Spanish Proverb)

The Mother of God appears to fools.

(Spanish Proverb)

Trust in God upon good security.

(Spanish Proverb)

He who reforms, God assists.

(Spanish Proverb)

Pray to God, but hammer away.

(Spanish Proverb)

For a chaste woman God is enough.

(Spanish Proverb)

God delays but doesn't forget.

(Spanish Proverb)

God does not smite with both hands.

(Spanish Proverb)

God helps the early riser. (Spanish Proverb)

God made us, and we admire ourselves.

(Spanish Proverb)

God makes the back to the burden.

(Spanish Proverb)

God writes straight with crooked lines.

(Spanish Proverb)

God helps them that help themselves.

(Portuguese Proverb)

God permits, but not for ever.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Every day is a messenger of God.

(Russian Proverb)

God writes on crooked lines.

(South American Proverb)

People in trouble remember Allah.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Fear those who do not fear God.

(Persian Proverb)

God provides, but He needs a nudge.

(Persian Proverb)

God pays, but not weekly wages.

(Polish Proverb)

God gives clothes according to the cold.

(Portuguese Proverb)

God helps them that help themselves.

(Portuguese Proverb)

God permits, but not for ever.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Every day is a messenger of God.

(Russian Proverb)

God doesn't give more beards than soap.

(Russian Proverb)

People in trouble remember Allah.

(Nigerian Proverb)

The gods assist the industrious.

(Latin Proverb)

Whom the gods love dies young.

(Latin Proverb)

God hears things upside down.

(Lebanese Proverb)

God gave teeth; He will give bread.

(Lithuanian Proverb)

God did not give wings to scorpions.

(Mexican Proverb)

God is bigger than your problems.

(Mexican Proverb)

God speaks a foreign tongue.

(Namibian Proverb)

Hold short services for minor gods.

(Nepalese Proverb)

Even the gods are conciliated by offerings.

(Latin Proverb)

For God and our country. (Latin Proverb)

God enriches. [Ditat Deus] (Latin Proverb)

God sends enough to all. (Latin Proverb)

God, King, Country. (Latin Proverb)

All things are possible with God.

(Latin Proverb)

Don't bargain with God. (Jewish Proverb)

God counts her tears. (Jewish Proverb)

God gave burdens, also shoulders.

(Jewish Proverb)

God made man because he loves stories.

(Jewish Proverb)

God sends burdens... and shoulders.

(Jewish Proverb)

God gave burdens, also shoulders.

(Jewish Proverb)

God made man because he loves stories.

(Jewish Proverb)

God sends burdens... and shoulders.

(Jewish Proverb)

People worry, and God smiles.

(Jewish Proverb)

Near the church far from God.

(Italian Proverb)

God lives in an honest heart.

(Japanese Proverb)

Children aren't dogs; adults aren't gods.

(Haitian Proverb)

The pencil of God has no eraser.

(Haitian Proverb)

First God, then the white man.

(Indian Proverb)

God often pays debts without money.

(Irish Proverb)

God often pays debts without money.

(Irish Proverb)

God's help is nearer than the door.

(Irish Proverb)

Diseases are the visits of God.

(Italian Proverb)

God gives a curst one short horns.

(Italian Proverb)

God gives us milk but no jug.

(German Proverb)

God helps the strongest. (German Proverb)

God's friends, the priest's foe.

(German Proverb)

Man proposes, God disposes.

(German Proverb)

The people's voice, God's voice.

(German Proverb)

God laughs at man's proposal.

(Georgian Proverb)

God is the comfort of the poor.

(Georgian Proverb)

God saves the moon from the wolves.

(French Proverb)

God's work is soon done. (French Proverb)

God alone understands fools.

(French Proverb)

God helps him who helps himself.

(French Proverb)

God knows who is a good pilgrim.

(French Proverb)

God made hands before knives.

(French Proverb)

God did not create haste. (Finnish Proverb)

One God, one wife, but many friends.

(Dutch Proverb)

God gives little folks small gifts.

(Danish Proverb)

Truth is God's daughter. (Danish Proverb)

God is good, but not crazy.

(Basque Proverb)

God heals, but the doctor gets paid.

(Belgian Proverb)

God pardons the ignorant.(Berber Proverb)

God writes straight even on wavy lines.

(Brazilian Proverb)

God does not pay every Saturday.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

God forgives the sin of gluttony.

(Catalonian Proverb)

Drunkards talk to the gods.(Chinese Proverb)

Cats don't catch mice to please God.

(Afghan Proverb)

Allah does not love the aggressors.

(Arab Proverb)

Fear not the man who fears God.

(Arab Proverb)

GOLD:

The ring of gold is never so red that it is not dispensed with for breads. (Swedish Proverb)

To speak is silver, to keep silent is gold.
(Swedish Proverb)

A virgin may travel alone at midnight and be safe, and a purse of gold dropped in the road at midday will never be stolen.
(Syrian Proverb)

A chameleon acquires gold. (Thai Proverb)

Wrapped within rags might be gold.
(Thai Proverb)

If speaking is silver, then listening is gold.
(Turkish Proverb)

People are the thing: if i call 'gold,' gold does not respond; if i call 'clothes,' clothes do not respond; people are the thing. (Twi Proverb)

Everything that is yellow is not gold.
(Welsh Proverb)

The horns of the sister are horns of gold; the horns of the wife are true horns.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Where the gold jingles more, I run more quickly. (Sicilian Proverb)

Salt comes from north, gold from south and silver from the land of Whites, but the Word of God, the famous things, histories and fairy tales, we only find them in Timbuktu. (Sudanese Proverb)

Not everything that glimmers is gold. (Swedish Proverb)

He that has gold may buy land. (Scottish Proverb)

Chiaromonte, a mountain of gold, every woman is a treasure. (Sicilian Proverb)

Gold attracts a crowd. (Sicilian Proverb)

Men are not weighed by hundredweight, but by the ounce, like gold. (Sicilian Proverb)

Old friends and old wine and old gold are best. (Romanian Proverb)

Not every glittering thing is gold. (Russian Proverb)

The word is silver, the silence is gold. (Russian Proverb)

Not everything that shines is gold.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Fire is the test of gold.(Romanian Proverb)

Fire is the test of gold; adversity of friendship.

(Romanian Proverb)

Gold is tried in the fire.(Romanian Proverb)

He that labors and thrives spins gold.

(Romanian Proverb)

Not everything that shines is gold.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A good name is better than gold.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Build with silver and cover with gold.

(Omani Proverb)

May God strike the rich man blind by his own

gold.(Persian Proverb)

Gold, when beaten, shines.(Peruvian Proverb)

Love looks through spectacles that make
copper look like gold, poverty like riches, and
tears like pearls.(Peruvian Proverb)

Not all that glitters is gold.(Mexican Proverb)

Though the cage is made of gold, it's still a prison. (Mexican Proverb)

A crucible for silver and a furnace for gold, but Allah test the heart. (Moroccan Proverb)

Like a gold ring in a pig snout is a woman without discretion. (Moroccan Proverb)

Gold like the sun melts wax and hardens clay. (Namibian Proverb)

Gold rain drops on a foreign country, where else rain of stones drops on our country, but our country is better. (Malay Proverb)

One can pay back the loan of gold, but one dies forever in debt to those who are kind. (Malay Proverb)

All that glitters is not gold, and all that is sticky is not tar. (Lithuanian Proverb)

Better April showers than the breadth of the ocean in gold. (Irish Proverb)

There is a crock of gold in the tomb of every chieftain, but they are all guarded by cats and fairies. (Irish Proverb)

A cage made of gold does not feed the bird inside of it. (Italian Proverb)

Gold and green woods. (Icelandic Proverb)

Gold glitters in what is thrown away.
(Icelandic Proverb)

Under the mountains is silver and gold, But
under the night sky, hunger and cold.
(Indian Proverb)

Every honest miller has a thumb of gold.
(Icelandic Proverb)

He who gets up early finds gold.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Liberty is dearer than gold.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Rust cannot do any harm to gold.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Gold is gold even in the mud.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Own home is worth gold. (Finnish Proverb)

Talking is silver, silence is gold.
(German Proverb)

A drop of wisdom is better than a sea of gold.
(Greek Proverb)

Gypsy gold does not chink and glitter, it
gleams in the sun and neighs in the dark.
(Gypsy Proverb)

Old is gold.(English Proverb)

What cannot gold do?(English Proverb)

What is gold is worth gold.(English Proverb)

Earth is more precious than gold
.(Estonian Proverb)

Wool is the gold of the Faroes.
(Faroese Proverb)

Gold dust blinds all eyes.(English Proverb)

Gold is part of a plot.(English Proverb)

All that glisters is not gold.(English Proverb)

An inch of gold will not buy an inch of time.
(English Proverb)

Beauty provoketh thieves sooner than
gold.(English Proverb)

Speaking is silver, being silent is gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

The best gold is supplé.(Corsican Proverb)

A good deed is worth gold. (Dutch Proverb)

A smile worth a thousand ounces of gold.
(Chinese Proverb)

An inch of time is an inch of gold, but an inch of time cannot be purchased for an inch of gold. (Chinese Proverb)

Pure gold does not fear furnace.
(Chinese Proverb)

Read critically, and you will find each word worth a thousand ounces of gold.
(Chinese Proverb)

Pure gold does not fear furnace.
(Chinese Proverb)

Even if the nightingale is in a gold cage, she still dreams of returning to the forest.
(Armenian Proverb)

Time is made of gold. (Arabic Proverb)

If you dress in gold or silk, you are still the same green grocer. (Arabic Proverb)

If talk is silver then silence is gold.
(Arabic Proverb)

No friendship can survive the gift of gold.

(Albanian Proverb)

If it were not for eating, the back might wear gold.

(Albanian Proverb)

Get what you can, and what you get, hold; it's the stone that will turn all your lead into gold.

(Albanian Proverb)

A donkey is but a donkey though laden with gold.

(Albanian Proverb)

Even if a knife is made of gold, a person won't stab his own heart with it.

(Afghan Proverb)

A woman is like the moon-some nights it is silver others gold.

(Armenian Proverb)

A mule laden with gold is welcome at every castle.

(Armenian Proverb)

There are three things that can destroy a preacher, the glory, the gold, and the girls.

(American Proverb)

An inch of time is an inch of gold, but you can't buy that inch of time with an inch of gold.

(Chinese Proverb)

An inch of time cannot be bought with an inch of gold.

(Chinese Proverb)

A book holds a house of gold.

(Chinese Proverb)

Gold has its price; learning is beyond price.

(Chinese Proverb)

Gold and silver are mingled with dirt, till
avarice parted them. (Chinese Proverb)

The miser does not own the gold; it is the gold
that owns the miser. (Chinese Proverb)

Real gold is not afraid of the melting pot.

(Chinese Proverb)

Gold and silver are mingled with dirt, till
avarice parted them. (Chinese Proverb)

You can't buy an inch of time with an inch of
gold. (Chinese Proverb)

Yellow gold is plentiful compared to white-
haired friends. (Chinese Proverb)

Gold is proved in the fire, friendship in
need. (Danish Proverb)

Gold is gold, though it is in a rogue's
purse. (Danish Proverb)

A hearth of your own is worth gold.
(Danish Proverb)

Save three pieces of gold and the fourth one will fall into your lap. (Croatian Proverb)

Though the ass may carry a sack of gold, it nevertheless feeds on thistles.

(Danish Proverb)

It is good to make a bridge of gold to a flying enemy. (Danish Proverb)

A good friend is better than silver and gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

All my goods are of silver and gold, even my copper kettle, says the boaster.

(Dutch Proverb)

A handful of trade, a handful of gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

A good friend is better than silver and gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

Chains of gold are stronger than chains of iron. (English Proverb)

That's all well and good, but gold is better.

(Dutch Proverb)

Poor thieves in halters we behold; and great thieves in their chains of gold.

(English Proverb)

A man of straw is worth a woman of gold.

(French Proverb)

A good name is better than a girdle of gold.

(French Proverb)

A beautiful maxim in the memory is like a piece of gold in the purse. (French Proverb)

All that glitters is not gold, nor all that sparkles silver. (Finnish Proverb)

No lock will hold against the power of gold.

(French Proverb)

Hares are caught with hounds, fools with praise, and women with gold.

(German Proverb)

Gold lies deep in the mountain, dirt on the highway. (German Proverb)

Better your own copper than another man's gold. (Georgian Proverb)

That usury is a sin some hold, but take for granted they've no gold. (German Proverb)

So it goes in the world: one has the purse, the other has the gold. (German Proverb)

With houses and gold, men are rarely bold.

(German Proverb)

Whore or thief young or old, welcome so you've got the gold.

(German Proverb)

Better a drop of wisdom than an ocean of gold.

(Greek Proverb)

A man of straw needs a woman of gold.

(Italian Proverb)

Better gain in mud than lose in gold.

(Italian Proverb)

The just man may sin with an open chest of gold before him.

(Italian Proverb)

If it were not for the belly, the back might wear gold.

(Italian Proverb)

Gold's father is dirt, yet it regards itself as noble.

(Jewish Proverb)

Better an ounce of luck than a pound of gold.

(Jewish Proverb)

Better an ounce of happiness than a pound of gold.

(Jewish Proverb)

One written word is worth a thousand pieces of gold.

(Japanese Proverb)

He who has gold is served by the devil.

(Japanese Proverb)

Even a fool knows the glow of gold.

(Japanese Proverb)

A wild goose may be worth a hundred pieces of gold, but you first have to spend three pieces of gold to buy an arrow. (Japanese Proverb)

A good cat does not need a collar of gold.

(Japanese Proverb)

A ring of gold in a sow's nostril. (Latin Proverb)

What you give for the cause of charity in health is gold; what you give in sickness is silver; what you give after death is lead.

(Jewish Proverb)

Hay is more acceptable to an ass than gold.

(Latin Proverb)

Fetters of gold are still fetters, and silken cords pinch. (Latin Proverb)

Eloquence avails nothing against the voice of gold. (Latin Proverb)

Believe not that all that shines is gold.

(Latin Proverb)

An ape is an ape, though decked with gold.
(Latin Proverb)

Sleep on a bed of silver and dream of gold.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Not all that glitters is gold; not all that is
sticky is tar.(Lithuanian Proverb)

If the walls were adamant, gold would take the
town.(Liberian Proverb)

Tis gold, Which makes the true man killed,
and saves the thief; Nay, sometimes hangs
both thief and true man; what Can it not do,
and undo?(Latin Proverb)

Tis folly to love fetters, though they be of gold.
(Latin Proverb)

Riches too increase, and the maddening
craving for gold, So that men ever seek for
more, that they may have the most.
(Latin Proverb)

A mother is gold, a father is a mirror.
(Nigerian Proverb)

If you are sick, think about your life; if you are
better, think about your gold.
(Mongolian Proverb)

Though a cage may be made of gold, it is still a cage. (Mexican Proverb)

Gold is a debt we can repay, but kindness not till our dying day. (Malawian Proverb)

I hate fetters though they be of gold.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A man of straw is better than a woman of gold. (Portuguese Proverb)

I hate fetters though they be of gold.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A man of straw is better than a woman of gold.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A donkey decked in gold is better than an over-laden horse. (Spanish Proverb)

The truth is like gold: keep it locked up and you will find it exactly as you first put it away. (Senegalese Proverb)

Law is a flag and gold is the wind that makes it wave. (Russian Proverb)

Better a bed of wood than a bier of gold.
(Russian Proverb)

A sin of gold is followed by a punishment of lead. (Russian Proverb)

An ounce of state to a pound of gold.
(Spanish Proverb)

There is no lock, if the pick is of gold.
(Spanish Proverb)

In a house of gold the clocks are of lead.
(Swiss Proverb)

The rubbish we speak is like froth on the water, actions are drops of gold.
(Tibetan Proverb)

In a house of gold the clocks are of lead.
(Swiss Proverb)

Gold does not rust on the ground, and rocks don't get soaked in the rain.
(Traditional Proverb)

Gold is tested by fire, people by God.
(Traditional Proverb)

Do not take as gold everything that shines like gold. [Non teneas aurum totum quod splendet ut aurum.](Traditional Proverb)

The streets of London are paved with gold.
(Traditional Proverb)

As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman which is without discretion.

(Traditional Proverb)

Gold that is lent goes away laughing and comes back in tears.

(Turkish Proverb)

Gold takes no rust.

(Turkish Proverb)

Learning Zen is a phenomenon of gold and dung. Before you understand it, it's like gold; after you understand it, it's like dung.

(Zen Proverb)

Spring rain, Fall gold.

(Traditional Proverb)

Nature's first green is gold.

(Traditional Proverb)

Gold that falls to earth never dims.

(Thai Proverb)

Under gold sheath a leaden knife.

(Spanish Proverb)

Gold bears more gold.

(Persian Proverb)

The lack of gold only a headache.

(Persian Proverb)

Gold without wisdom is but clay.

(Slovak Proverb)

Gold glitters even in the mud.

(Lithuanian Proverb)

Gold is proved by fire.(Latin Proverb)

Where gold avails, argument fails.

(German Proverb)

Women, fortune, and gold, favor fools.

(German Proverb)

Gold does not buy everything.

(Italian Proverb)

Gold is the devil's fishhook.(Italian Proverb)

Gold may be bought too dear.

(German Proverb)

Gold goes in at any gate.(German Proverb)

A church stone drops gold.(Gaelic Proverb)

One's own hearth is worth gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

Speaking is silver, silence is gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

Earth is dearer than gold.(Estonian Proverb)

Manure is the farmer's gold.(Estonian)

To withhold truth is to bury gold.

(Danish Proverb)

To-day in gold, to-morrow in the mould.

(Danish Proverb)

Pure gold does not fear the smelter.

(Chinese Proverb)

Better whole than patched in gold.

(Danish Proverb)

Every man thinks his copper is gold.

(Danish Proverb)

Silver and gold are all men's dears.

(Danish Proverb)

Gold is where you find it.(American Proverb)

GOLF:

All is fair in love and golf.

(American Proverb)

H CATEGORY

HABIT:

Habits don't expire until the soul expires.
(Turkish Proverb)

One time is no time - two times is a habit.
(Swedish Proverb)

Growing old is no more than another bad habit.(Spanish Proverb)

It is not the habit that makes the Monck.
(Scottish Proverb)

It is the habit that a child forms at home, that follows them to their marriage.
(Nigerian Proverb)

The habit of thinking is the habit of gaining strength.(Nigerian Proverb)

Who has a habit, will never leave it even if his finger gets cut.(Omani Proverb)

Bad habits are worse than rabies.
(Kurdish Proverb)

A habit is first a wanderer, then a guest, and finally the boss.(Hungarian Proverb)

Rima came back to her old habits.

(Arabic Proverb)

I tell no, I don't you no but the habit in you prevails. (Arabic Proverb)

A bad habit is like fire you can't play with it and expect not to get burnt. (African Proverb)

There has to be a first time for everything -- even our most natural habits.

(Arab Proverb)

Habit is the sixth sense that dominates the other five. (Arab Proverb)

Habits are cobwebs at first, cables at last.

(Chinese Proverb)

Wasting is a bad habit, saving is a sure income. (Dutch Proverb)

If you make a habit of buying things you do not need, you will soon be selling things you do. (Filipino Proverb)

The monk's habit is never so blessed that the devil can't hide in it. (German Proverb)

A nail is driven out by another nail; habit is overcome by habit. (Latin Proverb)

When a habit begins to cost money, it's called a hobby. (Jewish Proverb)

Habit in sinning takes away the sense of sin. (Latin Proverb)

Pursue that course which offers most advantages, habit will soon make it agreeable and easy. (Latin Proverb)

Habit is a shirt that we wear till death. (Russian Proverb)

A man's fortune has its form given to it by his habits. (Traditional Proverb)

A habit is a shirt made of iron. (Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers. (Traditional Proverb)

A good name is better than good habits. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Vice is often clothed in virtue's habit. (Traditional Proverb)

Habits are first cobwebs, then cables. (Spanish Proverb)

Habits are first gossamer then cables.

(Spanish Proverb)

Break the leg of a bad habit.

(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Every man has his peculiar habit.

(Latin Proverb)

Habit causes love.(Latin Proverb)

Habit gives readiness.(Latin Proverb)

Habit is second nature.(Latin Proverb)

Habit becomes second nature.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Habit is worse than rabies.(Kurdish Proverb)

Blushing is the paint of good habits.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Character is habit long continued.

(Greek Proverb)

Habit is the intelligence of the crowd.

(German Proverb)

Wherever you go, habit follows.

(Filipino Proverb)

Everything is formed by habit, even praying.
(Egyptian Proverb)

HAIR:

That was on the hair.(Swedish Proverb)

You cannot prevent the birds of sadness from passing over your head, but you can prevent them from nesting in your hair.(Swedish)

Take a hair of the dog that bit you.
(Traditional Proverb)

True wisdom is born with white hair.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Hair, and hair, makes the Charles head bare.
(Scottish Proverb)

All are not maidens that wears bare hair.
(Scottish Proverb)

Red hair; devil's hair.(Romanian Proverb)

The house is burning and Grandma is combing her hair.(Romanian Proverb)

Cry not for the hair when the head is off.
(Russian Proverb)

What you do in black hair you will eat in white hair. (Nigerian Proverb)

With a sweet tongue and kindness, you can drag an elephant by a hair. (Persian Proverb)

Often a troll-woman is under fair skin, and virtue under dark hair. (Icelandic Proverb)

A gentle hand may lead even an elephant by a hair. (Iranian Proverb)

Long hair, short wit. (Hungarian Proverb)

The bite of a dog is healed by the hair of it. (Hungarian Proverb)

Judge not the dog by its hair. (Finnish Proverb)

Hair of the dog that bit you. (English Proverb)

Sitting with the hands in the hair. (Dutch Proverb)

If the hair was precious, wouldn't grow on the ass. (Arabic Proverb)

You can't keep the birds from flying over your head, but you can keep them from building a nest in your hair. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is a comb which fate gives to a man when his hair is all gone.

(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot stop birds from flying over your head, but you can stop them nesting in your hair.(African Proverb)

When cats are hairdressers, rats will always go around with uncombed hair.

(African Proverb)

No matter how tall a camel is, it will never get taller than the hair on its back.(African)

If you see your brother being scalped, put water on your hair.(African Proverb)

He who swallows an old man vomits grey hair.(African Proverb)

Even a big elephant can be caught in one female hair.(Chinese Proverb)

You cannot prevent the birds of sorrow from flying over your head, but you can prevent them from building nests in your hair.

(Chinese Proverb)

Hair does not grow faster by being pulled.

(Danish Proverb)

Hair by hair and the head gets bald.

(Danish Proverb)

Though the bird may fly over your head, let it not make its nest in your hair.

(Danish Proverb)

It's bad combing where there is no hair.

(Dutch Proverb)

He that is bitten by a dog must apply some of its hair.(Dutch Proverb)

All is well, for if the bride has not fair hair, she has a fair skin.(Dutch Proverb)

There is no point in combing where there is no hair.(Dutch Proverb)

The fox may lose his hair, but not his cunning.(Dutch Proverb)

Take a hair of the dog that has bitten you.
(English Proverb)

How easily a hair gets into the butter!
(German Proverb)

Ever one hair, only one, and the man is bald at last.(German Proverb)

Misfortune, wood, and hair, grow throughout the year. (German Proverb)

A drowning man takes hold of his own hair. (Greek Proverb)

Gray hair is a sign of age, not of wisdom. (Greek Proverb)

A dog never bit me but I had some of his hair. (Italian Proverb)

The wolf changes his hair, but not his nature. (Latin Proverb)

By a sweet tongue and kindness, you can drag an elephant with a hair. (Persian Proverb)

A gentle hand may lead even an elephant by a single hair. (Persian Proverb)

All the wool is hair, more or less. (Portuguese Proverb)

Your feet are crooked, your hair is good for nothing, said the pig to the horse. (Russian Proverb)

No one is dragged to heaven by the hair. (Russian Proverb)

After the head is off, one does not cry over the hair. (Russian Proverb)

A woman's tongue is longer than her hair. (Russian Proverb)

A fox will lose its hair, but not its tricks. (Traditional Proverb)

An error no wider than a hair will lead a hundred miles astray. (Traditional Proverb)

When identified with the ego, the Self appears other than what it is. It may appear smaller than a hair's breadth. But know the Self to be infinite. (Traditional Proverb)

The bald woman boasts of her sister's hair. (Tunisian Proverb)

Another's care hangs by a hair. (Spanish Proverb)

Every hair casts its shadow. (Spanish Proverb)

Even a hair hath its shadow. (Latin Proverb)

It hangs by a hair. (Latin Proverb)

Better wise language than well combed hair. (Icelandic Proverb)

Fair hair may have foul roots.

(German Proverb)

Short hair is soon brushed.

(German Proverb)

Even a hair casts its shadow.

(German Proverb)

Fools never get grey hair. (French Proverb)

Long on hair, short on brains.

(French Proverb)

Children have a hair of their father.

(Belgian Proverb)

Beauty draws with a single hair.

(Danish Proverb)

Falseness often lurks beneath fair hair.

(Danish Proverb)

HAPPINESS:

The place where you are happy is better than the place you were born. (Tshi Proverb)

Happy is she who conducts herself honorably. (Yiddish Proverb)

Happy is he whose own faults prevent him from castigating the faults of others.

(Turkish Proverb)

The best part of happiness lies in the secret heart of a lover.

(Ugandan Proverb)

Who loves God with all his heart, lives happy and dies happy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Try to strike a happy medium.

(Spanish Proverb)

Happiness requires something to do, something to love and something to hope for.

(Swahili Proverb)

Patience attracts happiness; it brings near that which is far.

(Swahili Proverb)

Happy man, happy cavil.

(Scottish Proverb)

A hot sun with a lot of wind, I go home and I am happy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

During an epidemic doctors are happy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Happy are those who are well born, but happier are those who have a good death.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Health flows from the happiness of the heart.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to be happy, love the one who loves you, because it's a waste of time to love someone who doesn't love you.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to have a happy life, stay far away from your relatives. (Sicilian Proverb)

If the collective farm is wealthy, the farmer is happy. (Russian Proverb)

We use to live and spill tears, now we live and build happiness. (Russian Proverb)

Better be happy nor wise. (Scottish Proverb)

Money alone can't make one happy.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Money doesn't bring happiness.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Happiness can grow from only a little contentment. (Pygmy Proverb)

Content is happiness. (Romanian Proverb)

Happy is he who hath in himself praise and wisdom in life. (Norse Proverb)

Few desires, happy life. (Moroccan Proverb)

One man's shit is another's factory of bliss. (Moroccan Proverb)

If my neighbor is happy, my own work will go easier, too. (Macedonian Proverb)

A man without happiness is either not good or not well. (Mexican Proverb)

All time spent angry is time lost being happy. (Mexican Proverb)

Happiness is like a field you can harvest every season. (Luo Proverb)

Happiness is as good as food. (Maasai Proverb)

He who lives with hope dies happy. (Irish Proverb)

Many a happy colt makes a fine horse. (Irish Proverb)

The person who trusts is happy; the person who doubts is wise. (Hungarian Proverb)

Where ambition begins happiness ends.
(Hungarian Proverb)

If you always fear misfortune, you'll miss out on happiness. (Hebrew Proverb)

The best way to find happiness is not to search for it. (Hebrew Proverb)

True happiness consists in making others happy. (Hindu Proverb)

Happiness is a place between too little and too much. (Finnish Proverb)

He who would be happy should stay at home. (Greek Proverb)

A wise son makes his father happy; a foolish one grieves his mother. (Hebrew Proverb)

The riches of the mind may make a man rich and happy. (English Proverb)

Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise. (English Proverb)

Perhaps they are not stars in the sky, but rather openings where our loved ones smile down to let us know that they are happy. (Eskimo Proverb)

If ignorance is bliss, why aren't more people happy? (English Proverb)

If mama ain't happy, ain't nobody happy.
(English Proverb)

Kindness brings happiness. (English Proverb)

Happy is the bride the sun shines on.
(English Proverb)

Happy wife, happy life. (English Proverb)

A cobbler formed the shape of shoes on a wooden foot shaped last. If it lasted long he was happy. (English Proverb)

Kitten's are a child's instrument for happiness. (Cuban Proverb)

A deaf husband and a blind wife will always make a happy couple. (Danish Proverb)

A wise husband and a patient wife equal a peaceful home and a happy life.
(Dutch Proverb)

One man's happiness is another man's sadness. (Brazilian Proverb)

A life with love is happy; a life for love is foolish. (Chinese Proverb)

Happiness is something to do, something to love, something to hope for. (Chinese Proverb)

Happy is the man without sickness (Chinese Proverb)

One who knows the limit knows true happiness. (Chinese Proverb)

The day of happiness is short. (Arabic Proverb)

They are happy, the free men that have their fathers. (Bantu Proverb)

Real happiness is found not in doing the things you like to do, but in liking the things you have to do. (Albanian Proverb)

Happiness multiplies as we divide it with others. (Albanian Proverb)

Happiness is a form of courage. (Albanian Proverb)

Getting what you go after is called success, but liking it while you are getting it is called happiness. (Albanian Proverb)

Drink like hell and be happy. (Albanian)

Childhood should be happy and carefree.

(Albanian Proverb)

Be in general virtuous, and you will be happy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Let us be glad to those who make us happy for their gods who make our souls happy.

(African Proverb)

Happy is a man who goes hunting for rats and catches an elephant.

(African Proverb)

Happiness often sneaks through your door

when you left the door open.

(African Proverb)

Happiness is not perfected until it is shared.

(African Proverb)

Happiness is like a perfume, you cannot pour it all on others without allowing a few drops to fall on yourself.

(African Proverb)

If there is only bread and onions, still have a happy face.

(Afghan Proverb)

An inflated idea can burst the bubble of your happiness.

(Burmese Proverb)

If it does not kill you, it will bring you

happiness.

(American Proverb)

Beautiful girls are seldom happy, intelligent boys are seldom beautiful. (Chinese Proverb)

If you are not a fish, how can you know if the fish are happy? (Chinese Proverb)

Happy people never count hours as they pass. (Chinese Proverb)

Happy is the man without sickness. Rich is the man with no debts. (Chinese Proverb)

Happy is the man who knows he's happy. (Chinese Proverb)

Happiness is like a sunbeam, which the least shadow intercepts, while adversity is often as the rain in the spring. (Chinese Proverb)

Happiness has its roots -- sorrow has its womb. (Chinese Proverb)

You can never be happy at the expense of the happiness of others. (Chinese Proverb)

Happy is he who knows his follies in his youth. (Danish Proverb)

Happy he who can take warning from the mishaps of others. (Danish Proverb)

Rather a piece of bread with a happy heart
than wealth with grief. (Egyptian Proverb)

Wisdom in the man, patience in the wife,
brings peace to the house and a happy life.
(Dutch Proverb)

Whoso is tired of happy days, let him take a
wife. (Dutch Proverb)

A deaf husband and a blind wife are always a
happy couple. (French Proverb)

Happiness does not come from happiness
itself, but from the journey towards achieving
it. (Finnish Proverb)

Happy the marriage where the husband is the
head and the wife the heart. (Estonian Proverb)

What makes us discontented with our
condition is the absurdly exaggerated idea we
have of the happiness of others.
(French Proverb)

To make a happy couple, the husband must
be deaf and the wife blind. (French Proverb)

Happy the child whose father goes to the devil.
(French Proverb)

Happy is the man who has a handsome wife close to an abbey. (French Proverb)

Happy is the one who forgets that which cannot be changed. (German Proverb)

Happiness opens the arms and closes the eyes. (German Proverb)

No one is unhappier than the one who believes in happiness. (German Proverb)

No one is happier than he who believes in his happiness. (German Proverb)

Where you are not -- there is happiness. (German Proverb)

He who trusts is happy; the doubter is wise. (Hungarian Proverb)

Happiness you pay for is to be found everywhere. (Gypsy Proverb)

Marriages are all happy. It's having breakfast together that causes all the trouble. (Irish Proverb)

Happy is the woman whose husband does not speak to her. (Indian Proverb)

Happy is the country which has no history.
(Italian Proverb)

Happy is the bride that the sun shines on.
(Italian Proverb)

Happy is she who is in love with an old dotard.
(Italian Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well, therefore, to this day. (Indian Proverb)

Happiness that lasts too long spoils the heart.
(Italian Proverb)

Happy the generation where the great listen to the small, for it follows that in such a generation the small will listen to the great.
(Jewish Proverb)

God is a father, happiness is a stepfather.
(Jewish Proverb)

Better an ounce of happiness than a pound of gold. (Jewish Proverb)

Into the house where joy lives, happiness will gladly come. (Japanese Proverb)

Happiness rarely keeps company with an empty stomach. (Japanese Proverb)

Beat your wife on the wedding day, and your married life will be happy. (Japanese Proverb)

Happiness flies away from those who want it most. (Laotian Proverb)

The rabbi drinks the wine and asks the others to be happy. (Jewish Proverb)

Happy's the wooing that is not long a-doing. (Latin Proverb)

Happy the man who keeps out of strife. (Latin Proverb)

Happy is the man whose father went to the devil. (Latin Proverb)

Happy is the man who is out of debt. (Latin Proverb)

Happy are one-eyed men in the country of the blind. (Latin Proverb)

No man can be happy without a friend, or be sure of his friend till he is unhappy. (Latin Proverb)

If being well bearded brings happiness. a he-goat must be happier than any of us.

(Latin Proverb)

He is not happy who does not realize his happiness. (Latin Proverb)

If the townspeople are happy, look for the chief. (Liberian Proverb)

It is easier to be a happy bachelor for a year than a widower for a month.

(Lebanese Proverb)

Who cleans up the dirt washes away happiness. (Mongolian Proverb)

Divorce a young woman and you make another man happy. (Malagasy Proverb)

Woe is he who claims to have found happiness. (Persian Proverb)

Happiness is not a horse, you cannot harness it. (Russian Proverb)

Happy the house in which there is no shaven crown. (Spanish Proverb)

Happiness itself does not stay -- only moments of happiness do. (Spanish Proverb)

There is no happiness; there are only moments of happiness. (Spanish Proverb)

Spilled wine is a sign of happiness, but break the bed and all will have long faces. (Spanish Proverb)

A fool dreams of wealth a wise man, of happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

The person who gets stuck on petty happiness will not attain great happiness. (Tibetan Proverb)

If Saint Pauls day be fair and clear, it will betide a happy year. (Traditional Proverb)

He who plants a garden plants happiness. If you want to be happy for a lifetime, plant a garden. (Traditional Proverb)

He who has not learned to share his blessings with others has not found the true path to enduring happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

He who depends on himself will attain the greatest happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

Happy is the man to whom nature has given a sufficiency with even a sparing hand. (Traditional Proverb)

Happy is he whose friends were born before him. (Traditional Proverb)

HAPPINESS comes from sharing one's self and one's blessings. (Traditional Proverb)

An endurance test for some people is the pursuit of happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

Seeking happiness is a straight way to misery. (Traditional Proverb)

Perhaps they are not stars, but rather openings in heaven where the love of our lost ones pours through and shines down upon us to let us know they are happy. (Traditional Proverb)

Makes every yesterday a dream of happiness; and every tomorrow a vision of hope; Look well, therefore, to this day. (Traditional Proverb)

Simplicity: much happiness is lost in the pursuit of it. (Traditional Proverb)

While we pursue happiness, we flee from contentment. (Traditional Proverb)

Happiness is like crystal -- when it shines the most, it soon cracks. (Turkish Proverb)

Where ambition ends happiness begins.

(Traditional Proverb)

Where one is wise two are happy.

(Traditional Proverb)

Happy hours are very short.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

Happiness is made to be shared.

(Traditional Proverb)

Happy as a duck in water. (Traditional Proverb)

Being happy is better than being king.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Bribery makes both parties happy.

(Persian Proverb)

Where there is love, there is happiness.

(Polish Proverb)

What makes you happy makes you rich.

(Russian Proverb)

Obedience is the mother of happiness.

(Latin Proverb)

The memory of happiness makes misery

woeful. (Latin Proverb)

True happiness is places in virtue.

(Latin Proverb)

Happiness invites envy.(Latin Proverb)

Unhappiness can be a bridge to happiness.

(Japanese Proverb)

Happiness spring -- cleans the heart.

(Japanese Proverb)

When ambition ends, happiness begins.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Good pay makes happy workers.

(German Proverb)

He who plants a garden plants happiness.

(German Proverb)

All happiness is in the mind.

(English Proverb)

Happy nations have no history.

(Belgian Proverb)

Happiness and glass break easily.

(Danish Proverb)

Happiness does not give, it only lends.

(Danish Proverb)

Ignorance is bliss.(American Proverb)

Silence is the interpreter of happiness.
(Arab Proverb)

HASTE:

Haste is the enemy of perfection.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Haste often causes nasty things.
(Faroese Proverb)

Haste and speed are rarely good.
(Dutch Proverb)

Patience is the key of joy; but haste is the key
to sorrow.(Arabic Proverb)

Haste and hurry can only bear children with
many regrets.(African Proverb)

Men fated to be happy need not haste.
(Chinese Proverb)

Deceit is in haste, but honesty can wait a fair
leisure.(Danish Proverb)

Sickness comes in haste, and goes at
leisure.(Danish Proverb)

Of hasty counsel take good heed; for haste is very rarely speed. (Dutch Proverb)

He that is too much in haste, may stumble on a good road. (French Proverb)

If the bitch were not in haste, she would not litter blind puppies. (German Proverb)

Nothing should be done in haste but gripping a flea. (German Proverb)

We do in haste what we repent at leisure. (German Proverb)

The devil takes a hand in what is done in haste. (Kurdish Proverb)

After taking ninety-nine years to climb a stairway, the tortoise falls and says there is a curse on haste. (Maltese Proverb)

Haste and hurry can only bear children with many regrets along the way. (Senegalese Proverb)

He bites his tongue who speaks in haste. (Traditional Proverb)

Haste makes waste. (Traditional Proverb)

Haste does not result in prosperity.

(Swahili Proverb)

Haste has no blessing.

(Swahili Proverb)

Haste is from the Devil.

(Swahili Proverb)

Haste makes waste and waste makes want.

(Swahili Proverb)

Haste is good only for catching flies.

(Russian Proverb)

More haste, less speed.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Haste manages all things badly.

(Latin Proverb)

Haste trips up its own heels.

(Latin Proverb)

Make haste slowly.

(Latin Proverb)

Most haste, worst speed.

(Latin Proverb)

God did not create haste.

(Finnish Proverb)

Marry in haste and repent at leisure.

(Dutch Proverb)

Nothing in haste but catching fleas.

(Dutch Proverb)

Haste is the mother of imperfection.

(Brazilian Proverb)

Haste bequeaths disappointment.

(African Proverb)

Haste is the mother of inaccuracy.

(American Proverb)

Haste is the invention of the devil.

(Arab Proverb)

HEALTH:

A man too busy to take care of his health is like a mechanic too busy to take care of his tools. (Traditional Proverb)

A satiated man doesn't know what's hunger, a healthy man doesn't know what's disease.

(Turkish Proverb)

Health comes before making a livelihood.

(Yiddish Proverb)

The healthy can't pretend to be sick nor can the sick pretend to be healthy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

You're young if you're healthy, and rich if you have no debts. (Sicilian Proverb)

Fond of lawsuits, little wealth, Fond of doctors, little health. (Spanish Proverb)

As long as you're moving about you can always regain good health. (Sicilian Proverb)

During sickness, you recognize the value of good health. (Sicilian Proverb)

Freedom and health, who has them is rich and doesn't know it. (Sicilian Proverb)

Health flows from the happiness of the heart. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to stay full of good health, always eat eggs and drink wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

Justice and health, woe to the one who seeks them. (Sicilian Proverb)

Running away is not glorious, but often very healthy. (Russian Proverb)

An healthy mind for an healthy body. (Portuguese Proverb)

The withered tree will destroy the healthy tree when it falls down. (Maasai Proverb)

Disease and disasters come and go like rain,
but health is like the sun that illuminates the
entire village. (Luo Proverb)

Cheerfulness is the very flower of health.
(Japanese Proverb)

One who eats plain food is healthy.
(Japanese Proverb)

The person who enjoys good health is rich,
even if he doesn't know it. (Italian Proverb)

A man too busy to take care of his health is
like a farmer too lazy to plant his field.
(Icelandic Proverb)

A person's health is in his feet. (Irish Proverb)

The flavor of health is given by an illness.
(Hungarian Proverb)

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost. When
health is lost, something is lost; when
character is lost, all is lost. (German Proverb)

The first step to health is to know that we are
sick. (English Proverb)

Without sleep, no health. (English Proverb)

Health and gaiety foster beauty.

(English Proverb)

Health is not valued till sickness comes.

(English Proverb)

Cleanliness is half your health.

(Czech Proverb)

In a healthy body, a healthy spirit.

(Czech Proverb)

The First glass is for health, the second - for joy, the third - for fun, the fourth - for madness.(Bulgarian Proverb)

Five minutes of health comfort the ill one.

(Bengali Proverb)

Sleep is half of Health.(Bengali Proverb)

Who can master his thirst can master his health.(Bengali Proverb)

He who has health, has hope.(Arabic Proverb)

It is easy for a man in health to preach patience to the sick.(Albanian Proverb)

Industry keeps the body healthy.
(Albanian Proverb)

Folks spend their health to acquire wealth and later spend their wealth in an effort to regain their health. (Albanian Proverb)

One day in perfect health is a lot.
(Arab Proverb)

When the healthy dog fights with a mad dog, it is the ears of the healthy one that are bitten off. (Burmese Proverb)

When the heart is at ease, the body is healthy. (Chinese Proverb)

He is young enough who has health, and he is rich enough who has no debts.
(Danish Proverb)

We are usually the best men when in the worst health. (English Proverb)

The tiredness of the body is the health of the soul. (French Proverb)

The early riser is healthy, cheerful and industrious. (French Proverb)

He who is master of his thirst is master of his health. (French Proverb)

Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise. (German Proverb)

The rich have medicines the poor have health. (German Proverb)

It is not good for all our wishes to be filled; through sickness we recognize the value of health; through evil, the value of good; through hunger, the value of food; through exertion, the value of rest. (Greek Proverb)

He who enjoys good health is rich, though he knows it not. (Italian Proverb)

The priest's friend loses his faith, the doctor's his health, and the lawyer's his fortune. (Italian Proverb)

Health? Very nice! But where will we get potatoes? (Jewish Proverb)

What you give for the cause of charity in health is gold; what you give in sickness is silver; what you give after death is lead. (Jewish Proverb)

Better a healthy donkey than a consumptive philosopher. (Romanian Proverb)

If you would be healthy, be sage betimes. (Portuguese Proverb)

To run away is not glorious, but very healthy. (Russian Proverb)

A man too busy to take care of his health is like a mechanic too busy to take care of his tools.(Spanish Proverb)

Limit your desires and you will improve your health.(Spanish Proverb)

If you would live in health, grow old early.
(Spanish Proverb)

If you would live healthy, be old early.
(Spanish Proverb)

Health and cheerfulness make beauty; finery and cosmetics cost money and lie.
(Spanish Proverb)

Fond of lawsuits, little wealth; fond of doctors, little health; fond of friars, little honor.
(Spanish Proverb)

Limit your desires and you will improve your health.(Spanish Proverb)

The fear of women is the basis of good health.
(Spanish Proverb)

The beginning of health is to know the disease.(Spanish Proverb)

A good wife and health are a man's best wealth.(Traditional Proverb)

Health is merely the slowest possible rate at which one can die. (Traditional Proverb)

Fond of doctors, little health, Fond of lawyers, little wealth. (Traditional Proverb)

As the person who has health is young, so the person who owes nothing is rich. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is not living, but being in health. (Traditional Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together. (Traditional Proverb)

He wanted to cure a healthy pig and ended up with a sick one. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Health is better than wealth. (Traditional Proverb)

Work is half of health. (Swedish Proverb)

Patched trousers, healthy testicles. (Spanish Proverb)

Rotten straw can harm a healthy horse. (Russian Proverb)

Hygiene is two thirds of health.

(Lebanese Proverb)

Good health is the sister of beauty.

(Maltese Proverb)

A hard life but a healthy one.(Latin Proverb)

Early rising is most conducive to health.

(Latin Proverb)

Cancer--schmancer!--as long as you're healthy.(Jewish Proverb)

The healthy die first.(Italian Proverb)

The beginning of health is sleep.

(Irish Proverb)

Health without money is a half-malady.

(Italian Proverb)

Cowardly men, healthy bones.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

Joyfulness is half your health.

(Czech Proverb)

HEART:

Set hard heart against hard hap.
(German Proverb)

A honey tongue, a heart of gall.
(German Proverb)

What the eye sees not the heart rues.
(German Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks.(German Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.
(German Proverb)

A light belly, heavy heart.(German Proverb)

As he thinketh in his heart, so is he.
(German Proverb)

At court there are many hands, but few hearts.(German Proverb)

Cold hand, a warm heart.(German Proverb)

Fire in the heart sends smoke into the head.
(German Proverb)

In the looking-glass we see our form, in wine the heart. (German Proverb)

It is easier to build two hearts than always to keep fire on one. (German Proverb)

Mouth and heart are wide apart.
(German Proverb)

Necessity unites hearts. (German Proverb)

Repentance is the heart's medicine.
(German Proverb)

The cock shuts his eyes when he crows,
because he knows it by heart.
(German Proverb)

The drunken mouth reveals the heart's secrets. (German Proverb)

What comes from the heart, goes to the heart.
(German Proverb)

What the eyes see, the heart believes.
(German Proverb)

When a dove begins to associate with crows its feathers remain white but its heart grows black. (German Proverb)

Who lends his lips to naught but blame, has
in his heart no love of fame. (German Proverb)

Who neither believes heaven or hell, the devil
heartily wishes him well. (German Proverb)

Who takes the child by the hand takes the
mother by the heart.
(German Proverb)

"With all my heart!" says the boor, when he
must. (German Proverb)

Envy eats nothing, but its own heart.
(German Proverb)

When a dove begins to fly with crows, its
feathers remain white but its heart grows
black. (German Proverb)

Nowhere are there more hiding places than in
the heart. (German Proverb)

A woman has the form of an angel, the heart
of a serpent, and the mind of an ass.
(German Proverb)

The heart is the most essential human quality.
(Japanese Proverb)

God lives in an honest heart.
(Japanese Proverb)

A man's heart changes as often as does the autumn sky. (Japanese Proverb)

A proposal without patience breaks its own heart. (Japanese Proverb)

Every little yielding to anxiety is a step away from the natural heart of man.
(Japanese Proverb)

Happiness spring -- cleans the heart.
(Japanese Proverb)

The human heart is neither of stone nor wood.
(Japanese Proverb)

When you do something wholeheartedly, you are not in need of helpers. (Japanese Proverb)

Heart rather than appearance.
(Japanese Proverb)

A woman's heart and spring weather.
(Japanese Proverb)

A man's heart and the autumnal sky.
(Japanese Proverb)

A boy living near a Buddhist temple can learn an untaught sutra by heart.
(Japanese Proverb)

The bandits in the mountain are easily subjected, but it is difficult to subject the bandits in my heart. (Japanese Proverb)

An eight-sided beauty is coldhearted.
(Japanese Proverb)

Kind hearts are better than fair faces.
(Japanese Proverb)

A cheerful heart is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones.
(Jewish Proverb)

If there is bitterness in the heart, sugar in the mouth won't make life sweeter.
(Jewish Proverb)

God is closest to those with broken hearts.
(Jewish Proverb)

As he thinks in his heart, so he is.
(Jewish Proverb)

The rich man carries God in his pocket, the poor man in his heart. (Jewish Proverb)

Sympathy is a little medicine to soothe the ache in another's heart.(Jewish Proverb)

If it were not for hope, the heart would break.
(Greek Proverb)

Men who have lost heart never yet won a trophy. (Greek Proverb)

Someone with an unrelenting heart is his own executioner. (Greek Proverb)

The heart that loves is always young.
(Greek Proverb)

Kindheartedness and honesty can be expected only from the poor.
(Greek Proverb)

To know one's self is to know others, for heart can understand heart. (Chinese Proverb)

A fool's heart is found in his mouth.
(Chinese Proverb)

The heart of a little child is like the heart of Buddha. (Chinese Proverb)

Fortune has a fickle heart and a short memory. (Chinese Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart, heaven to the soul, all else to the ears.
(Chinese Proverb)

Words are sounds of the heart.

(Chinese Proverb)

The saddest thing is the death of the heart.

(Chinese Proverb)

The evil is dreaded by men but not heaven; the kind-hearted is cheated by mortals but not God.

(Chinese Proverb)

A honeyed mouth hides a daggered heart.

(Chinese Proverb)

A man's heart is indiscernible behind his chest. (Chinese Proverb)

Man's heart is never satisfied; the snake would swallow the elephant.

(Chinese Proverb)

With happiness comes intelligence to the heart. (Chinese Proverb)

To know another is not to know that person's face, but to know that person's heart.

(Chinese Proverb)

A heart that is rotten -- breath that smells.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who knows his heart mistrusts his eyes.
(Chinese Proverb)

A man combs his hair every morning -- why not his heart?(Chinese Proverb)

He, who opens his heart for ambition, closes it for the rest. (Chinese Proverb)

If I keep a green bough in my heart, then the singing bird will come. Chinese Proverb
He who is narrow of vision cannot be big of heart.(Chinese Proverb)

If you are poor, though you dwell in the busy marketplace, no one will inquire about you; if you are rich, though you dwell in the heart of the mountains, you will have distant relatives.
(Chinese Proverb)

Keep a green tree in your heart and perhaps the singing bird will come.(Chinese Proverb)

Of all the female qualities a warm heart is the most valuable.(Chinese Proverb)

The fangs of the green snake and the sting of a wasp don't really make poison -- that is only to be found in a woman's heart.
(Chinese Proverb)

The heart is but the beach beside the sea that is the world. (Chinese Proverb)

The human heart is difficult to gauge.
(Chinese Proverb)

The human heart is never satisfied, just like the snake that wants to swallow an elephant.
(Chinese Proverb)

The spirit of women is made of quicksilver; their heart of wax.(Chinese Proverb)

Though talking face to face, their hearts are a thousand miles apart.(Chinese Proverb)

To feed the ambition in your heart is like carrying a tiger under your arm.
(Chinese Proverb)

Water does not stick to the mountain, and vengeance does not stick to a big heart.
(Chinese Proverb)

When the heart is at ease, the body is healthy.
(Chinese Proverb)

Who is narrow minded cannot be bighearted.
(Chinese Proverb)

Words that come from the heart stay warm
three winters long. (Chinese Proverb)

What the eye sees not, the heart craves not.
(Chinese Proverb)

A person whose heart is not content is like a
snake which tries to swallow an elephant.
(Chinese Proverb)

Easy to know men's faces, not their hearts.
(Chinese Proverb)

Everyone should carefully observe which way
his heart draws him, and then choose that
way with all his strength. (Chinese Proverb)

Have a mouth as sharp as a dagger, but a
heart as soft as tofu. (Chinese Proverb)

Honey in his mouth, knives in his heart.
(Chinese Proverb)

Know thyself to know others, for heart beats
like heart. (Chinese Proverb)

Rather once cry your heart out than always
sigh. (Chinese Proverb)

The pen of the tongue should be dipped in the
ink of the heart. (Chinese Proverb)

To attract good fortune, spend a new coin on an old friend, share an old pleasure with a new friend, and lift up the heart of a true friend by writing his name on the wings of a dragon. (Chinese Proverb)

A honey tongue, a heart of gall.
(Dutch Proverb)

Set hard heart against hard hap.
(Dutch Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks. (Dutch Proverb)

What the eye sees not, the heart craves not.
(Dutch Proverb)

A stout heart tempers adversity.
(Dutch Proverb)

Better a blush in the face than a spot in the heart. (Dutch Proverb)

He has the Bible on his lips, but not in his heart. (Dutch Proverb)

He that looketh on a woman to lust after her, hath committed adultery already with her in his heart. (Dutch Proverb)

Heavy purses and light hearts can sustain much. (Dutch Proverb)

It's a poor heart that never rejoices.
(Dutch Proverb)

Nobody's sweetheart is ugly. (Dutch Proverb)

One's own hearth is worth gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

The heart does not lie. (Dutch Proverb)

When the stomach is full the heart is glad.
(Dutch Proverb)

Away from the eye, out of the heart.
(Dutch Proverb)

What the heart is full of, the mouth runs over with. (Dutch Proverb)

Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks. (Dutch Proverb)

A blythe heart makes a blooming look.
(Scottish Proverb)

A light purse makes a heavy heart.
(Scottish Proverb)

A sorrowful heart's aye dry. (Scottish Proverb)

Faint heart never won a fair lady.
(Scottish Proverb)

Have ye gear have ye nane, tine heart and a's
gane. (Scottish Proverb)

He winna send you away with a sair heart.
(Scottish Proverb)

Let never sorrow come sae near your heart.
(Scottish Proverb)

Set a stout heart to a stay brae.
(Scottish Proverb)

A blyth heart makes a blomand visage.
(Scottish Proverb)

Changes o' wark is a lightening o' hearts.
(Scottish Proverb)

Hae you gear, or hae you nane, tine heart a' is
gone. (Scottish Proverb)

A fu' heart never lied. (Scottish Proverb)

God keep ill gear out o' my hands; for if my
hand ance get it, my heart winna part wi't, sae
prayed the gude earl of eglinton.
(Scottish Proverb)

When the heart is full the tongue will speak.
(Scottish Proverb)

It ill becomes a carpenter to be heavy-handed,
a smith to be shake-handed, or a physician to
be tenderhearted. (Scottish Proverb)

Were it not for hope the heart would break.
(Scottish Proverb)

Do not judge all you see, do not believe all you
hear, do not do all you can, do not say all you
know, do not eat all you have, let no one know
what you have in your heart or in your wallet.
(Swedish Proverb)

Children travel from the heart to the heart.
(Swedish Proverb)

What the eye doesn't see, the heart doesn't
grieve over. (English Proverb)

Cold hands, warm heart. English Proverb
The way to a man's heart is through his
stomach. (English Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.
(English Proverb)

Never love with all your heart, it only ends in
breaking. (English Proverb)

The face is no index to the heart.

(English Proverb)

A man's first care should be to avoid the reproaches of his own heart, his next to escape the censures of the world.

(English Proverb)

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

(English Proverb)

A good surgeon has an eagle's eye, a lion's heart, and a lady's hand. (English Proverb)

A merry heart makes a long life.

(English Proverb)

Faint heart ne'er won fair lady.

(English Proverb)

Home is where the heart is. (English Proverb)

Two things prolong your life: A quiet heart and a loving wife. (English Proverb)

Please the eye and plague the heart.

(English Proverb)

Better a little chiding than a good deal of heartache. (English Proverb)

A merry heart goes all the way.

(English Proverb)

The village slatternly wench has the form of a dove, the heart of a fox, and the mind of a toad. (English Proverb)

A heart free from care is better than a full purse. (Arab Proverb)

A man's worth depends on his two smallest organs: his heart and his tongue.
(Arab Proverb)

Blind eyes see better than blind hearts.
(Arab Proverb)

Death was afraid of him because he had the heart of a lion. (Arab Proverb)

If you have given away much of your wealth, then you have given a little of your heart.
(Arab Proverb)

Many are the roads that do not lead to the heart. (Arab Proverb)

Men laugh with their heart, women only with their mouth. (Arab Proverb)

Reproaches are the soap of the heart.
(Arab Proverb)

The mind is for seeing, the heart is for hearing. (Arab Proverb)

The strength of the heart comes from the soundness of the faith. (Arab Proverb)

Words from the heart reach the heart, words from the mouth reach the ear. (Arab Proverb)

If you have much, give of your wealth; if you have little, give of your heart. (Arab Proverb)

Flog my erring child comes from the lips, "don't hurt him/her" comes from the bottom of the heart. (Nigerian Proverb)

The head of your neighbor is a kingdom and his heart a wood. (Nigerian Proverb)

Judge not by the eye but by the heart. (Native American Proverb)

When a man moves from nature, his heart becomes hard. (Native American Proverb)

They are not dead who live in the hearts they leave behind. (Native American Proverb)

The house of the heart is never full. (African Proverb)

The sight of books removes sorrows from the heart. (African Proverb)

The wise traveler leaves his heart at home. (African Proverb)

A stolen object does not fill ones heart with joy. (African Proverb)

What the eye has seen, the heart never forgets. (African Proverb)

God conceals himself from the mind of man, but reveals himself to his heart. (African Proverb)

A proud heart can survive a general failure because such a failure does not prick its pride. (African Proverb)

It is better to blush than to keep the concern in your heart. (African Proverb)

When the heart acts, the body is its slave. (African Proverb)

The heart of man and the bottom of the sea are unfathomable. (African Proverb)

The teeth are smiling, but is the heart? (African Proverb)

The heart of the wise man lies quiet like limpid water. (African Proverb)

Thought breaks the heart.(African Proverb)

When the heart overflows, it comes out through the mouth. (African Proverb)

A beautiful one hurts the heart.
(African Proverb)

A husband may be the head of a home but the wife is the heart of a home.(African Proverb)

Bones and flesh of the martyrs lie buried in earth, but their revolutionary spirit and single-hearted fidelity remain alive.(African Proverb)

If you can't hold children in your arms, please hold them in your heart.(African Proverb)

If you keep your head and heart going in the right direction you don't have to worry about your feet. (African Proverb)

It's better to fall from a tree and break your back than to fall in love and break your heart.
(African Proverb)

Laughter does wonders for the heart.
(African Proverb)

Never lose heart because whatever is hot must in the end turn cold. (African Proverb)

The heart doesn't wear rags. (African Proverb)

The rich have no heart, the lake never floats a pin. (African Proverb)

To handle yourself use your head to handle others use your heart. (African Proverb)

What comes from the lips reaches the ears, what comes from the heart reaches the heart. (African Proverb)

What is in a heart of a sober man is on the tongue of a drunkard. (African Proverb)

When the cock crows the heart of a debtor skips a bit. (African Proverb)

Where the heart sleeps is where you're bound to go at dawn. (African Proverb)

The bitter heart eats its owner. (African Proverb)

The heart has reasons that reason does not understand. (Italian Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.

(Italian Proverb)

Gratitude is the memory of the heart.

(Italian Proverb)

A fool carveth a piece of his heart to everyone
that sits near him. (Italian Proverb)

A happy heart is better than a full purse.

(Italian Proverb)

A stout heart overcomes ill fortune.

(Italian Proverb)

Far from the eyes, far from the heart.

(Italian Proverb)

He who laughs overmuch may have an aching
heart. (Italian Proverb)

If it were not for hope, the heart would break.

(Italian Proverb)

It is not the long day, but the heart that does
the work. (Italian Proverb)

Little children and headaches, great children
and heartaches. (Italian Proverb)

The heart does not think all the mouth says.
(Italian Proverb)

To a young heart everything is sport.
(Italian Proverb)

Where there is least heart there is most tongue. (Italian Proverb)

Who has love in his heart has spurs in his sides. (Italian Proverb)

What the eye sees not the heart rues not.
(Italian Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; away from the eyes,
away from the heart. (Italian Proverb)

A tender-hearted mother makes a scabby daughter. (Italian Proverb)

Grief pent up will burst the heart.
(Italian Proverb)

Happiness that lasts too long spoils the heart.
(Italian Proverb)

The smaller the heart, the longer the tongue.
(Italian Proverb)

Faint hearts never win fair ladies.
(Danish Proverb)

If there is room in your heart there is room in your house. (Danish Proverb)

Let no one look into your heart or into your purse. (Danish Proverb)

The man loves with his head, the woman thinks with her heart. (Danish Proverb)

What the sober man has in his heart, the drunkard has on his lips. (Danish Proverb)

A glad heart seldom sighs, but a sorrowful mouth often laughs. (Danish Proverb)

A hearth of your own is worth gold.
(Danish Proverb)

A royal heart is often hid under a tattered cloak. (Danish Proverb)

He, who is scared by words, has no heart for deeds. (Danish Proverb)

He who takes the child by the hand, takes the mother by the heart. (Danish Proverb)

Hope deferred makes the heart sick.
(Danish Proverb)

It is hard to make a fire on a cold hearth.
(Danish Proverb)

I would rather see smoke from my own chimney than the fire on another's hearth.

(Danish Proverb)

Silent tongue and hempen heart often go together. (Danish Proverb)

The curse on the hearth wounds the deepest.

(Danish Proverb)

The fire burns brightest on one's own hearth.

(Danish Proverb)

The pot boils best on your own hearth.

(Danish Proverb)

When there is room in the heart, there is room in the house. (Danish Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks. (Danish Proverb)

Set hard heart against hard hap.

(Danish Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh. (Danish Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.

(Danish Proverb)

A light heart lives long. (Irish Proverb)

Soft words butter no parsnips, but they won't harden the heart of the cabbage either.

(Irish Proverb)

The best way to keep loyalty in a man's heart is to keep money in his purse.(Irish Proverb)

What fills the eye fills the heart.(Irish Proverb)

When the hand ceases to scatter, the heart ceases to pray. (Irish Proverb)

A heavy purse makes a light heart.

(Irish Proverb)

What is nearest the heart is nearest the mouth.(Irish Proverb)

A person's heart is in his feet.(Irish Proverb)

The light heart lives long.(Irish Proverb)

The best way to keep loyalty in a man's heart is to keep money in his purse.(Irish Proverb)

A light heart lives longest. Irish Proverb

There's no hearth like your own hearth.

(Irish Proverb)

If you live in my heart, you live rent free.

(Irish Proverb)

Live in my heart and pay no rent.

(Irish Proverb)

That which is nearest a woman's heart is the first to come out. (Irish Proverb)

A good heart never went to hell. (Irish Proverb)

There's no hearthstone like your own hearthstone. (Irish Proverb)

A heavy heart seldom combs a gray beard. (Irish Proverb)

Many an honest heart beats under a ragged coat. (Irish Proverb)

Everything troubles you and the cat breaks your heart. (Irish Proverb)

The heavier the purse, the lighter the heart. (Irish Proverb)

A man loves his sweetheart the most; his wife the best, but his mother the longest. (Irish Proverb)

The deep sea can be fathomed, but who knows the hearts of men? (Malayan Proverb)

See with your mind, hear with your heart. (Kurdish Proverb)

God created women and women created the hearth. (Kurdish Proverb)

If you cannot build a town, build a heart.
(Kurdish Proverb)

What the heart thinks, the mouth speaks.
(Kurdish Proverb)

A heart in love with beauty never grows old.
(Kurdish Proverb)

See with your mind; hear with your heart.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Home is where the heart is.
(Spanish Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.
(Spanish Proverb)

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.
(Spanish Proverb)

Hope deferred makes the heart sick.
(Spanish Proverb)

Beads about the neck, and the devil in the heart. (Spanish Proverb)

Shyness is the prison of the heart.
(Spanish Proverb)

The heart is like the astrologer who guesses at the truth. (Spanish Proverb)

Wet kisses are the messengers of the heart. (Spanish Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh. (Spanish Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks. (Spanish Proverb)

A determined heart will not be counseled. (Spanish Proverb)

A good heart breaks bad fortune. (Spanish Proverb)

If the eyes don't see, the heart won't break. (Spanish Proverb)

If thy heart fail thee, why then climb at all? (Spanish Proverb)

Please your eye and plague your heart. (Spanish Proverb)

The bowels support the heart, and not the heart the bowels. (Spanish Proverb)

The cross on his breast, and the devil in his heart. (Spanish Proverb)

The heart is no traitor. (Spanish Proverb)

Where the heart is past hope, the face is past shame. (Spanish Proverb)

With lightning and with love, the clothes sound, the heart burned. (Spanish Proverb)

Let your heart guide your head in evil matters. (Spanish Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; away from the eyes, away from the heart. (Spanish Proverb)

A tender-hearted mother makes a scabby daughter. (French Proverb)

What the eye sees not the heart rues not. (French Proverb)

Set hard heart against hard hap. (French Proverb)

Out of the fulness of the heart the mouth speaketh. (French Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady. (French Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks. (French Proverb)

A fool's heart dances on his lips.
(French Proverb)

A honeyed tongue with a heart of gall.
(French Proverb)

Gratitude is the heart's memory.
(French Proverb)

Love subdues everything except the recreant's heart. (French Proverb)

Six things have no business in the world: a fighting priest, a coward knight, a covetous judge, a stinking barber, a soft-hearted mother, and an itchy baker. (French Proverb)

The ear is the road to the heart.
(French Proverb)

The heart leads whither it goes.
(French Proverb)

The maxims of men disclose their hearts.
(French Proverb)

What the eye doesn't see, the heart doesn't grieve over. (French Proverb)

What the sober man keeps in his heart, is on the tongue of the drunkard. (French Proverb)

Who cannot work out his salvation by heart will not do it by book. (French Proverb)

Put something sweet in his mouth and send good news to the heart. (French Proverb)

A good armchair makes the backside soft and the heart hard. (French Proverb)

A woman's heart dries quicker than her tears. (French Proverb)

Against change of fortune set a brave heart. (French Proverb)

He who has a stepmother has the devil at his hearth. (French Proverb)

Honey in the mouth, bile in the heart. (French Proverb)

Gratitude is the heart's money. (French Proverb)

He has a very hard heart who does not love May. (French Proverb)

A mirror does not reflect a broken heart. (Persian Proverb)

An arrow can be pulled out of a wound, but a hurtful word stays forever in your heart.

(Persian Proverb)

God gives to us according to the measure of our hearts. (Persian Proverb)

He whose heart is aroused by love will never die. (Persian Proverb)

Our real grave is not in the ground but in men's hearts. (Persian Proverb)

The lover who gives you her body but not her heart is generous with thorn less roses.

(Persian Proverb)

What my heart wanted didn't happen -- What God wanted, that happened.

(Persian Proverb)

From afar he takes the heart, from nearby the gall-bladder. (Persian Proverb)

A broken hand works, but not a broken heart.

(Persian Proverb)

Whatever is in the heart will come up to the tongue. (Persian Proverb)

He who loves drives a nail into his heart.

(Indian Proverb)

The heart at rest sees a feast in everything.
(Indian Proverb)

A nation without a language is a nation
without a heart. (Welsh Proverb)

A lion lurks in everyone's heart; awake him
not. (Bulgarian Proverb)

If you would live long, open your heart.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

When you meet a man judge him by his
clothes, when you leave a man judge him by
his heart .(Russian proverb)

Small children give you headache; big children
give you heartache. (Russian proverb)

Every cricket must know its hearth.
(Russian proverb)

Further from the eye - closer to the heart.
(Russian proverb)

Out of eyesight; out of heart.(Russian proverb)

Heart with pepper, soul with garlic.
(Russian proverb)

A virgin's heart is a dark forest.
(Russian proverb)

Hold your children with your heart but teach them with your hands. (Russian proverb)

If your heart is a rose, then your mouth will speak perfumed words. (Russian proverb)

Misfortune does not visit the weak-hearted. (Russian proverb)

Tears come more often from the eyes than from the heart. (Russian proverb)

The hearth in our house is warmer than our neighbor's. (Russian proverb)

The thief has a chicken's heart -- he sleeps in fear. (Russian proverb)

What the heart doesn't see, the eye will not see either. (Russian proverb)

The riches that are in the heart cannot be stolen. (Russian proverb)

When you meet a man, you judge him by his clothes; when you leave, you judge him by his heart. (Russian proverb)

When man moves away from nature his heart becomes hard. (Lakota Proverb)

If Moscow is the heart of Russia and St. Petersburg is its head, then Kiev is its mother.
(Russian proverb)

If everyone were allowed to take from the world all her heart desired, there would be nothing left for anyone else. (Yiddish proverb)

A heavy purse makes a light heart.
(Yiddish proverb)

If charity cost nothing and benevolence caused no heartache, the world would be full of philanthropists. (Yiddish proverb)

If you are bitter at heart, sugar in the mouth will not help you. (Yiddish proverb)

Pearls around the neck, stones upon the heart. (Yiddish proverb)

The heart is half a prophet. (Yiddish proverb)

The heart is small and embraces the whole wide world. (Yiddish proverb)

The heart of a man may be compared to a sausage; no one can tell exactly what's inside.
(Yiddish proverb)

A good cry lightens the heart. (Yiddish proverb)

Anger is the thorn in the heart.

(Yiddish proverb)

Weeping makes the heart grow lighter.

(Yiddish proverb)

Anger is like a thorn in the heart.

(Yiddish proverb)

If there's bitterness in the heart, sugar in the mouth won't make life sweeter.

(Yiddish proverb)

If your heart is bitter, sugar in the mouth won't help. (Yiddish proverb)

If there is bitterness in the heart, sugar in the mouth won't make life sweeter.

(Yiddish proverb)

A heart in love with beauty never grows old.

(Turkish proverb)

An Emmet may work its heart out, but can never make honey. (Turkish proverb)

He who gives little gives from his heart; he who gives much gives from his wealth.

(Turkish proverb)

Who is far from the eye will also be far from the heart. (Turkish proverb)

There lies a lion in every heart.

(Turkish proverb)

A man will sacrifice his head to conquer a heart. (Turkish proverb)

The crowd is not led by the head but by the heart. (Hungarian Proverb)

A great stone fell down from his heart. (Hungarian Proverb)

His eyes are beautiful, but his heart is a devil. (Hungarian Proverb)

What is on his heart that is on his tongue. (Hungarian Proverb)

A tear in the eye is the wound of the heart. (Gypsy Proverb)

We are all wanderers on this earth. Our hearts are full of wonder, and our souls are deep with dreams. (Gypsy Proverb)

A tear in the eye is a wound in the heart. (Gypsy Proverb)

Grief pent up will burst the heart. (Portuguese Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh. (Portuguese Proverb)

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A resolute heart endures no counsel. (Portuguese Proverb)

A stout heart breaks ill fortune. (Portuguese Proverb)

An innocent heart suspects no guile. (Portuguese Proverb)

Better a red face than a black heart. (Portuguese Proverb)

Faint heart is always in danger. (Portuguese Proverb)

Mouth of honey, heart of gall. (Portuguese Proverb)

Rosary is hand, the devil at heart. (Portuguese Proverb)

Mouth from honey, heart of gall. (Portuguese Proverb)

Far from the eyes, far from the heart. (Portuguese Proverb)

What the eyes don't see the heart doesn't feel.
(Portuguese Proverb)

He who sees face doesn't see heart.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Afar, it enraptures the heart, when near, it
rends the gallbladder. (Arabic Proverb)

Many are the roads that do not lead to the
heart. (Arabic Proverb)

The mind is for seeing, the heart is for
hearing. (Arabic Proverb)

Do good to people in order to enslave their
hearts. (Arabic Proverb)

More kindhearted than a mother to her
children. (Arabic Proverb)

If the heart is empty, the rest will soon
abandon you too. (Arabic Proverb)

Those who are far from the eye are far from
the heart. (Arabic Proverb)

Your lord is the lord of hearts. (Arabic Proverb)

It is better to lose your eyes than to lose your
heart. (Swahili proverb)

What the heart desires is medicine to it.

(Swahili proverb)

Charity is the matter of the heart not of the pocket. (Swahili proverb)

It is better for the eyes to die than the heart.

(Swahili proverb)

A big heart is better than a big brain.

(Swahili proverb)

A letter from the heart can be read on the face.

(Swahili proverb)

If you have much, give of your wealth; if you have little, give of your heart. (Arabian Proverb)

Death was afraid of him because he had the heart of a lion. (Arabian Proverb)

Cleanse thy heart from greed, and thy foot shall remain free from fetters.

(Arabian Proverb)

A melancholic look is visible but not a melancholic heart. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Great men have big hearts. (Ethiopian Proverb)

If the heart is sad, tears will flow.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

The heart of a fool is in his mouth and the mouth of the wise man is in his heart.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

When the heart overflows, it comes out through the mouth.(Ethiopian Proverb)

We speak them fairest when thoughts are falsest and while the wisest of hearts.

(Norse Proverb)

The head only knows what lies nearest the heart. (Norse Proverb)

Care shall gnaw thy heart if thou canst not tell all thy mind to another.(Norse Proverb)

Much pressed is he who fain on the hearth would seek for warmth and weal.

(Norse Proverb)

The speech of a maiden should no man trust or the words which a woman says; for their hearts were shaped on a whirling wheel and falsehood fixed in their breasts.

(Norse Proverb)

Dreams are wishes your heart makes.

(American Proverb)

The road to the head lies through the heart.

(American Proverb)

Faith is the vision of the heart.

(American Proverb)

That which comes from the heart is always sincere. (American Proverb)

Home is not a structure, but something in your heart. (American Proverb)

You will never find a cat on a cold hearth. (American Proverb)

If the heart is right, the head cannot be very far wrong. (American Proverb)

A mother's heart is a child's schoolroom. (American Proverb)

Charity is a virtue of the heart and not of the hand. (American Proverb)

The ardor of parental affection consumes the heart with its fire. (American Proverb)

The heart has eyes that the brain knows nothing of. (American Proverb)

A fair face may hide a foul heart. (American Proverb)

A stout heart crushes some ill luck. (American Proverb)

A good surgeon must have an eagle's eye, a lion's heart, and a lady's hand.

(American Proverb)

An ant may work its heart out, but it can't make money. (American Proverb)

The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart. (American Proverb)

The heart has arguments with which the understanding is unacquainted.

(American Proverb)

What the eye can't see, the heart won't crave.

(American Proverb)

What's the good of a fair apple if it has a worm in its heart? (American Proverb)

The greater love is a mother's; then comes a dog's; then a sweetheart's. (Polish Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's, then a dog's, then a sweetheart's. Polish Proverb

What reaches the mother's heart will only reach the father's knees. Polish Proverb

Faces of men we see but not their hearts.

(Cuban Proverb)

Ask questions from your heart and you will be answered from the heart. (Omaha Proverb)

The heart of a woman is as capricious as a drop of water on a lotus leaf. Thai Proverb
Absence makes the heart forget.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Hearts do not meet one another like roads.

(Kenyan Proverb)

God did not create woman from man's head, that he should command her, nor from his feet, that she should be his slave, but rather from his side, that she should be near his heart. (Hebrew Proverb)

These three are the marks of a Jew--a tender heart, self-respect, and charity.

(Hebrew Proverb)

The heart sees better than the eye.

(Hebrew Proverb)

The hearts of fools are in their mouths but the mouths of the wise are in their hearts.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Better blind of eye than blind of heart.

(Hebrew Proverb)

A man's heart tells him of his opportunities better than seven watchmen on the lookout tower. (Hebrew Proverb)

Small children, a headache; big children,
heartache. (Hebrew Proverb)

Poor people entertain with the heart.
(Haitian Proverb)

Only the knife knows the heart of a pineapple.
(Haitian Proverb)

Rather a piece of bread with a happy heart
than wealth with grief. (Egyptian Proverb)

The heart of a servant that is not beaten is full
of curses. (Egyptian Proverb)

Whoever lets himself be led by the heart will
never lose his way. (Egyptian Proverb)

Put a stout heart to a steep hill. (Egyptian)

Put a stout heart to a stey brae.
(Egyptian Proverb)

One should do nothing with a false heart.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Shining I Inside, let Him guide my heart.
(Egyptian Proverb)

That which is said in your heart, let it be
realized by springing up spontaneously -
(Egyptian Proverb)

Who has not done any evil act, his or her heart may be found right. (Egyptian Proverb)

Everyone is the age of their heart.
(Guatemalan Proverb)

Gifts is the key to the female heart.
(Zimbabwean Proverb)

Cold hearts can find warm words.
(Tibetan Proverb)

With a stout heart, a mouse can lift an elephant. (Tibetan Proverb)

With a resolute heart, a mouse can lift an elephant. Spreading the news is also multiplying it. (Tibetan Proverb)

Imagination cures the chaos in the heart.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Do not judge by appearances; a rich heart may be under a poor coat. (Gaelic Proverb)

See that your own hearth is swept before you lift your neighbor's ashes. (Gaelic Proverb)

Aim high in your career but stay humble in your heart. (Korean Proverb)

Men have three ears: one on the left of the head, one on the right of the head, and one in the heart. (Armenian Proverb)

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Even though the old man is strong and hearty, he will not live forever. (Ashanti Proverb)

The bitter heart eats its owner. (Bantu Proverb)

The eye never forgets what the heart has seen. (Bantu Proverb)

The excessively kind-hearted person becomes a slave. (Burmese Proverb)

The heart of the wise man lies quiet like limpid water. (Cameroonian Proverb)

Thought breaks the heart. (Cameroonian Proverb)

The teeth are smiling, but is the heart? (Congolese Proverb)

Not a long day, but a good heart, rids work. (Darkovan Proverb)

Where two women rule a hearth-fire, the
thatch may burn with the sparks flying.

(Darkovan Proverb)

Happy the marriage where the husband is the
head and the wife the heart. (Estonian Proverb)

The mouth is the interpreter for the heart.
(Estonian Proverb)

Love came in a paper bag, said the maiden
when she got a letter from her sweetheart.
(Finnish Proverb)

A fire will sear and the sun burn yet more, but
neither can match the ardor of a man's heart.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Clean your heart and mind of negative
thoughts. (Kashmiri Proverb)

True religion is in one's heart.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

A troubled heart is a worm to the bones.
(Latin Proverb)

Bad head, bad heart. (Latin Proverb)

Beads about the neck, and the devil in his
heart. (Latin Proverb)

Every suitor is not a heart breaker.

(Latin Proverb)

For our altars and our hearths.(Latin Proverb)

Great discomfort arises from too hearty a supper: if you would enjoy a tranquil sleep let your supper be a light one. (Latin Proverb)

He assumes a cheerful countenance suppressing the grief which weighs heavily on his heart. (Latin Proverb)

His heart fell down to his heels.(Latin Proverb)

Hopes delayed hang the heart upon tenter-hooks. (Latin Proverb)

If there is righteousness in the heart, there will be beauty in character.(Latin Proverb)

Our hearts run riot in prosperity.
(Latin Proverb)

The memory of a benefit vanisheth, but the remembrance of an injury sticketh fast in the heart. (Latin Proverb)

Vices creep into our hearts under the name of virtue. (Latin Proverb)

Wealth lightens not the heart and care of man.
(Latin Proverb)

What the eye rarely sees, the heart soon despises. (Latin Proverb)

Wine gladdeneth the heart of man.
(Latin Proverb)

What the sober man has in his heart, the drunkard has on his lips. (Latin Proverb)

Far from the eye, far from the heart.
(Maltese Proverb)

The good die first: And those, whose hearts are dry as summer dust, Burn to the socket.
(Maltese Proverb)

Where the heart loves, there the legs walk.
(Maltese Proverb)

The good die first: And those, whose hearts are dry as summer dust, Burn to the socket.
(Maltese Proverb)

A man's heart is a forest. (Maltese Proverb)

In a very old tree, you may be certain that the sapwood is on the outside, while the heartwood is in the middle. (Maori Proverb)

They are not dead who live in the hearts they leave behind.

(Native American Tuscarora Proverb)

Take an ox by its horns, a man by his heart.

(Romanian Proverb)

What the heart thinks, the tongue speaks.

(Romanian Proverb)

Beads about the neck and the devil in the heart. (Romanian Proverb)

Cold hands, warm heart.(Romanian Proverb)

A fair face, foul heart.(Romanian Proverb)

His heart is in his mouth.(Romanian Proverb)

Every heart has its own ache.(Romanian)

Far from eye, far from heart.(Romanian)

Love makes all hearts gentle.

(Romanian Proverb)

Faint heart never won fair lady.

(Romanian Proverb)

A honey tongue, a heart of gall.

(Romanian Proverb)

One's own hearth is gowd's worth.

(Romanian Proverb)

Wine makes glad the heart of man.

(Romanian Proverb)

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

(Romanian Proverb)

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick.

(Romanian Proverb)

The kiln calls the oven burnt-heart.

(Romanian Proverb)

The heart's letter is read in the eye.

(Romanian Proverb)

Nothing is impossible to a willing heart.

(Romanian Proverb)

The joy of the heart makes the face fair.

(Romanian Proverb)

The heart's mirth does make the face fair.

(Romanian Proverb)

It is hard for a greedy eye to have a leal heart.

(Romanian Proverb)

The cross on his breast and the devil in his heart. (Romanian Proverb)

Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh. (Romanian Proverb)

Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. (Romanian Proverb)

What the eye doesn't see, the heart doesn't grieve over. (Romanian Proverb)

Wise men have their mouth in their heart, fools their heart in their mouth. (Romanian Proverb)

A man's heart is not a sack open to all. (Rwandan Proverb)

The path to your heart's desire is never overgrown. (Ugandan Proverb)

The best part of happiness lies in the secret heart of a lover. (Ugandan Proverb)

The mouth prays to Buddha, but the heart is full of evil. (Vietnamese Proverb)

A fair face may hide a foul heart. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Where the heart would go, there follows the foot. (Afghan Proverb)

There is a way from heart to heart.

(Afghan Proverb)

Even if a knife is made of silver, a person won't stab his own heart with it.

(Afghan Proverb)

A broken hand can work but a broken heart can't. (Afghan Proverb)

Even if a knife is made of gold, a person won't stab his own heart with it.(Afghan Proverb)

What my heart desired didn't happen; what God wanted was really done.(Afghan Proverb)

There is a doorway that connects two hearts. (Afghan Proverb)

A wanton eye is the messenger of a lusting heart. (Afghan Proverb)

A face that never laughs betrays an evil heart. (Basque Proverb)

What the eye doesn't see, the heart doesn't grieve over. (British Proverb)

A heavy purse makes a light heart. (British Proverb)

The face is no index to the heart.

(British Proverb)

The joy of the heart makes the face fair.

(British Proverb)

Never lay sorrow to your heart when others lay it to their heels. (British Proverb)

The way to a man's heart is through his stomach. (British Proverb)

Cultivate a heart of love that knows no anger.

(Cambodian Proverb)

For news of the heart ask the face.

(Cambodian Proverb)

If there is righteousness in the heart, there will be beauty in the character. If there is beauty in the character, there will be harmony in the home. If there is harmony in the home, there will be order in the nation. If there is order in the nation, there will be peace in the world. (Confucian Proverb)

May you have kindness in your heart, a plump woman in your furs, and seal meat in you larder. (Eskimo Proverb)

May you have warmth in your igloo, oil in your lamp, and peace in your heart. (Eskimo)

Even though the old man is strong and hearty,
he will not live forever. (Ghanaian Proverb)

For news of the heart, ask the face.
(Guinean Proverb)

A heart as big as a house. (Hawaiian Proverb)

Work hard, keep the ceremonies, live
peaceably, and unite your hearts.
(Hopi Proverb)

A guest mourner does not wail as though his
heart is broken. (Igbo Proverb)

Only a heart can find the way to another
heart. A wise man can laugh at his jokes.
(Iranian Proverb)

You shake man's hand, you no shake his
heart. (Jamaican Proverb)

You shake a man's hand, you don't shake his
heart. (Jamaican Proverb)

A lame of heart is not a lame of leg; he cannot
be recognized. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Nobody entering a hut pays for the heart he
will enjoy in it. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Real power is in the heart.(Klingon Proverb)

I must show you my heart.(Klingon Proverb)

Home is where the heart is... but the stars are made of latinum.(Klingon Proverb)

When you've heard it you must see it; when you've seen it make a judgment with your heart.(Laotian Proverb)

Reading books removes sorrows from the heart.(Moroccan Proverb)

The sight of books removes sorrow from the heart.(Moroccan Proverb)

A crucible for silver and a furnace for gold, but Allah tests the heart.(Moroccan Proverb)

In his heart a man may plan his course but God determines his every step.
(Moroccan Proverb)

The heart of a fool is in his mouth, the mouth of a wise man is in his heart.
(Moroccan Proverb)

The world of humans is divided by lines, but the mind knows no limits, the heart no barriers.(Moroccan Proverb)

Many are the roads that do not lead to the heart. (Moroccan Proverb)

To be away is well and good, but home is where the heart is. (Norwegian Proverb)

The heart is a tree; it grows where it wants. (Palestinian Proverb)

Ane's ain hearth is goud's worth. (Scotch Proverb)

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A blyth heart makes a blomand visage. (Scotch Proverb)

A black shoe makes a blythe heart. (Scotch Proverb)

A proud heart in a poor breast, has meikle dolour to dree. (Scotch Proverb)

A full heart lied never. (Scotch Proverb)

A hearty hand to give a hungry meltith. (Scotch Proverb)

Changing of works is lighting of hearts. (Scotch Proverb)

He has wit at will, that with angry heart can hold him still. (Scotch Proverb)

It goes as meiklle in his heart, as in his heel.
(Scotch Proverb)

Meikle must a good heart thole.
(Scotch Proverb)

Neirest the heart, neirest the mouth.
(Scotch Proverb)

Of the abundance of the heart the mouth
speaketh. (Scotch Proverb)

Quhen the eye sees not, the heart rewes not.
(Scotch Proverb)

Quhen friends meets, hearts warms.
(Scotch Proverb)

If the eye do not admire, the heart will not
desire. (Senegalese Proverb)

The heart is not a knee that can be bent.
(Senegalese Proverb)

The heart is like a goat that has to be tied up.
(South African Proverb)

Faith is confirmed by the heart, confessed by
the tongue, and acted upon by the body.
(Suyin Proverb)

A stolen object brings no joy to one's heart.
(Uruguayan Proverb)

Gifts break rocks and melt hearts.
(Uruguayan Proverb)

If a man's heart be impure, all things will appear hostile to him. (Asian-Indian Proverb)

There are three things that refresh the heart and reduce your grief water, flowers, and a beautiful woman. (Asian-Indian Proverb)

He that troubles his own house shall inherit the wind: and the fool shall be servant to the wise of heart. (Biblical Proverb)

The heart of fools proclaims foolishness.
(Biblical Proverb)

He that is of a merry heart hath a continual feast. (Biblical Proverb)

You can measure the depth of the sea but what about a man's heart? (Malawian Proverb)

Health flows from the happiness of the heart. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love is bitter, but it comforts the heart.
(Sicilian Proverb)

True love burns within the heart, better than flax and straw. (Sicilian Proverb)

Nobel and rich are the Messinans, heads of the kingdom are the Palermitani, the Catanians have a contented heart, and in Cefalu they are rich with fish.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't push yourself forward if you don't have the heart. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who loves with his heart sees from a distance.

(Sicilian Proverb)

What the eyes don't see, the heart doesn't believe. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love God with all your heart and ignore the gossip-mongers. (Sicilian Proverb)

When you're invited, eat heartily, because if they like you they'll laugh, and if they don't like you they'll feel the pangs of death.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who loves God with all his heart, lives happy and dies happy. (Sicilian Proverb)

A contented stomach, a forgiving heart; but an empty stomach pardons nothing.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A wounded head can be treated and heals, but
a wounded heart never heals. (Sicilian Proverb)

You never get enough of kissing a sweetheart
or eating snails. (Sicilian Proverb)

Bad luck wears out even the stout-hearted.
(Sicilian Proverb)

When sweethearts want each other, the
parents must inevitably accede.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Far from the eye far from the heart.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A light heart lives long. (Traditional Proverb)

A mother's heart is always with her children.
(Traditional Proverb)

Everyone should carefully observe which way
his heart draws him, and then choose that
way with all his strength. (Traditional Proverb)

Not the glittering weapon fights the fight, but
rather the hero's heart. (Traditional Proverb)

Soft words win hard hearts. (Traditional)

The heart that truly loves never forgets.
(Traditional Proverb)

What the eye does not admire the heart does not desire. (Traditional Proverb)

When a heart is on fire, sparks always fly out of the mouth. (Traditional Proverb)

There is no blindness but the blindness of the heart. (Tunisian Proverb)

Our first teacher is our own heart.
(Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

When a man moves away from nature his heart becomes hard.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Do not speak of evil for it creates curiosity in the hearts of the young.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

When a man moves from nature, his heart becomes hard.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

A nation is not conquered until the hearts of its women are on the ground. Then it is finished, no matter how brave its warriors or how strong their weapons.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

The heart rules without rules.
(Togolese Proverb)

Ask questions from your heart and you will be answered from the heart.

(Native American Omaha Proverb)

Ask questions from your heart and you will be answered from the heart.

(Native American Omaha Proverb)

What's done in the corner will come to the hearth. (Scottish Gaelic Proverb)

Men and women towards each other are for the eyes and the heart, and not only for the bed. (Tuareg Proverb)

When the eyes see nothing, the heart feels nothing. (Panamanian Proverb)

Where the heart is willing it will find a thousand ways, but where it is unwilling it will find a thousand excuses. (Dayak Proverb)

The heart of an adult is like that of an elephant. (Bantandu proverb)

The skin of the leopard is beautiful, but not his heart. (Baluba proverb)

The leopard's skin is beautiful, but his heart evil. (Baluba proverb)

A stolen object does not fill ones heart with joy. (MONGO proverb)

The heart is a locket that does not open easily. (Duala proverb)

If you have a lot, give some of your possessions; if you have little; give some of your heart. (Nilotic proverb)

The heart is not a knee, it does not bend. (Peul proverb)

The teeth are smiling, but is the heart? (Congo proverb)

The heart of an evil person is never pure. (Bamileke proverb)

A person looks only on the outside of things; god looks into the very heart. (Efik proverb)

A bitter heart devours its owner. (Herero proverb)

Thought breaks the heart. (Cameroon proverb)

Listen with your heart. Learn from your experiences, and always be open to new ones. (Cherokee Proverb)

To heal the lovers aching heart, Give him a virgin to wed. (Uganda Proverb)

Absence makes the heart forget.
(Kenya Proverb)

Hearts do not meet one another like roads.
(Kenya Proverb)

To watch us dance is to hear our hearts speak. (Hopi Indian Proverb)

Nobody entering a hut pays for the heart he will enjoy in it. (Bajan Proverb)

Wha' a sober heart conceal a drunken tongue reveal. (Bajan Proverb)

Wine, women and food give gladness to the heart. (Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

Judge not by the eye but by the heart.
(Cheyenne Proverb)

A good surgeon must have a hawk's eye, a lion's heart and a woman's hand.
(Dominican Republic Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love; as the distance is from the eyes, so it is from the heart.(Dominican Republic Proverb)

Grow old, body, the heart still remains.
(Ndebele Proverb)

When we understand deeply in our hearts, we
will fear and love and know the great
spirit.(Oglala Sioux Proverb)

What can be expected to be dropped is held in
the hands, but what is in the heart I shall die
with.(Shona Proverb)

He who goes to Our Lady of Muxima with an
evil heart risks being drowned crossing the
river to get there.(Angolan Proverb)

It is good to tell one's heart.
(Chippewa Proverb)

The favorite place of God is in the heart of
man.(Israeli Proverb)

A cheerful heart is good medicine, but a
crushed spirit dries up the bones.
(Israeli Proverb)

If there is bitterness in the heart, sugar in the
mouth won't make life sweeter.
(Israeli Proverb)

The remembrance of the heart is better than
the remembrance of the head.(Manx)

Your first care must be the care of your own heart. (Manx Proverb)

One may be generous at heart, but may not be able to afford it. (Kashmir Proverb)

The heart of the wise man lies quiet like limpid water. (Buganda Proverb)

When the heart overflows, it comes out through the mouth. (Ethiopia Proverb)

If the heart is sad, tears will flow.
(Ethiopia Proverb)

HEAVEN:

Nothing falls from heaven. (Yiddish Proverb)

At the bottom of patience is Heaven.
(Tibetan Proverb)

There is nothing hidden between Heaven and Earth. (Venezuelan Proverb)

Even in heaven, it is not good to be alone.
(Yiddish Proverb)

The man who chases mules and believes women will never get to Heaven.

(Sicilian Proverb)

You can't kill your way into heaven.

(Sicilian Proverb)

You can't punch your way into heaven.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Everyone wants to go to heaven; the desire is there but the fortitude is not.

(Sicilian Proverb)

God protect you from the man who looks down at the ground and the woman who looks up to heaven.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Marriages and bishoprics are arranged in heaven.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Spit at heaven and you'll get it back in your face.

(Sicilian Proverb)

The grunts of pigs never make it to heaven.

(Polish Proverb)

You will see something as surely as a pig will see Heaven.

(Polish Proverb)

A donkey's cries don't reach heaven.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Life has become a little less sweet, death a little less bitter, and heaven a little more real.

(Puritan Proverb)

It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than it is for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.

(Romanian Proverb)

There's nobody can prevent you getting into heaven, but there are many always ready to give you a shove into hell.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

The first thing one should own is a home; and it is the last thing one should sell; for a home is ones tomb this side of heaven.

(Moroccan Proverb)

Crosses are ladders which lead to heaven.

(Malagasy Proverb)

Many make the descent to eternal darkness but few ascend to heaven.

(Maori Proverb)

Looking up we are not ashamed in the presence of heaven, nor are bowing down we ashamed in the presence of earth.

(Japanese Proverb)

Our fates are as registered by heaven.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you have a roving eye, it's no use having the other one fixed on Heaven. (Irish Proverb)

The road to Heaven is well signposted, but it is badly lit at night. (Irish Proverb)

There is not a tree in Heaven that is higher than the tree of patience. (Irish Proverb)

You couldn't make half a football team out of all the Leinster men in Heaven. (Irish Proverb)

Barking of dogs cannot be heard in heaven. (Hungarian Proverb)

Braying of an ass or barking of a dog, is not heard in Heaven. (Hungarian Proverb)

If you have ploughed with oxen, married a widow and never said a bad word - surely you go to heaven. (Finnish Proverb)

The stars are the eyes of heaven. (Hawaiian Proverb)

He who gives alms to the poor faces heaven. (Filipino Proverb)

It's good to have some friends both in heaven and hell. (English Proverb)

Heaven hath no rage like love to hatred
turned, Nor Hell a fury like a woman
scorned. (English Proverb)

Heaven helps those who help themselves.
(Corsican Proverb)

That which is written in Heaven, comes to
pass on Earth. (Corsican Proverb)

The braying of donkeys doesn't reach
heaven. (Corsican Proverb)

A mind can make a heaven out of hell, or a
hell out of heaven. (Costa Rican Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart,
heaven to the soul, all else to the ears.
(Chinese Proverb)

Great wealth is a gift from heaven; moderate
wealth results from frugality.
(Chinese Proverb)

Heaven lent you a soul Earth will lend a grave.
(Chinese Proverb)

One more good man on earth is better than an
extra angel in heaven. (Chinese Proverb)

Crosses are the ladders to heaven.
(Albanian Proverb)

The evil is dreaded by men but not heaven; the kind-hearted is cheated by mortals but not God. **(Chinese Proverb)**

Matches may be made in heaven, but they are sold down here. **(Albanian Proverb)**

Hell is full of good meanings, but heaven is full of good works. **(Albanian Proverb)**

Your aspirations are in heaven, but your brains are in your feet. **(Afghan Proverb)**

On earth it's hard and heaven is far away. **(Afghan Proverb)**

Heaven is dark and yet out of it streams clear water. **(Afghan Proverb)**

When the thief has stolen from a thief, God laughs in heaven. **(Armenian Proverb)**

If a woman hears that something unusual is going on in heaven, she would find a ladder to go and look. **(Armenian Proverb)**

Heaven on earth is to be found on horseback, reading books and between a woman's breasts. **(Arab Proverb)**

Only heaven can see the back of a sparrow. **(Bantu Proverb)**

The wicked work harder to preach hell than the righteous do to get to heaven.

(American Proverb)

If God were not forgiving, heaven would be empty.

(Berber Proverb)

For each man produced by heaven, earth provides a grave.

(Chinese Proverb)

Empty the clear path to heaven, crowded the dark road to hell.

(Chinese Proverb)

Easy to believe in heaven's law, but so hard to keep.

(Chinese Proverb)

Because men do not like the cold, Heaven does not cause winter to cease.

(Chinese Proverb)

The winds of heaven change suddenly; so do human fortunes.

(Chinese Proverb)

The net of heaven is large and wide, but it lets nothing through.

(Chinese Proverb)

Mankind scorns a virtuous man, but heaven does not.

(Chinese Proverb)

Mankind fears an evil man but heaven does not.

(Chinese Proverb)

Man has a thousand plans, heaven but one. (Chinese Proverb)

Man cannot stir one inch without the push of heaven's finger. (Chinese Proverb)

Just because men do not like the cold, Heaven will not stop the winter. (Chinese Proverb)

If a man becomes powerful even his chicken and his dog go to heaven. (Chinese Proverb)

Heaven has a road, but no one travels it; Hell has no gate but men will dig to get there. (Chinese Proverb)

Great blessings come from Heaven; small blessings come from man. (Chinese Proverb)

Great lords have long hands, but they do not reach to heaven. (Danish Proverb)

A golden key opens every door except that of heaven. (Danish Proverb)

He who looks only at heaven may easily break his nose on earth. (Czech Proverb)

I own a cow in heaven, but I cannot drink her milk. (Congolese Proverb)

Great lords have long hands, but they do not reach to heaven. (Danish Proverb)

The road to heaven is equally short, wherever we die. (Danish Proverb)

Better once in heaven than ten times at the gate. (Dutch Proverb)

The dead in heaven is too happy to grieve for indignities to his corpse; the dead in hell has too much else to grieve for. (Darkovan Proverb)

Don't trust in fortune until you are in heaven. (Filipino Proverb)

Don't put your trust in Fortune until you are in heaven. (Filipino Proverb)

God forgives sinners, otherwise His heaven would be empty. (German Proverb)

Who spits against heaven, it falls on his head. (French Proverb)

It is harder work getting to hell than to heaven. (German Proverb)

The braying of an ass does not reach heaven. (Italian Proverb)

It is better to be in hell with a wise man than in heaven with an idiot. (Jewish Proverb)

Heaven and hell can both be found on earth. (Jewish Proverb)

There is no escape from the net of heaven. (Japanese Proverb)

Everyone is given the key to the gates of Heaven. The same key opens the gates of Hell. (Latin Proverb)

No matter how fast the poplar grows, it will never reach heaven. (Lebanese Proverb)

There are many languages on earth, but one in heaven. (Latin Proverb)

The distance between heaven and earth is no greater than one thought. (Mongolian Proverb)

Alas for the son whose father went to heaven. (Portuguese Proverb)

The barking of dogs does not reach heaven. (Sicilian Proverb)

Mother earth promised to tell her secrets to heaven. (Serbian Proverb)

Better rule in hell, than serve in heaven.

(Spanish Proverb)

All you under the heaven Regard heaven as your father, earth as your mother, and all things as your brothers and sisters.

(Traditional Proverb)

The master has long arms, but they don't reach heaven. (Swedish Proverb)

If murder is forgiven, Heaven will find it hard to bear. (Traditional Proverb)

As to deserving, know that the gift of Heaven is free this gift of Knowledge is so great that no effort whatever could hope to 'deserve' it.

(Traditional Proverb)

Perhaps they are not stars, but rather openings in heaven where the love of our lost ones pours through and shines down upon us to let us know they are happy.

(Traditional Proverb)

Meet on the stairs and you won't meet in heaven. (Traditional Proverb)

Let there be no limit to your mercy even as there is no limit to your Father in Heaven's mercy. (Traditional Proverb)

Those who have forsaken the killing of all those who are helpmates to all those who are a sanctuary to all those men are in the way of heaven. (Traditional Proverb)

There is not a tree in heaven higher than the tree of patience. (Traditional Proverb)

The world belongs to the rascals, Heaven belongs to the good. (Traditional Proverb)

The wind of the Heaven's is that which blows between the horses ears. (Traditional Proverb)

Heaven was inspired by the first judge to take a bribe. (Turkish Proverb)

Earth is but a marketplace; heaven is home. (West African Proverb)

At the bottom of patience one finds heaven. (West African Proverb)

Short prayers reach heaven. (Traditional Proverb)

Marriages are made in heaven. (Traditional Proverb)

Heaven is at the feet of mothers. (Persian Proverb)

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(Persian Proverb)

Sooner shall earth mount to heaven.

(Latin Proverb)

You war against heaven. (Latin Proverb)

Crosses are ladders that lead to heaven.

(Malagasy Proverb)

A single prayer moves heaven.

(Japanese Proverb)

Poetry moves heaven and earth.

(Japanese Proverb)

Heaven protects children, sailors, and
drunken men. (German Proverb)

Marriage is heaven and hell. (German Proverb)

Doctors are the signposts to heaven.

(German Proverb)

Marriages are written in heaven.

(French Proverb)

Heaven preserve me from my friends!

(Dutch Proverb)

Men go not laughing to heaven.

(Dutch Proverb)

A man's will is his heaven.(Danish Proverb)

Heaven dries what it has made wet.

(Danish Proverb)

Heaven and earth shall never meet.

(African Proverb)

Smile... heaven is watching!(African Proverb)

HELL:

With gold you can make a road to heaven but it will end in hell.(Togolese Proverb)

They put the blabbermouth in hell, and he shouted "The wood is damp!"

(Turkish Proverb)

A slattern woman hold open the door to hell.

(Welsh Proverb)

Hell is not so bad as the road that leads to it.(Yiddish Proverb)

If you want to experience the pains of hell,
spend winter in Messina and summer in
Palermo. (Sicilian Proverb)

One can even get used to living hell.
(Russian Proverb)

You can get used to anything -- even hell.
(Russian Proverb)

A much prayed for defunct goes straight to
hell. (Portuguese Proverb)

Hell is crowded with people of good intentions.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Hell is full of good intentions.
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(Portuguese Proverb)

Even in paradise, living all alone would be
hell. (Native American Seneca Proverb)

There's nobody can prevent you getting into heaven, but there are many always ready to give you a shove into hell.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Hell must be in bad condition when even the devil stays out.(Mexican Proverb)

A woman can raise you to heaven and can dump you in hell.(Maltese Proverb)

He who has money can eat sherbet in hell.
(Lebanese Proverb)

Every once in a while, declare peace. It confuses the hell out of your enemies.
(Klingon Proverb)

Like a buddha met with in hell.
(Japanese Proverb)

Put a beggar on horseback and he'll ride to hell.(Irish Proverb)

There is nothing in the world so poor as going to hell.(Irish Proverb)

Don't go to law with the devil in the court of hell.(Irish Proverb)

A man's will can be his paradise, but it can also be his hell.(Icelandic Proverb)

A good heart never went to hell.

(Irish Proverb)

Hell has been broken loose.

(Hungarian Proverb)

There is a feast once even in Hell.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A master is a master in hell as well.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Come hell or high water. (Hungarian Proverb)

Even the highway leading to Hell is paved with good intentions. (Hungarian Proverb)

The descent to hell is easy. (English Proverb)

It's good to have some friends both in heaven and hell. (English Proverb)

Hell has no fury like a woman scorned.

(English Proverb)

A mind can make a heaven out of hell, or a hell out of heaven. (Costa Rican Proverb)

Hell is also made for people.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

There are no fans in hell. (Arabic Proverb)

Hell is populated with the victims of harmless amusements. (Albanian Proverb)

Hell is full of good meanings, but heaven is full of good works. (Albanian Proverb)

He who crosses a bridge to paradise and blows it after him is going to hell. (African Proverb)

Optimism is a mania for saying all is well when one is in hell. (African Proverb)

A man who was always complaining was quite rightly sent to hell. "Why are you burning damp wood?" was his first comment. (Arab Proverb)

A wicked companion invites us all to hell. (Chinese Proverb)

He who comes from hell is not afraid of hot ashes. (Burmese Proverb)

Empty the clear path to heaven crowded the dark road to hell. (Chinese Proverb)

If you do good to the Devil, out of gratitude he will deliver you to hell. (Czech Proverb)

Even in hell it is good to have friends. (Czech Proverb)

Life at court is often a short cut to hell.

(Danish Proverb)

He, who would not go to hell, must not go to court.(Danish Proverb)

He must have crept out of hell while the devil was asleep.(Dutch Proverb)

The dead in heaven is too happy to grieve for indignities to his corpse; the dead in hell has too much else to grieve for.(Darkovan Proverb)

A devil with fine manners can still carry you only to hell.(Darkovan Proverb)

The road to hell is paved with good intentions.
(English Proverb)

Unless Hell is full, no lawyer will ever be saved.(French Proverb)

In time of war the devil makes more room in hell.(German Proverb)

If there be a hell, Rome is built over it.
(German Proverb)

Who neither believes heaven or hell, the devil heartily wishes him well.(German Proverb)

A man yearns for his paradise but it could become his hell.(Icelandic Proverb)

One road leads to heaven but many lead to hell.(Hungarian Proverb)

The lawyer's pouch is a mouth of Hell.
(Indian Proverb)

He who is in hell knows not what heaven is.(Italian Proverb)

Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned.
(Italian Proverb)

It is better to be in hell with a wise man than in heaven with an idiot.(Jewish Proverb)

Hell shared with a sage is better than paradise with a fool.(Jewish Proverb)

Hell itself can be no worse than the road that leads to it.(Jewish Proverb)

Heaven and hell can both be found on earth.
(Jewish Proverb)

He who follows advice from women will end up in hell.(Jewish Proverb)

You don't have to die: heaven and hell are in this world too.(Japanese Proverb)

When you reject gifts from heaven you will be rewarded in hell. (Japanese Proverb)

The best doctor is to be found in hell. (Jewish Proverb)

Everyone is given the key to the gates of Heaven. The same key opens the gates of Hell. (Latin Proverb)

England is the paradise of women, the hell of horses, and the purgatory of servants. (Latin Proverb)

He who has money can eat ice cream in hell. (Lebanese Proverb)

The road to hell is strewn with roses. (Mexican Proverb)

When men take wives they stop fearing hell. (Romanian Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions, roofed in with lost opportunities. (Portuguese Proverb)

The gates of hell are always open, even at midnight. (Slovak Proverb)

You get used to everything -- even hell. (Russian Proverb)

For ill do well, then fear not hell.

(Russian Proverb)

It is good to have friends, even in hell.

(Spanish Proverb)

Better rule in hell, than serve in heaven.

(Spanish Proverb)

A young woman is to an old man the horse
that he rides to hell. (Spanish Proverb)

If you give him cloth, he'll ask for the
lining. (Traditional Proverb)

Even in Hell the peasant will have to serve the
landlord, for, while the landlord is boiling in a
cauldron the peasant will have to put wood
under it (Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as night, hot as hell,
and strong as love. (Traditional Proverb)

There are more gluttons than drunkards in
hell. (Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as Hell, strong as
death, and sweet as love. (Turkish Proverb)

As hot as hell. (Traditional Proverb)

Hell is full of the ungrateful. (Spanish Proverb)

Hell's roof is made from lost causes.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Transactions in Hell also depend upon money.

(Japanese Proverb)

One devil does not make hell.

(Italian Proverb)

War begun, hell unchained.

(Italian Proverb)

Even in hell you meet relations.

(Japanese Proverb)

Hell and Chancery are always open.

(Italian Proverb)

Hell is crowded with ungrateful wretches.

(Italian Proverb)

Half a house is half a hell.

(German Proverb)

Marriage is heaven and hell.

(German Proverb)

A young preacher, a new hell.

(Danish Proverb)

Hell and the courtroom are always open.

(American Proverb)

Obedience to a woman leads to hell.

(Arab Proverb)

HEROISM:

No man is a hero to his valet.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

Sing your death song and die like a hero going home. (Native American Shawnee Proverb)

A hero is one who knows how to hang on one minute longer. (Norwegian Proverb)

You can close the city gates, but you can't close the people's mouths. It's better to flee and stay alive than to die and become a hero. A timely tear is better than a misplaced smile. (Iranian Proverb)

Who's a hero? He who turns his enemy into his friend. (Hebrew Proverb)

Without eating and drinking the hero is no good. (Danish Proverb)

No man is a hero to his woman. (Chinese Proverb)

No man is a hero to his debtors. (African Proverb)

An endless war shames even a hero. (African Proverb)

An elephant that kills a rat cannot be considered a hero. (African Proverb)

Love has produced some heroes but many idiots too. (Danish Proverb)

A hero is a man who is afraid to run away. (English Proverb)

No man is a hero in the eyes of his valet. (French Proverb)

The greatest hero is one who has control over his desires. (Indian Proverb)

A hero is someone who can keep his mouth shut when he's right. (Jewish Proverb)

The soldiers fight, and the kings are heroes. (Jewish Proverb)

To be a hero hang on for a minute longer. (Norwegian Proverb)

Heroism consists of hanging on one minute longer. (Norwegian Proverb)

It's better to fly and stay alive than to die a hero. (Persian Proverb)

A coward gets scared and quits. A hero gets scared, but still goes on. (Traditional Proverb)

Love has produced some heroes but even more idiots. (Swedish Proverb)

Not the glittering weapon fights the fight, but rather the hero's heart. (Traditional Proverb)

Blood is the sweat of heroes.
(Zimbabwean Proverb)

No hero without a wound. (Bulgarian Proverb)

HINDUISM:

You can convince an ignorant man easily you can convince a wise man more easily. But a man who knows a little and thinks himself to be perfect, not even Brahma can convince.
(Indian Proverb)

HISTORY:

A people without a history is like the wind over buffalo grass. (Native American Sioux Proverb)

Walk in the valley of our ancestors, learn of the history, and marvel at the beauty.
(New Zealander Proverb)

Without History, No Life.(Nigerian Proverb)

History is written by the victors.
(Klingon Proverb)

History never repeats itself, but it does rhyme.
(English Proverb)

History is constantly teaching, but it does not
find many pupils.(Austrian Proverb)

Old men and women in the village are books of
history and wisdom.(African Proverb)

Every day of your life is a page of your history.
(Arab Proverb)

Happy is the country which has no history.
(Italian Proverb)

A people without history is like wind on the
buffalo grass.(Traditional Proverb)

Live today for tomorrow it will all be
history.(Traditional Proverb)

History is written by the winners.
(Traditional Proverb)

History repeats itself.(Latin Proverb)

Happy nations have no history.(Belgian)

HOME:

The bell rings loudest in your own home.

(Yoruban Proverb)

Your feet will take you away from home, but your stomach will always bring you back.

(Zambian Proverb)

An ugly girl does not become old at home.

(Ugandan Proverb)

In the home of the coward they laugh while in the home of the brave they cry.

(Ugandan Proverb)

When throne into the sea the stone said, 'after all, this is also a home.' (Ugandan Proverb)

It's best to wash one's soiled linen at home.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

Home is home, however poor it may be.

(Welsh Proverb)

Curses are like chickens, they always come home. (Traditional Proverb)

They put the nightingale into a golden cage, yet it still craved for its home.

(Turkish Proverb)

A bird has a nest, man has a home.

(Tywa Proverb)

He who dances at home will be rewarded.

(Swahili Proverb)

Mouth is the home of words.

(Swahili Proverb)

Away is good but at home is best.

(Swedish Proverb)

Children act in the village as they have
learned at home. (Swedish Proverb)

The young cock said to the young chicken: the
whole world is like our home. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who has a priest at home, has plenty of food.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Home is where he hangs his hat.

(Spanish Proverb)

Married people need a home of their own.

(Spanish Proverb)

Ill bairns are best heard at home.

(Scottish Proverb)

Where ever you go, come back to your home.

(Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

Don't be foolish and awe struck, because foolishness is telling but cursing doesn't hit home. (Sicilian Proverb)

Don't preach, neither at home nor abroad. (Sicilian Proverb)

If she's a nun in the abbey, she treats Jesus as an owner, but if she's a nun in the home, she serves Jesus and kisses him. (Sicilian Proverb)

Strong men, harmful at home. (Sicilian Proverb)

Ill bairns are best heard at home. (Scottish Proverb)

The wolf preys farthest from his home. (Romanian Proverb)

It is good to be visiting, but it is better at home. (Russian Proverb)

Visiting is good, but home is better. (Russian Proverb)

An ill hound comes halting home. (Scottish Proverb)

If your corn field is far from your home, the birds will eat your corn. (Pygmy Proverb)

My home is my castle.(Polish Proverb)

You can wait till the cows come home.
(Polish Proverb)

Dirty clothes one washes at home.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Home saints don't make miracles.
(Portuguese Proverb)

In a breadless home, everyone complains and
nobody is right.(Portuguese Proverb)

Justice begins at home.(Portuguese Proverb)

Although the sun shines, leave not thy cloak
at home.(Romanian Proverb)

Charity begins at home.(Romanian Proverb)

Dirty linen should be washed at home.
(Romanian Proverb)

If your corn field is far from your home, the
birds will eat your corn.(Pygmy Proverb)

Sing your death song and die like a hero going
home.(Native American Shawnee Proverb)

The good judge starts at home.
(Mexican Proverb)

A masquerade does not perform to an outside audience until he performs well at the home base. (Nigerian Proverb)

Being happy in one's home is better than being a chief. (Nigerian Proverb)

It is the habit that a child forms at home, that follows them to their marriage. (Nigerian Proverb)

One can only try to get what one can from the head of an elephant; no one ever carries it home. (Nigerian Proverb)

To be away is well and good, but home is where the heart is. (Norwegian Proverb)

A dog does not enter a home where they suffer from hunger. (Mongo Proverb)

The first thing one should own is a home; and it is the last thing one should sell; for a home is one's tomb this side of heaven. (Moroccan Proverb)

If you continue to contaminate your own home, you will eventually suffocate in your own waste. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

A lamp in the street, obscurity at home. (Mexican Proverb)

He who is ignorant at home is ignorant abroad. (Mexican Proverb)

I wish I were at home. (Latin Proverb)

Home is not far away when you are alive. (Maasai Proverb)

Home is where the heart is... but the stars are made of latinum. (Klingon Proverb)

Home affairs are not talked about on the public square. (Kenyan Proverb)

Home affairs are not to be carried on in the public square. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Home affairs cannot be told to the public. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Home affairs have their staff, which cannot be brandished by anyone but the head of the house. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Home affairs must not go into the open. (Kikuyu Proverb)

It is bad to stay at home. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Learn fe dance at home before you go abroad. (Jamaican Proverb)

Although the sun shines, leave not your cloak at home. (Italian Proverb)

If you go to court leave your soul at home. (Irish Proverb)

The eye should be blind in the home of another. (Irish Proverb)

If only the wind would turn before I go home, said the woman rowing against the wind. (Icelandic Proverb)

A travelled child knows better than the old man who sits at home. (Igbo Proverb)

It is good everywhere, but it is the best at home. (Hungarian Proverb)

It is good to have an old man at home. (Hungarian Proverb)

Three things please a man: a lovely home, a lovely wife, and lovely possessions. (Hebrew Proverb)

Give lodgment to a Slovak and you will be beaten out of your home. (Hungarian Proverb)

Foreign places are nice enough, but home is sweeter. (Finnish Proverb)

Own home is worth gold. (Finnish Proverb)

The frost drives the pig home.
(Finnish Proverb)

The good wife at her husband's home, the
other one is at her parent's home.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

He who would be happy should stay at home.
(Greek Proverb)

Who shouts at home will bark away from
home. (Estonian Proverb)

Who is reared at home fares wrong away from
home. (Faroesse Proverb)

With one child you may walk; with two you
may ride; when you have three, at home you
must bide. (English Proverb)

No man has a worse friend than he brings
from home. (English Proverb)

Go abroad and you'll hear news of home.
(English Proverb)

Home is home, though it be never so homely.
(English Proverb)

Home is where the heart is. (English Proverb)

Home is where you hang your hat.

(English Proverb)

A gentleman ought to travel abroad, but dwell at home. (English Proverb)

The clock ticks nowhere else the way it does at home. (Dutch Proverb)

When the cat is not home, the mice dance on the table. (Dutch Proverb)

The closer a relation, the more it hits home. (Corsican Proverb)

When you've been had, you go home. (Corsican Proverb)

Everywhere is well, at home it's best. (Czech Proverb)

When the cat is not home, the mice dance on the table. (Dutch Proverb)

If at home you receive no visitors, then abroad you will have no host. (Chinese Proverb)

If there is beauty in character, there will be harmony in the home. (Chinese Proverb)

The state of a nation is reflected in the home. (Chinese Proverb)

All of life is a dream walking, all of death is a going home. (Chinese Proverb)

Good deeds never leave home, bad ones echo a thousand miles. (Chinese Proverb)

Like the man who shields himself with a spiders home. (Arabic Proverb)

Our purpose here is to observe, to learn, to grow, to love; and then we return home. (Australian Proverb)

The world is a journey, the afterworld is home. (Beninese Proverb)

The neighbor comes before the home. (Arabic Proverb)

The longest mile is the last mile home. (Albanian Proverb)

The frost will bring the pig home. (Albanian Proverb)

You can build a house but you must make a home. (Albanian Proverb)

Charity begins at home but should not end there. (Albanian Proverb)

A house is not a home. (Albanian Proverb)

Night brings the cows home.

(Albanian Proverb)

It is better to die young at home than to die old in a hospital. (Albanian Proverb)

Home is the father's kingdom, the children's paradise, the mother's world.

(Albanian Proverb)

Home is not a structure, but something in your heart. (Albanian Proverb)

Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow your wife may come home. (Albanian Proverb)

Although the snake does not fly, it has caught the hornbill, whose home is in the sky.

(Akan Proverb)

When a man raises his voice at home, know that he started lowering it elsewhere.

(African Proverb)

The hottest music and dance always comes from home. (African Proverb)

No matter how far you are from your house, you will keep going until you get home.

(African Proverb)

A weird child at times brings sweet fruits at home. (African Proverb)

A stick at the neighbors cannot drive out a leopard at your home. (African Proverb)

Life is like shopping in a market; when you finish, you go home. (African Proverb)

A husband may be the head of a home but the wife is the heart of a home. (African Proverb)

A fish and bird may fall in love but the two cannot build a home together. (African Proverb)

A rat stinks, but it has its own home. (African Proverb)

A husband may be the head of a home but the wife is the heart of a home. (African Proverb)

A lion at home and a fox abroad. (Afghan Proverb)

The sun at home warms better than the sun elsewhere. (Albanian Proverb)

If you're going home, you don't get wet. (African Proverb)

The wise traveler leaves his heart at home.
(African Proverb)

Not the place where I was born but where I
hang my hat is home. (African Proverb)

He who cannot pray at home will celebrate
mass somewhere else. (Armenian Proverb)

Light your lamp first at home and afterwards
at the mosque. (Arab Proverb)

Better do a good deed near at home than go
far away to burn incense. (Chinese Proverb)

Better be kind at home than burn incense in a
far place. (Chinese Proverb)

Better be kind at home than burn incense in a
far place. (Chinese Proverb)

Away from home they look at your clothes. At
home they look at what is under them.
(Chinese Proverb)

Abroad we judge the dress; at home we judge
the man. (Chinese Proverb)

The wise man and the tortoise travel but never
leave their home. (Chinese Proverb)

The brave person regards dying as just going home. (Chinese Proverb)

If there is righteousness in the heart, there will be beauty in character. If there is beauty in character, there will be harmony in the home. If there is harmony in the home, there will be order in the nation. If there is order in the nation, there will. (Chinese Proverb)

If there is beauty in character, there will be harmony in the home. If there is harmony in the home, there will be order in the nation. If there is order in the nation, there will be peace in the world. (Chinese Proverb)

He who travels a lot becomes wise; he who is wise stays home. (Chinese Proverb)

A man conducts himself abroad as he has been taught at home. (Danish Proverb)

When we are at our happiest, then it is best to leave and go home. (Czech Proverb)

If you play with the fool at home, he will play with you abroad. (Danish Proverb)

He who knows how to beg may leave his money at home. (Danish Proverb)

He, who is far from home, is near to harm.
(Danish Proverb)

A hundred men can make an encampment,
but it requires a woman to make a home.
(Dutch Proverb)

Who knows the tongues is at home
everywhere.(Dutch Proverb)

Who knows the language is at home
everywhere.(Dutch Proverb)

Smoke, stench, and a troublesome wife are
what drive men from home.(Dutch Proverb)

God visits us, but most of the time we are not
at home.(French Proverb)

God visits us often, but most of the time we
are not home.(French Proverb)

God often visits us, but most of the time we
are not at home.(French Proverb)

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at home.(French Proverb)

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are not home.(French Proverb)

To contradict means sometimes to knock at the door to see if anyone is at home.

(French Proverb)

The man has neither sense nor reason that leaves a young wife at home. (French Proverb)

It is at home, not in public, that one washes his dirty linen. (French Proverb)

Better free in a foreign land than a serf at home. (German Proverb)

Abroad one has a hundred eyes, at home not one. (German Proverb)

The furthest way about is the nearest way home. (German Proverb)

When you are at home, your troubles can never defeat you. (Ghanaian Proverb)

He who wants to be happy must stay at home. (Greek Proverb)

The longest way around is the shortest way home. (Irish Proverb)

The longest road out is the shortest road home. (Irish Proverb)

Bricks and mortar make a house, but the laughter of children makes a home.

(Irish Proverb)

He that is drunk is gone from home.

(Italian Proverb)

Go abroad and you'll hear news from home.

(Italian Proverb)

The back door is the one that robs the home.

(Italian Proverb)

If you have a good cellar at home don't go drinking at the tavern.

(Italian Proverb)

Home, dear home, small as thou art, to me thou art a palace.

(Italian Proverb)

Don't stay long when the husband is not at home.

(Japanese Proverb)

Do not stay too long when the husband is not home.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you are going out for a fight leave your best hat at home.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you are eager to be in the shadow, leave your axe at home.

(Japanese Proverb)

Don't stay long when the husband is not at home. (Japanese Proverb)

Do not stay too long when the husband is not home. (Japanese Proverb)

Better than a banquet somewhere else is a good cup of tea and a bowl of rice at home. (Japanese Proverb)

Who loves to roam may lose his home. (Italian Proverb)

Where shall a man have a worse friend than he brings from home. (Italian Proverb)

If you stay at home you won't wear out your shoes. (Jewish Proverb)

Affairs of the home should not be discussed in the public square. (Kenyan Proverb)

The world is a tavern and the way hereafter is our home. (Jewish Proverb)

Dry bread at home is better than roast meat abroad. (Latin Proverb)

Arms are of little service abroad unless directed by the wisdom of counselors at home. (Latin Proverb)

Are you not accustomed to look at home,
when you abuse others?(Latin Proverb)

Home is home, be it ever so humble.
(Latin Proverb)

Home is home, as the Devil said when he
found himself in the Court of Session.
(Latin Proverb)

No man has a worse friend than he brings
with him from home.(Latin Proverb)

I wish I were at home. [Oh! that I were out of
this mess and in safety.](Latin Proverb)

Over no home can the sign be hung: There is
no trouble here.(Latin Proverb)

Be a lion at home and a fox abroad.
(Persian Proverb)

Rather free in a foreign place than a slave
back home.(Norwegian Proverb)

What the child says, he has heard at home.
(Nigerian Proverb)

To be happy in one's home is better than to be
a chief.(Nigerian Proverb)

Although the snake does not fly it has caught the bird whose home is in the sky.

(Nigerian Proverb)

The hen that stays at home picks up the crumbs.

(Portuguese Proverb)

The liar will travel the world over, but chooses not to go back home.

(Polish Proverb)

Where I make my living, there is my home.

(Somali Proverb)

Where I make a living, there is my home.

(Somali Proverb)

If the dog is not at home, he barks not.

(Senegalese Proverb)

Charity begins at home, but shouldn't end there.

(Scottish Proverb)

You cannot buy wisdom abroad if there is none at home.

(Russian Proverb)

He who has no house of his own is everywhere at home.

(Spanish Proverb)

He that minds his business at home, will not be accused of taking part in the fray.

(Spanish Proverb)

Let them whip me in the market-place,
provided it be not known at home.

(Spanish Proverb)

However bright the sun may shine; leave not
your cloak at home. (Spanish Proverb)

Though the sun shines, leave not your cloak
at home. (Spanish Proverb)

They may whip me in the market-place, so it
be not known at home. (Spanish Proverb)

The old man at home, and the young abroad,
lie after the same fashion. (Spanish Proverb)

Play with the fool at home, and he will play
with you abroad. (Spanish Proverb)

A hundred men may make an encampment,
but it takes a woman to make a home.

(Traditional Proverb)

Who is timid in the woods boasts at home.

(Thai Proverb)

If you are going into the wood -- don't leave
your axe at home. (Thai Proverb)

Every one is a lord in his own home.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is a dream walking death is a going home.
(Traditional Proverb)

When the cat is not home, the mice will dance on the table.(Traditional Proverb)

What is an expert someone who is twenty miles from home.(Traditional Proverb)

Life is a temporary stop, death is the journey home.(Vietnamese Proverb)

He is guilty who is not at home.
(Ukranian Proverb)

When the cows come home.
(Traditional Proverb)

An Englishman's home is his castle.
(Turkish Proverb)

Where there is no wife, there is no home.
(Yugoslavian Proverb)

An Englishman's home is his castle.
(Turkish Proverb)

A man's home is his castle.
(Traditional Proverb)

The wolf commits no mischief at home.
(Spanish Proverb)

Charity well regulated begins at home.

(Spanish Proverb)

Your wife and sheep early at home.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A lonely person is at home everywhere.

(Russian Proverb)

Leave not your staff at home.

(Latin Proverb)

A king's castle is his home. (Latin Proverb)

A prospering man should remain at home.

(Latin Proverb)

Peccadilloes at home, deadly sins abroad.

(Hungarian Proverb)

A woman's place is in the home.

(Italian Proverb)

Argus at home, a mole abroad.

(Italian Proverb)

Every dog is a lion at home. (Italian Proverb)

First look at home, then censure me.

(German Proverb)

Love begins at home. (German Proverb)

Pilgrims seldom come home saints.

(German Proverb)

Rich people are everywhere at home.

(German Proverb)

The coal heaver is master at home.

(French Proverb)

Foul linen should be washed at home.

(French Proverb)

There's no place like home.

(English Proverb)

There's no place like home.

(English Proverb)

Truth seldom finds a home.

(Belgian Proverb)

Quarreling dogs come halting home.

(American Proverb)

A woman's mosque is her home.

(Arab Proverb)

HONESTY:

If someone transports dung and does not eat it, it should not be concluded that he is an honest person. (Taiwanese Proverb)

God is an honest payer, but a very slow one. (Yiddish Proverb)

Honesty is a pride. (Scottish Proverb)

Honesty and kindness enhance every beauty. (Sicilian Proverb)

Honesty may be dear bought, but can never be an ill pennyworth. (Romanian Proverb)

When a ripe fruit sees an honest man, it drops. (Nigerian Proverb)

There's nothing more dangerous than an honest business man. (Klingon Proverb)

He who makes an idol of his interest makes a martyr of his integrity. (Italian Proverb)

The poor house is full of honest people. (Italian Proverb)

Many an honest heart beats under a ragged coat. (Irish Proverb)

A dishonest woman can't be kept in and an honest woman won't. (Irish Proverb)

When a bribe enters through the front door, honesty departs through the window. (Hebrew Proverb)

The surest way to remain poor is to be an honest man. (French Proverb)

Kindheartedness and honesty can be expected only from the poor. (Greek Proverb)

A dog who is called for, an honest man goes himself. (Estonian Proverb)

He is wise that is honest. (English Proverb)

Honesty is the best policy. (English Proverb)

Lie to a liar, for lies are his coin; Steal from a thief, for that is easy; lay a trap for a trickster and catch him at first attempt, but beware of an honest man. (Egyptian Proverb)

Beauty and honesty seldom agree. (English Proverb)

You will get furthest with honesty. (Czech Proverb)

If you really want honesty, then don't ask questions you don't really want the answer to.
(Burmese Proverb)

It takes three years to learn to be a man of integrity; it only takes three days to degrade.
(Chinese Proverb)

Your brother is who gives you a honest advice.
(Arabic Proverb)

There is no disgrace in honest labor.
(Albanian Proverb)

Honesty is praised and left to starve.
(Albanian Proverb)

Cheerfulness, helpfulness and honesty are fine, good companions to take with you through life. (Albanian Proverb)

Honest advice doesn't destroy true friendship.
(African Proverb)

As soon as you question someone's integrity, it is a reflection of your own. (African Proverb)

Honesty is like an icicle; if once it melts that is the end of it. (American Proverb)

Whenever there is profit to be made then think of honesty. (Chinese Proverb)

Do not trust a person who claims to be honest, and never trust exaggerated friendliness. (Chinese Proverb)

If you truly want honesty, don't ask questions you don't really want the answer to. (Burmese Proverb)

Slander cannot destroy an honest man: when the flood recedes the rock is there. (Chinese Proverb)

Deceit is in haste, but honesty can wait a fair leisure. (Danish Proverb)

Beauty without honesty is like a rose without perfume. (Danish Proverb)

If thoughts were legal witnesses, many an honest man would be proved a rogue. (Danish Proverb)

Give at first asking what you safely can; 'tis certain gain to help an honest man. (Dutch Proverb)

When thieves fall out, honest men get their goods back. (Dutch Proverb)

But for all that the honest man has not got his purse. (French Proverb)

Nothing looks more like an honest man than a villain/rogue. (French Proverb)

Honesty makes you rich, but she works slowly. (German Proverb)

Better an honest enemy than a false friend. (German Proverb)

When rogues fallout, honest men come by their own. (Indian Proverb)

He is not an honest man who has burned his tongue and does not tell the company that the soup is hot. (Italian Proverb)

For an honest man half his wits are enough; the whole is too little for a knave. (Italian Proverb)

He that does not bring up his son to some honest calling and employment brings him up to be a thief. (Jewish Proverb)

Better an honest slap in the face than an insincere kiss. (Jewish Proverb)

A dying man discovers the honesty with which he was born. (Japanese Proverb)

The thief who has no opportunity to steal thinks he is an honest man. (Jewish Proverb)

Honesty with poverty is better than ill-gotten wealth. (Latin Proverb)

The thief who isn't caught is an honest salesman. (Romanian Proverb)

A thread will tie an honest man better than a chain a rogue. (Scottish Proverb)

In the absence of honest men, they made my father mayor. (Spanish Proverb)

If you would make a thief honest, trust him. (Spanish Proverb)

A person is not given integrity. It results from the relentless pursuit of honesty at all times. (Traditional Proverb)

Mercy to living beings, self restraint, truth, honesty, chastity and contentment, right faith and knowledge, and austerity are but the entourage of morality. (Traditional Proverb)

It pays to be honest, but it's slow pay. (Traditional Proverb)

The first step toward greatness is to be honest. (Traditional Proverb)
Honesty is the soul of business.

(Traditional Proverb)

Adaptability second only to integrity.

(Traditional Proverb)

An open box tempts an honest man.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Locks keep out only the honest.

(Jewish Proverb)

When it thunders, the thief becomes honest.

(Italian Proverb)

God lives in an honest heart.

(Japanese Proverb)

Stupidity begins with honesty.

(Japanese Proverb)

Honest men marry soon, wise men never.

(Italian Proverb)

Honesty lasts longest. (German Proverb)

Honest poverty is thinly sown. (French Proverb)

HONOR:

From our ancestors come our names from our virtues our honor. (Traditional Proverb)

If you are honored, honor yourself.
(Twi Proverb)

A sword's honor is its idleness.
(Welsh Proverb)

Honor buys no meat in the market. Hope is a good breakfast but a bad supper.
(Spanish Proverb)

The more danger, the more honor.
(Spanish Proverb)

Eild wald have Honor. (Scottish Proverb)

Honor is determined by your dress.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Where there is no honor, there is no grief.
(Romanian Proverb)

Even honor is not an honor, if there is nothing to eat. (Russian Proverb)

Bourd neither with me, nor with my Honor.
(Scottish Proverb)

An old ensign is a captain's honor.
(Romanian Proverb)

Honor is the reward of virtue.
(Romanian Proverb)

To do one's duty is to eat the prized fruit of honor.
(Nigerian Proverb)

To be without silver is better than to be without honor.
(Norse Proverb)

We might've fallen from the horse, but not from the honor.
(Persian Proverb)

A Klingon does not postpone a matter of honor.
(Klingon Proverb)

Honor is more important than life.
(Klingon Proverb)

One does not achieve honor.
(Klingon Proverb)

The Klingon who kills without showing his face has no honor.
(Klingon Proverb)

When you insult a Klingon's honor, prepare for trouble.
(Klingon Proverb)

One should strive to maintain one's honor.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Every feast has its guest of honor.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

Honor a child and he will honor you.

(Ila Proverb)

Honor is greater than wealth; wealth is only an instrument to attain honor.

(Hebrew Proverb)

He defends the honor of the uniform.

(Hungarian Proverb)

The more cost, the more honor.

(English Proverb)

Who grows up without fear will live without honor. (Estonian Proverb)

Honor follows those who flee from it.

(English Proverb)

Honor buys no beef. (English Proverb)

It is better to save your innocence at the cost of your honor, than to save your country at the cost of your life. (Chinese Proverb)

A man of honor will feel ashamed by a single question to which he does not know the answer. (Chinese Proverb)

It is better to save your innocence at the cost of your honor, than to save your country at the cost of your life.(Chinese Proverb)

A kingdom's strength is in mutual honor.
(Bantu Proverb)

Some are born to honor, and some have honor thrust upon them.(Albanian Proverb)

Honor your father and your mother.
(Albanian Proverb)

Honor to whom honor is due.
(Albanian Proverb)

Before honor is humility.(Albanian Proverb)

A gracious woman obtains honor, and strong men obtain riches.(Albanian Proverb)

Where there is no shame, there is no honor.(African Proverb)

Suffering and patience, obedience and application, help the lowly born to honor.
(Danish Proverb)

He, who lives without restraint, will die without honor.(Danish Proverb)

Money is truthful. If a man speaks of his honor, make him pay cash. (Dutch Proverb)

God sells knowledge for labor, honor for risk. (Dutch Proverb)

From the father comes honor, from the mother comfort. (Dutch Proverb)

A man is not known till he cometh to honor. (Dutch Proverb)

Where law lacks, honor should eke it out. (Danish Proverb)

Who fears no shame comes to no honor. (Dutch Proverb)

One does it for love, another for honor, a third for money. (Dutch Proverb)

A courtier should be without feeling and without honor. (French Proverb)

A churl knows not the work of spurs (i.e., honor). (French Proverb)

The word of honor of a gentleman--another pledge would be better. (French Proverb)

They, who deserve honor, fail of it; and they who obtain it, do not deserve it. (German)

He who lives without discipline dies without honor. (Icelandic Proverb)

A hundred years cannot repair a moment's loss of honor. (Italian Proverb)

Every man is the guardian of his own honor. (Indian Proverb)

An old flag is an honor to its captain. (Italian Proverb)

Among men of honor a word is a bond. (Italian Proverb)

Not everyone who sits in the seat of honor is master. (Jewish Proverb)

The post of honor is the post of danger. (Latin Proverb)

Where there is no honor there is no dishonor. (Portuguese Proverb)

To give is honor, to beg is dishonor. (Portuguese Proverb)

Honor and profit will not keep in one sack. (Portuguese Proverb)

Honor a good man that he may honor you,
and a bad man that he may not dishonor
you. (Portuguese Proverb)

Better retreat in honor than advance in
disgrace. (Serbian Proverb)

Honor goes to God; the priests get the
bacon. (Russian Proverb)

Honor and money cannot go in the same
sack. (Spanish Proverb)

Fond of lawsuits, little wealth; fond of doctors,
little health; fond of friars, little honor.
(Spanish Proverb)

To give is honor, to love is grief.
(Spanish Proverb)

Good to sell knowledge for labor, honor for
risk. (Traditional Proverb)

Ease and honor are seldom bedfellows.
(Traditional Proverb)

Chins without beards deserve no honor.
(Spanish Proverb)

Who loses honor can lose nothing else.
(Latin Proverb)

Honor to the vanquished.(Latin Proverb)

Honor's onerous.(Latin Proverb)

Men who have no religion, no honor.
(Latin Proverb)

Where there's no love, there's no honor.
(German Proverb)

To every lord every honor.(French Proverb)

Honor blossoms on the grave.(French Proverb)

Honor once lost never returns.(Dutch Proverb)

Honor is better than honors.(Belgian Proverb)

A man's word is his honor.(Danish Proverb)

Art and knowledge bring bread and honor.
(Danish Proverb)

Cunning has little honor.(Danish Proverb)

Honor buys no meat in the market.
(Danish Proverb)

Honor the old, teach the young.
(Danish Proverb)

Honor the tree that gives you shelter.

(Danish Proverb)

Poor relations have little honor.

(Danish Proverb)

There is honor among thieves.

(Danish Proverb)

HOPE:

Hope is the bread of the poor.

(Turkish Proverb)

Hope won't be cut from the soul that has not expired. (Turkish Proverb)

Things never go so well that one should have no fear, and never so ill that one should have no hope. (Turkish Proverb)

Hope may give a man strength, but not sense.

(Yiddish Proverb)

Honor buys no meat in the market. Hope is a good breakfast but a bad supper.

(Spanish Proverb)

With death you don't lose hope: damnation is called separation. (Sicilian Proverb)

Fear less, hope more; eat less, chew more;
whine less, breathe more; talk less, say more;
hate less, love more; and all good things are
yours. (Swedish Proverb)

Timely rain cheers my soul; water and sun
during seeding, inspires hope; the rains of
April and May are late at night; then the good
mornings, will be the wealth of the houses.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you don't hope, you won't be crushed.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't hope for rain or thunder, hope for an
agronomist. (Russian Proverb)

Hope for God, but do not be reliant.
(Russian Proverb)

In the kingdom of hope, there is no winter.
(Russian Proverb)

In the land of hope, there is never any winter.
(Russian Proverb)

Boldness is the fruit of hope.
(Filipino Proverb)

Hope is the last one to die.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Hope is the last to die.(Portuguese Proverb)

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick.
(Romanian Proverb)

Hope maketh not ashamed.
(Romanian Proverb)

We live by hope, but a reed never becomes an Iroko tree by dreaming.(Nigerian Proverb)

In the hour of adversity be not without hope.
(Persian Proverb)

Hope dies last of all.(Mexican Proverb)

If the hope is lost, it's better to hurry.
(Mexican Proverb)

To die defending his ship is the hope of every Klingon.(Klingon Proverb)

To die in the line of duty is the hope of every Klingon.(Klingon Proverb)

To die while serving the Empire is the hope of every Klingon.(Klingon Proverb)

Hope is the pillar of the world.
(Kanuri Proverb)

Abandon all hope, ye who enter here.

(Italian Proverb)

He has gained enough who gives up a vain

hope.(Italian Proverb)

Hope is the last thing ever lost.

(Italian Proverb)

Someone who wish something impossible.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Hope for miracles, but don't rely on one

happening.(Finnish Proverb)

Who cares well for cats will marry as happily

as he or she could ever wish.(French Proverb)

Arriving and leaving, hoping and

remembering, that's what life consists of.

(Haitian Proverb)

Too much hope deceives.(English Proverb)

Hope for the best, expects the worst.

(English Proverb)

Hope is grief's best music.(English Proverb)

Hope is life.(English Proverb)

Hope often deludes the foolish man.

(English Proverb)

Wish thy friend joy of his journey, but pray in secret that he have no joy, for then may he return quickly to thee. (Egyptian Proverb)

All temptations are found either in hope or fear. (English Proverb)

Better to have than wish. (English Proverb)

He who lives on hope, dies on shit.

(Corsican Proverb)

Hope for the best and prepare for the worst.

(Danish Proverb)

Things never go so well that someone should have no fear, nor so bad that someone should have no hope. (Danish Proverb)

As long as there is life, there is hope.

(Corsican Proverb)

Prayer is a wish turned upward.

(Albanian Proverb)

How tight can life be without the space of hope? (Arabic Proverb)

Industry need not wish. (Albanian Proverb)

Hope of gain lessens pain. (Albanian Proverb)

Hope is a good breakfast, but a poor supper.
(Albanian Proverb)

Hope is a good breakfast, but a poor supper.
(Albanian Proverb)

He that lives on hope has a slender diet.
(Albanian Proverb)

Your greatest hope is your greatest fear.
(African Proverb)

With a little seed of imagination you can grow
a field of hope. (African Proverb)

Those who give birth to nincompoop it's not
their wish. (African Proverb)

Hope is a good thing and good things never
die. (African Proverb)

The world lives on hope. (Afghan Proverb)

The smaller the lizard the greater the hope of
becoming a crocodile. (African Proverb)

Wishing does not make a poor man rich.
(Arab Proverb)

The soul will only be at rest when it stops hoping. (Arab Proverb)

Wishing does not make a poor man rich. (Arab Proverb)

The soul will only be at rest when it stops hoping. (Arab Proverb)

He who has health has hope, and he who has hope has everything. (Arab Proverb)

Hope is a great breakfast but a poor dinner. (Czech Proverb)

Hope is an egg, of which one man gets the yolk, another white, and a third the shell. (Danish Proverb)

Hope and strive is the way to thrive. (Danish Proverb)

He that lives on hope has but a slender diet. (Danish Proverb)

He that lives in hope dances to an ill tune. (Danish Proverb)

No man can make another's destiny and all the wishing in the world will not make it so. (Darkovan Proverb)

Hope for the best, but prepare for the worst.
(English Proverb)

Hope is the dream of a soul awake.
(French Proverb)

He, who travels with hope, has poverty for his coachman. (German Proverb)

He, who lives on hope, dies of hunger.
(German Proverb)

Youth lives on hope, old age on remembrance.
(French Proverb)

A good well-lived today makes every yesterday a dream of a good future, and every morning is a vision of hope. (Indian Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well, therefore, to this day. (Indian Proverb)

These can never be true friends: Hope, dice, a prostitute, a robber, a cheat, a goldsmith, a monkey, a doctor, a distiller. (Indian Proverb)

He gains much who loses a vain hope.
(Italian Proverb)

He gains a great deal who loses a vain hope.

(Italian Proverb)

If it were not for hope, the heart would break.

(Italian Proverb)

Hope is the last to abandon the unhappy.

(Italian Proverb)

It's good to hope, it's the waiting that spoils it.

(Jewish Proverb)

If things are not as you wish, wish them as they are.

(Jewish Proverb)

Hope for miracles, but don't rely on one.

(Jewish Proverb)

Hope for a miracle, but don't rely on it.

(Jewish Proverb)

Hope is a good breakfast but a bad supper.

(Latin Proverb)

Hope gives strength and courage, and saves an otherwise dying man from his grave.

(Latin Proverb)

We must live as we can, not as we would wish.

(Latin Proverb)

It is never winter in the land of hope.

(Russian Proverb)

A good hope is better than a bad possession.

(Spanish Proverb)

Hope does not kill; I shall live in hope of getting what I seek another day.

(South African Proverb)

The horses of hope gallop, but the asses of experience go slowly.

(Russian Proverb)

A wish is a desire without an attempt.

(Traditional Proverb)

Fear less, hope more, eat less, chew more, whine less, breathe more, talk less, say more, hate less, love more, and all good things will be yours.

(Swedish Proverb)

Where the heart is past hope, the face is past shame.

(Spanish Proverb)

Hoping and waiting is not by way of doing things.

(Traditional Proverb)

He that liveth in hope dances to an ill tune.

(Traditional Proverb)

Between the wish and the thing life lies waiting.

(Traditional Proverb)

Makes every yesterday a dream of happiness;
and every tomorrow a vision of hope; Look
well, therefore, to this day.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is composed of two parts that which is
past a dream and that which is to come a
wish. (Traditional Proverb)

He, who lives on hope, dies of starvation.

(Turkish Proverb)

Wish well, be well. (Traditional Proverb)

Quit not certainty for hope.

(Traditional Proverb)

Hope for the best. (Traditional Proverb)

Hope springs eternal in the human chest.

(Traditional Proverb)

The wish is father to the thought.

(Tibetan Proverb)

The pillar of the world is hope.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Where there is life, there is hope.

(Portuguese Proverb)

While there is life there is hope.

(Latin Proverb)

Chasten thy son while there is hope.

(Maltese Proverb)

He is consumed by a vain hope.

(Latin Proverb)

Hope is our only comfort in adversity.

(Latin Proverb)

Hope supports men in distress.

(Latin Proverb)

Hope sustains the farmer. (Latin Proverb)

With wishing comes grieving.

(Italian Proverb)

Hope is the physician of each misery.

(Irish Proverb)

Who could live without hope? (French Proverb)

After the act wishing is in vain.

(French Proverb)

Hope and expectation are a fool's income.

(Danish Proverb)

Hope deferred makes the heart sick.

(Danish Proverb)

Hope is the dream of the waking.

(Danish Proverb)

Hope springs eternal.(Danish Proverb)

Hope is the nurse of misery.

(American Proverb)

Only death itself can end our hope.

(Arab Proverb)

HORSE:

A proverb is the horse that can carry one swiftly to the discovery of ideas.

(Yoruban Proverb)

It is easy to see the fly on the other person's nose, while ignoring the horse on your own.

(Tibetan Proverb)

If an ass goes traveling it will not come home a horse.(Traditional Proverb)

Although the horse is stupid, it does not follow that the rider is stupid.(Tshi Proverb)

I have rather an ass that carries me than a horse that throws me. (Turkish Proverb)

The mountain makes the horse suffer, anger makes oneself suffer. (Tywa Proverb)

Drive the horse with oats, not with curses and oaths. (Yiddish Proverb)

The ideal is a four year old dog, an eight year old horse, an eighteen year old woman and a twenty eight year old man. (Sicilian Proverb)

The Sicilian horse: short and dwarf.
(Sicilian Proverb)

You drive a donkey with a stick, an ox and a mule with a prod, and the horse with a whip and spurs. (Sicilian Proverb)

You want a grumpy dog and a lively horse.
(Sicilian Proverb)

The man who does not love a horse cannot love a woman. (Spanish Proverb)

Don't look a horse that was given to you in the mouth. (Swedish Proverb)

Quhair stands your great horse?
(Scottish Proverb)

The blind Horse is hardest. (Scottish Proverb)

Trust yourself and your horse.
(Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

A dog for the mother, a horse for the father.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A spirited horse, a compliant; an aggressive man, a compliant horse. (Sicilian Proverb)

Always use spurs with a horse, whether it's mean or gentle. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you wish someone evil, give him a horse, and if you wish him more evil, give him two horses. (Sicilian Proverb)

In May the horse gets fat, but if he doesn't get fat it's better to ditch him.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Reins and a whip make a good horse.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Live, horse, and you'll get grass.
(Romanian Proverb)

One thing thinks the horse, and another he that saddles him. (Romanian Proverb)

The common horse is worst shod.

(Romanian Proverb)

Trust not a horse's heel, nor a dog's tooth.

(Romanian Proverb)

While the grass grows, the horse starves.

(Romanian Proverb)

Who hath no horse may ride on a staff.

(Romanian Proverb)

A Fair Bride is soon buskt, and a short Horse
is soon wispt. (Scottish Proverb)

A gentle Horse would not be over fair spurred.
(Scottish Proverb)

A given Horse should not be looked in the
teeth. (Scottish Proverb)

A Skabbed Horse is good enough for a skald
Squire. (Scottish Proverb)

A Horse may snapper on four feet.
(Scottish Proverb)

Ane may lead a Horse to the water, but four
and twenty cannot gar him drink.
(Scottish Proverb)

Of a given horse, one shouldn't check the teeth. (Portuguese Proverb)

One doesn't examine the teeth of a gift horse. (Portuguese Proverb)

You tie the horse at the will of the master. (Portuguese Proverb)

A good horse should be seldom spurred. (Romanian Proverb)

A hired horse tired never. (Romanian Proverb)

A horse may stumble that has four legs. (Romanian Proverb)

A horse, a wife, and a sword may be shewed, but not lent. (Romanian Proverb)

Better ride on an ass that carries me than a horse that throws me. (Romanian Proverb)

Do not spur a free horse. (Romanian Proverb)

For want of a nail the shoe is lost; for want of a shoe the horse is lost; for want of a horse the rider is lost. (Romanian Proverb)

A proverb is the horse of conversation: when the conversation lags, a proverb revives it. (Nigerien Proverb)

It's too late to close the stable door after the horse has escaped. (Norwegian Proverb)

He has lost the horse, but is looking for the horseshoe. (Persian Proverb)

The horse is Turkmen, it eats from both the nose-bag and the manger. (Persian Proverb)

They don't count the teeth of a gift horse. (Persian Proverb)

We might've fallen from the horse, but not from the honor. (Persian Proverb)

While horse is strong travel to see places. (Mongolian Proverb)

To the white horse the zebra said: 'I am white too,' and to the black horse: 'I am really black.' (Namibian Proverb)

To remove the hairs from a horse's tail, one by one must be plucked out. (Latin Proverb)

Urge the horse close to the turning-post. (Latin Proverb)

When they came to shoe the horse of the sultan, along comes the beetle and sticks out her foot. (Lebanese Proverb)

A sutra in a horse's ear. (Japanese Proverb)

A whip even to a galloping horse.
(Japanese Proverb)

The stumbling of a fabulous horse.
(Japanese Proverb)

A woman who cries, a man who swears, a horse that sweats, all imposture.
(Italian Proverb)

Better to ride an ass that carries me than a horse that throws me. (Italian Proverb)

Don't judge a horse by its harness.
(Italian Proverb)

It is better to ride a donkey that carries you than a horse that throws you. (Italian Proverb)

Put the cart before the horse.
(Italian Proverb)

The eye of the master fattens the horse.
(Italian Proverb)

Trouble rides a fast horse. (Italian Proverb)

Everyone lays a burden on the willing horse.
(Irish Proverb)

It is easy to drive with your own whip and another's horse. (Irish Proverb)

Many a happy colt makes a fine horse.
(Irish Proverb)

Money makes the horse gallop whether he has shoes or not. (Irish Proverb)

The morning of the race is not the morning to feed your horse. (Irish Proverb)

Without pressing too little or too hard, hold tight the reins for he's a fool who would not get value from a borrowed horse.
(Irish Proverb)

He puts on the right/wrong horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He, who digs a pit for the horse of another man, will find his own horse's neck broken there. (Hungarian Proverb)

Headman Simon drives the horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

If one person calls you a horse, laugh at him. If a second person calls you a horse, think about it. (Hungarian Proverb)

If there is no horse, a donkey will do as well.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The horse has to pull as the horse is also pulled.(Hungarian Proverb)

The horse should worry, he has a big head.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The horse's leg protrudes.(Hungarian Proverb)

The mouth of a treading horse is not muzzled.
(Hungarian Proverb)

This is a veterinary horse.(Hungarian Proverb)

A red dog, a read horse, a red man - none of them are good.(Hungarian Proverb)

Do not look at the tooth of a gift horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Every gypsy praises his own horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He fell to the other side of the horse.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Money's for buying and a horse is for riding.
(Finnish Proverb)

The fate of the Gypsy's horse.

(Finnish Proverb)

He is a horse with four white feet.

(French Proverb)

One man may better steal a horse than
another look on. (Gypsy Proverb)

The buyer needs a hundred eyes, the horse
thief not one. (Gypsy Proverb)

The third time someone tries to put a saddle
on you; you should admit you're a horse.

(English Proverb)

With great learning, a horse, and money, you
may travel the world. (English Proverb)

With Latin, a horse, and money, you may
travel the world. (English Proverb)

You can lead a horse to water but you cannot
make it drink. (English Proverb)

You may break a horse's back, be he never so
strong. (English Proverb)

A man is who knows to marry a woman and
buy a horse. (Estonian Proverb)

No hoof, no horse. (English Proverb)

Who takes care of a cat will take care of a horse too. (Estonian Proverb)

What good is grass when the horse is already dead? (Filipino Proverb)

He that cannot beat the horse beats the saddle. (English Proverb)

He that seeks a horse or a wife without fault, has neither steed in his stable nor angel in his bed. (English Proverb)

How can the foal amble if the horse and mare trot? (English Proverb)

You can't shoe a horse while it is running. (Dutch Proverb)

A man without religion is a horse without a bridle. (English Proverb)

Do not dwell in a city where a horse does not neigh nor a dog bark. (English Proverb)

My spurs and another's horse. (Corsican Proverb)

Once a horse is old, ticks and flies flock to it. (Corsican Proverb)

The owner's eye fattens the horse.

(Corsican Proverb)

The worst kick is from a trained horse.

(Corsican Proverb)

'Almost' does not push a man off his horse.

(Danish Proverb)

The eye of the master makes the horse fat.

(Danish Proverb)

You may force a horse to the water, but you cannot make him drink. (Danish Proverb)

To put the horse behind the cart.

(Dutch Proverb)

Do not put the cart before the horse.

(Brazilian Proverb)

He that feels sorry for the shoe, loses the horse. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Wait horse for green grass. (Bulgarian Proverb)

You can take a horse to water, but you cannot make him drink. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Donkey's lips do not fit in with a horse's mouth. (Chinese Proverb)

Like neither a donkey nor a horse.

(Chinese Proverb)

When your horse is on the brink of a precipice it is too late to pull the reins. (Chinese Proverb)

Your tongue is your horse? if you take care of it, it takes care of you; if you betray it, betrays it will. (Arabic Proverb)

The mule was asked: The mule was asked: "Who is your father?" It responded with: "The horse is my uncle." (Arabic Proverb)

The best place in the world is on the back of a horse, and the best thing to do in time is to read a book. (Arabic Proverb)

Take wisdom from the wise - not everyone who rides a horse is a jockey. (Arabic Proverb)

When you ain't got horse, ride cow. (Bajan Proverb)

You can take a horse to the pond but you can't make him drink. (Bajan Proverb)

A horse can trip. (Arabic Proverb)

You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make it drink. (Albanian Proverb)

There's no use in closing the barn door after the horse is stolen.(Albanian Proverb)

There's no such thing as a horse that can't be rode or a cowboy that can't be thrown.
(Albanian Proverb)

Better a donkey that carries me than a horse that throws me.(Albanian Proverb)

Always shut the gate after the horse is out.
(Albanian Proverb)

A man in passion rides a mad horse.
(Albanian Proverb)

If an ass goes a-traveling, he'll not come home a horse.(Akan Proverb)

The zebra told the white horse, the zebra told the white horse, "I am white," and told the black horse, "I am actually black."
(African Proverb)

If you see someone riding a bamboo-cane, tell him if you see someone riding a bamboo-cane, tell him "What a lovely horse!"(African Proverb)

Cutting the ears of a mule will not make him a horse.(African Proverb)

A horse may take the warrior to the battlefield but can never fight. (African Proverb)

Where a horse of a Turk passes the grass will not grow again. (Albanian Proverb)

An old friend is like a saddled horse. (Afghan Proverb)

I won't tie up the mule in a horse's place, says the widow. (Berber Proverb)

Give a horse to the one who likes the truth so that on it he can escape. (Armenian Proverb)

Choose a friend with the eyes of an old man, and a horse with the eyes of a young one. (Armenian Proverb)

Your tongue is like a horse -- if you take care of it, it takes care of you; if you treat it badly, it treats you badly. (Arab Proverb)

The nail supports the hoof, the hoof the horse, the horse the man, the man the world. (Arab Proverb)

Nobody has ever bet enough on a winning horse. (American Proverb)

Don't close the barn door after the horse runs away. (American Proverb)

Donkey's lips don't fit onto a horse's mouth.
(Chinese Proverb)

Distance tests a horse's strength; time reveals a man's character. (Chinese Proverb)

Be on a horse when you go in search of a better one. (Chinese Proverb)

A bride received into the home is like a horse that you have just bought; you break her in by constantly mounting her and continually beating her. (Chinese Proverb)

Rein in the horse at the edge of the cliff.
(Chinese Proverb)

Long roads test the horse, long dealings test the friend. (Chinese Proverb)

He who was presented with an ox must give in return a horse. (Chinese Proverb)

When you are in a hurry, the horse holds back. (Chinese Proverb)

You think you've lost your horse? Who knows, he may bring a whole herd back to you someday. (Chinese Proverb)

Govern a horse with a bit, and a shrew with a stick. (Danish Proverb)

Care, and not fine stables, make a good horse.
(Danish Proverb)

A sparrow suffers as much when it breaks its leg as does a Flanders horse.(Danish Proverb)

A hard bit does not make the better horse.
(Danish Proverb)

Wait for a month before you praise a horse,
and for a year before you praise a woman.
(Czech Proverb)

Cutting off a mule's ears doesn't make it a horse.(Native American Creole Proverb)

He who is born a mule can never be a horse.
(Corsican Proverb)

Trust not a skittish horse, nor a great lord,
when they shake their heads.(Danish Proverb)

Time is not tied to a post, like a horse to the manger.(Danish Proverb)

The man who is born in a stable is not a horse.(Danish Proverb)

The horse must go to the manger, and not the manger to the horse.(Danish Proverb)

The cow is milked, not the ox; the sheep is shorn, not the horse. (Danish Proverb)

Let a horse drink when he will, not what he will. (Danish Proverb)

It does not depend upon the dog when the horse shall die. (Danish Proverb)

If God bids thee draw, he will find thee a rope; if he bids thee ride, he will find thee a horse. (Danish Proverb)

He who rides the horse is his master. (Danish Proverb)

Counsel is as welcome to him as a shoulder of mutton to a sick horse. (Dutch Proverb)

Better be carried by an ass than thrown by a horse. (Dutch Proverb)

A plaster house, a horse at grass, a friend in words, are all mere glass. (Dutch Proverb)

A horse may stumble, though he has four feet. (Dutch Proverb)

There is nothing so good for the inside of a man as the outside of a horse. (Darkovan Proverb)

Don't kick the horse you have to ride.

(Darkovan Proverb)

You may take a horse to the water, but you can't make him drink. (Danish Proverb)

Don't lock the stable door after the horse is stolen. (English Proverb)

A ragged colt may make a good horse. (English Proverb)

The eye of the master makes the horse fat, and that of the mistress the chambers neat. (Dutch Proverb)

Take a horse by his bridle and a man by his word. (Dutch Proverb)

Don't harness the donkey and the horse together. (French Proverb)

Don't shut the barn door after the horse is stolen. (French Proverb)

Be a horse ever so well shod, he may slip. (French Proverb)

A kick from a mare never hurt a horse. (French Proverb)

A galled horse does not care to be curried.
(French Proverb)

If the horse is already dead more hay will not help it.(Filipino Proverb)

When he looked under the saddle he lost his horse.(Ethiopian Proverb)

A golden bit makes none the better horse.
(German Proverb)

A fence lasts three years, a dog lasts three fences, a horse three dogs, and a man three horses.(German Proverb)

The lucky fellow loses his wife, the unlucky fellow loses his horse.(Georgian Proverb)

Beware of the front of a bull, the back of a horse and both sides of a blind man.
(Georgian Proverb)

One man may steal a horse while another may not look over the hedge.(German Proverb)

The horse is not judged of by the saddle.
(German Proverb)

Take a horse to the knacker, and throw in bridle and saddle.(German Proverb)

Set a beggar on a horse and he'll ride to the devil. (German Proverb)

By slitting the ears and cutting the tail, a dog is still a dog, not a horse, not an ass. (Indian Proverb)

A dog will not make himself look like a horse just by cutting off his tail. (Indian Proverb)

The donkey sweats so the horse can be decorated with lace. (Haitian Proverb)

Nothing is so reckless as a blind horse. (Greek Proverb)

A jade eats as much as a good horse. (Italian Proverb)

The raggy colt often made a powerful horse. (Irish Proverb)

The horse does not retain its speed forever. (Irish Proverb)

It's no use locking the stable door after the horse has bolted. (Irish Proverb)

A nod is as good as a wink to a blind horse. (Irish Proverb)

Keep five yards from a carriage, ten yards from a horse, and a hundred yards from an elephant; but the distance one should keep from a wicked man cannot be measured.

(Indian Proverb)

He is a fool who boasts of four things: that he has good wine, a good horse, a handsome wife, and plenty of money.(Italian Proverb)

For a wife and a horse go to your neighbor.

(Italian Proverb)

Even a horse, though he has four feet, stumbles.(Italian Proverb)

Be the horse good or bad always wear your spurs. (Italian Proverb)

Save something for the man that rides on the white horse.(Italian Proverb)

Rather an ass that carries than a horse that throws.(Italian Proverb)

No need to say "trot" to a good horse.
(Italian Proverb)

Never heed the color of a gift horse.
(Italian Proverb)

It is better to lose the saddle than the horse.
(Italian Proverb)

In war time there is pay for every horse.
(Italian Proverb)

Never approach a goat from the front, a horse from behind, and a fool from both sides.
(Jewish Proverb)

Don't approach a goat from the front, a horse from the back or a fool from any side.
(Jewish Proverb)

A farmer should not ride the king's horse.
(Jewish Proverb)

A country can be conquered from the back of a horse but may not be ruled in the same manner.
(Japanese Proverb)

Who cannot beat the horse let him beat the saddle.
(Italian Proverb)

A man in a passion rides a horse that runs away with him.
(Latin Proverb)

A man devoid of religion is like a horse without a bridle.
(Latin Proverb)

A cough will stick longer by a horse than a peck of oats.
(Latin Proverb)

Only by falling do you learn how to mount a horse. (Kurdish Proverb)

If a pedestrian sees a horse he will want to ride it. (Korean Proverb)

To fall off a good horse is at least worthwhile. (Jewish Proverb)

Don't draw another's bow, don't ride another's horse, don't mind another's business. (Latin Proverb)

No horse is so good, but that he will at times stumble. (Latin Proverb)

Urge the horse close to the turning-post. [Don't let him run side; keep to the point in question.] (Latin Proverb)

To remove the hairs from a horse's tail, one by one must be plucked out. [Small persevering efforts succeed, when violent measures would fail.] (Latin Proverb)

Bravery without foresight is like a blind horse. (Persian Proverb)

It's too late to shut the stable door after the horse has bolted. (Norwegian Proverb)

Don't look for speed in a cheap horse; be content if it neighs. (Nigerian Proverb)

If you see him riding on a bamboo-cane, say to him, "Good health to your horse!" (Moroccan Proverb)

You can't put two saddles on the same horse. (Mongolian Proverb)

The donkey recognizes the tracks of a horse. (Mongolian Proverb)

A donkey that carries me is worth more than a horse that kicks me. (Mongolian Proverb)

A good resolution is like an old horse, which is often saddled but rarely ridden. (Mexican Proverb)

The widow is just as fiery as the horse that threw her. (Malawian Proverb)

Better an ass that carries me than a horse that throws me. (Portuguese Proverb)

A ragged colt may make a handsome horse. (Portuguese Proverb)

A fast horse does not want the spur. (Portuguese Proverb)

A scabby colt may make a good horse.

(Spanish Proverb)

A donkey decked in gold is better than an over-laden horse. (Spanish Proverb)

If you can't hold on to the horse's mane then don't try to hang on to its tail.

(Serbian Proverb)

You can take a horse to water, but you can't make him drink. (Rwandan Proverb)

Your feet are crooked, your hair is good for nothing, said the pig to the horse.

(Russian Proverb)

You look for the horse you ride on.

(Russian Proverb)

You do not need a whip to urge on an obedient horse. (Russian Proverb)

When he mounts his horse he forgets God; when he dismounts, he forgets his horse.

(Russian Proverb)

The horse may run quickly, but it can't escape its own tail. (Russian Proverb)

It is not the horse that draws the cart, but the oats. (Russian Proverb)

Happiness is not a horse, you cannot harness it. (Russian Proverb)

Fear the goat from the front, the horse from the rear, and a man from all sides. (Russian Proverb)

Absentmindedness is searching for the horse you are riding. (Russian Proverb)

In frosty weather a nail is worth a horse. (Spanish Proverb)

I would rather have a donkey that can carry me than a horse that throws me. (Spanish Proverb)

Give me the ass that carries me in preference to the horse that throws me. (Spanish Proverb)

A young woman is to an old man the horse that he rides to hell. (Spanish Proverb)

Three things are not to be trusted; a cow's horn, a dog's tooth, and a horse's hoof. (Spanish Proverb)

The mare's kicks are caresses to the horse. (Spanish Proverb)

The horse may wish to do one thing, but he who saddles him another.(Spanish Proverb)
The best feed of a horse is his master's eye.
(Spanish Proverb)

One takes care of the horse, another rides it.(Spanish Proverb)

Nothing is lost on a journey by stopping to pray or to feed your horse.(Spanish Proverb)

Not everyone who wears spurs owns a horse.(Spanish Proverb)

A woman is like a horse He who can drive her is her master.(Traditional Proverb)

The father may well be a horse, but it's most likely that the son will be a mule.
(Tibetan Proverb)

If two ride on a horse, one must ride behind.
(Traditional Proverb)

If an ass goes travelling it will not come home a horse.(Traditional Proverb)

How do you lead a horse to water With lots of carrots.(Traditional Proverb)

Closing the barn door after the horse escapes.
(Traditional Proverb)

For want of a nail the shoe was lost; for want of a shoe the horse was lost; for want of a horse the rider was lost. (Traditional Proverb)

Once a word leaves your mouth, you cannot chase it back even with the swiftest horse. (Traditional Proverb)

Not the fastest horse can catch a word spoken in anger. (Traditional Proverb)

Tis good to go on foot when one hath a horse. (Traditional Proverb)

The wagon rests in winter, the sleigh in summer, the horse never. (Traditional Proverb)

The horse can die from too much barley. (Turkish Proverb)

He said, "My uncle is the horse." (Tunisian Proverb)

Have a horse of your own and then you may borrow another's. (Welsh Proverb)

So hungry I could eat a horse. (Traditional Proverb)

Don't spur a willing horse. (Traditional Proverb)

Horse sense. (Traditional Proverb)

The grey mare is the better horse.

(Spanish Proverb)

A short halter for a greedy horse.

(Spanish Proverb)

A short horse is soon curried.

(Spanish Proverb)

He who butts a horse buys care.

(Spanish Proverb)

Stroke the horse until it is saddled.

(Polish Proverb)

Trust not a horse's heels. (Portuguese Proverb)

Rotten straw can harm a healthy horse.

(Russian Proverb)

Stand away from a horse's heels.

(Latin Proverb)

The master's eye makes the horse fat.

(Latin Proverb)

Nobody wants to buy a sleeping horse.

(Mexican Proverb)

Mettle is dangerous in a blind horse.

(Latin Proverb)

All lay load on the willing horse.

(Latin Proverb)

Tomorrow your horse may be lame.

(Jewish Proverb)

Never spur a willing horse. (Italian Proverb)

Trust well rides away with the horse.

(German Proverb)

When the horse dies, dismount.

(German Proverb)

A horse grown fat kicks. (Italian Proverb)

A lean horse does not kick. (Italian Proverb)

A runaway horse punishes himself.

(Italian Proverb)

Better lose the saddle than the horse.

(Italian Proverb)

Flies flock to the lean horse. (Italian Proverb)

No use in flogging a dead horse.

(German Proverb)

Spur not a willing horse. (French Proverb)

A blind horse goes straight forward.

(German Proverb)

Good wine makes the horse go.

(French Proverb)

Horse, don't die yet, grass is coming.

(French Proverb)

A woman like a horse needs spurs.

(French Proverb)

A good horse is worth his fodder.

(Dutch Proverb)

One cannot shoe a running horse.

(Dutch Proverb)

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(Dutch Proverb)

The best horse stumbles sometimes.

(Dutch Proverb)

Don't put the cart before the horse.

(English Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is a runaway horse.

(English Proverb)

Judge not the horse by his saddle.

(Chinese Proverb)

Putting the cart before the horse.
(American Proverb)

HOSPITALITY:

You can get farther with a friendly word than with a club.(Ukrainian Proverb)

When there is true hospitality, not many words are needed.
(Native American Arapaho Proverb)

Big bellies were never generous.
(Irish Proverb)

A healthy person who begs for food is an insult to a generous farmer.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

Who is generous is lazy, who is angry is diligent. (Estonian Proverb)

More generous than Hatim.(Arabic Proverb)

Abuse of hospitality breaks the bridge.
(Bemba Proverb)

Friendly is as friendly does.(Albanian Proverb)

Be generous to a generous person and you'd win him, be generous to a mean person and he'd rebel on you. (Arabic Proverb)

The generous can forget that they have given, but the grateful can never forget that they have received. (Albanian Proverb)

A dog will defend its territory though it's friendly. (African Proverb)

The maker of laws must be severe; who executes them must be generous. (Chinese Proverb)

Absence, and a friendly neighbor, washeth away love. (English Proverb)

Better a friendly denial than an unwilling compliance. (German Proverb)

The more the mother-in-law drinks the more friendly is her greeting. (Greek Proverb)

In hospitality, the chief thing is the good will. (Greek Proverb)

In this world generous people have no money and those with money are not generous. (Persian Proverb)

There is nothing better than a rich wife and a generous mother-in-law. (Russian Proverb)

Absence and a friendly neighbor washes away love. (Traditional Proverb)

Better a friendly refusal than an unwilling consent. (Traditional Proverb)

It is a sin against hospitality, to open your doors and darken your countenance. (Traditional Proverb)

When you see an old man amiable, mild, equable, content, and good-humored, be sure that in his youth he has been just, generous, and forbearing. In his end he does not lament the past, nor dread the future he is like the evening of a fine day. (Traditional Proverb)

You can proclaim the truth also in a friendly way. (Turkish Proverb)

The cat is friendly, but scratches. (Spanish Proverb)

Friendly words gain much and cost nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

The poorer, the more generous. (Russian Proverb)

Hospitality is one form of worship.

(Jewish Proverb)

Indifference is a generous kind of intolerance.

(Japanese Proverb)

Friendly words are convincing.

(Indian Proverb)

Be just before you're generous.

(Chinese Proverb)

HUG:

A kiss without a hug is like a flower without the fragrance.(Maltese Proverb)

HUMANITY:

The feeling of commiseration is the feeling of humanity; the feeling of shame and dislike is the beginning of righteousness; the feeling of deference and compliance is the beginning of propriety; and the feeling of right and wrong is the beginning of wisdom.(Confucian Proverb)

Above all nations is humanity.

(Albanian Proverb)

If you want to go up in the world, veil ambition with the forms of humanity.

(Chinese Proverb)

HUMILITY:

Asparagus and mushrooms teach a cook humility.(Sicilian Proverb)

Speak truth in humility to all people. Only then can you be a true man.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

Austerity is an ornament, humility is honorable.(Indian Proverb)

A smart man is usually humble.

(Indonesian Proverb)

To be a smart man you need to be humble.

(Indonesian Proverb)

too much modesty brings shame.

(Arabic Proverb)

Arrogance over the arrogant is modesty.

(Arabic Proverb)

Pride often apes humility.(Albanian Proverb)

If you have wit and learning, add to it wisdom and modesty. (Albanian Proverb)

Before honor is humility. (Albanian Proverb)

Those who get their kola nut cracked by the spirit should not forget to be humble. (African Proverb)

A slave must be humble. (African Proverb)

Those whose palm-kernels were cracked for them by a benevolent spirit should not forget to be humble. (African Proverb)

The poor ones give their alms in a humble way, the rich man throws them down with contempt. (Chinese Proverb)

Despise not a small wound, a poor kinsman, or a humble enemy. (Danish Proverb)

Let a saint be ever so humble, he will have his wax taper. (Danish Proverb)

And Modesty, who, when she goes, Is gone forever. (Latin Proverb)

Home is home, be it ever so humble. (Latin Proverb)

Death has no modesty. (Zulu Proverb)

Little beard, little modesty. (Spanish Proverb)

Modesty is the beauty of women.
(Scottish Proverb)

Rare is agreement between beauty and
modesty. (Latin Proverb)

Too humble is half proud. (Jewish Proverb)

When wine comes in, modesty leaves.
(Italian Proverb)

When wine enters modesty departs.
(Italian Proverb)

Too much humility is pride. (German Proverb)

Where wine goes in, modesty goes out.
(German Proverb)

Meekness is the pride of the humble.
(German Proverb)

The more noble, the more humble.
(German Proverb)

HYPOCRICY:

Credulity breeds credulity and ends in hypocrisy. (Tibetan Proverb)

Don't be a hypocrite. (Romanian Proverb)

The hypocrite is known by his actions, not by his clothes. (Mexican Proverb)

Better the world should know you as a sinner than God know you as a hypocrite.
(Danish Proverb)

Hypocrisy is a homage that vice pays to virtue.
(Indian Proverb)

Better to be known as a sinner than a hypocrite. (Traditional Proverb)

Hypocrisy is the mother of peace.
(Moorish Proverb)

HYPOTHESES:

Scientific hypotheses are free creations of our own minds, the result of an almost poetic intuition. (Traditional Proverb)

I CATEGORY

IDEA:

If lending were a good idea, then the husband would lend out his wife. (Hebrew Proverb)

A late repentance is a dog's idea.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Every fool follows their idea.
(Corsican Proverb)

An inflated idea can burst the bubble of your happiness. (Burmese Proverb)

Our pillow should be our counselor. [Sleep upon an idea.] (Latin Proverb)

One has woven the thread, another has drawn it forth. [One man invents, another develops the idea.] (Latin Proverb)

The best way to kill an idea is to take it to a meeting. (Traditional Proverb)

IDEAL:

The ideal is a four year old dog, an eight year old horse, an eighteen year old woman and a twenty eight year old man. (Sicilian Proverb)

The loftier and more distant the ideal, the greater its power to lift up the soul.
(Hebrew Proverb)

If you reach for the highest of ideals, you shouldn't settle for less than the stars.
(Arabic Proverb)

Never to forsake your ideals is better than dreaming of great things. (German Proverb)

IDLENESS:

The devil tempts all, but the idle tempt the devil. (Turkish Proverb)

A sword's honor is its idleness.
(Welsh Proverb)

He that does his turn in time, sits half idle.
(Scottish Proverb)

Love is the fruit of idleness.
(Romanian Proverb)

Idleness is the key of poverty.

(Romanian Proverb)

Idle hands are the devil's workshop.

(Puritan Proverb)

Be not idle, and you shall not be longing.

(Romanian Proverb)

Fighting is better than idleness.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Better an idle house than a bad tenant.

(Irish Proverb)

Idleness is a fool's desire. (Irish Proverb)

If you receive pay, you cannot sit idle and if you sit idle, you cannot receive pay.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Idleness is to be dead at the limbs but alive within. (Fijian Proverb)

He that labors is tempted by one devil; he that is idle is tempted by a thousand.

(English Proverb)

Idle folks have the least leisure.

(English Proverb)

The devil is always at the elbow of an idle man. (Albanian Proverb)

A young man idle, an old man needy. (Danish Proverb)

Idleness is hunger's mother, and of theft it is bull brother. (Dutch Proverb)

Better lose your labor than your time in idleness. (Dutch Proverb)

The trade of thick-headed Michael: eating, drinking, and idling. (Dutch Proverb)

Idleness is the sepulcher of a living man. (German Proverb)

As good be an addled egg as an idle bird. (German Proverb)

He devil tempts all, but the idle man tempts the devil. (Italian Proverb)

Virtue never goes far without the company of idleness. (Jamaican Proverb)

The devil tempts all, but the idle man tempts the devil. (Kurdish Proverb)

With the idle it is always holy day time. (Latin Proverb)

Let but the hours of idleness cease, and the bow of Cupid will become broken and his torch extinguished. (Latin Proverb)

Idleness moves so slowly that it will be overtaken by misery. (Malagasy Proverb)

The luck of idle men sits next to them. (Romanian Proverb)

The quail waits for the stick; the idle loiterer about a place waits for a kick from an old boot. (South African Proverb)

Beauty is the sister of idleness and the mother of luxury. (Russian Proverb)

The busy man is troubled with but one devil, the idle man by a thousand. (Spanish Proverb)

Idle men tempt the devil; the devil tempts all others. (Turkish Proverb)

Luck is the idol of the idle. (Traditional Proverb)

Idle people have the least leisure. (Traditional Proverb)

Idleness is a sort of suicide. (Traditional Proverb)

Idleness is the mother of all vices.

(Traditional Proverb)

The crows, the idle person grumbles.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Evil thoughts often come from idleness.

(Scottish Proverb)

Providence assists not the idle.

(Latin Proverb)

Study invites study, idleness produces idleness. (Latin Proverb)

He makes idle boasting. (Latin Proverb)

Idleness is ever the root of indecision.

(Latin Proverb)

Idleness ruins the constitution. (Latin Proverb)

Victory is not gained by idleness.

(German Proverb)

Idleness has poverty for wages.

(German Proverb)

Idleness is the beginning of all sin.

(German Proverb)

Idleness is the root of all evil. (German)

Poverty is the reward of idleness.

(Dutch Proverb)

Idleness is the devil's bolster.(Danish Proverb)

IGNORANCE:

Those who die through ignorance are many;
those who die because they are intelligent are
few.(Yoruban Proverb)

Ignorance doesn't kill you, but it will make you
sweat a lot.(Tahitian Proverb)

Ignorance is blindness.(Somali Proverb)

Changing one's mind is more often a sign of
prudence than of ignorance.
(Spanish Proverb)

There is only one good - knowledge; there is
only one evil - ignorance.(Russian Proverb)

Art has no enemy but ignorance.
(Romanian Proverb)

Stupidity is the lover of ignorance.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Art has no enemy except ignorance.

(Latin Proverb)

Ignorance is sweet for the soul.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Ignorance is a voluntary misfortune.

(Italian Proverb)

Ignorance and incuriosity are two very soft pillows.

(French Proverb)

Endeavor to bear the ignorance of fortune with patience.

(Greek Proverb)

There is no blindness like ignorance.

(English Proverb)

Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise.

(English Proverb)

If ignorance is bliss, why aren't more people happy?

(English Proverb)

Ignorance is the mother of superstition.

(English Proverb)

Ignorance is the death of the living.

(Arabic Proverb)

Ignorance is the worst acquaintance.

(Arabic Proverb)

Your ignorance is your worst enemy.

(Albanian Proverb)

Admiration is the daughter of ignorance.

(Albanian Proverb)

Laugh and show your ignorance.

(Albanian Proverb)

It's out of ignorance that a goat will attend a leopard's party. (African Proverb)

If you think education is expensive try ignorance. (African Proverb)

Every smart man is an ignoramus who abuses his ignorance. (Cameroonian Proverb)

Despise learning and make everyone pay for your ignorance. (Chinese Proverb)

The bitterness of studying is preferable to the bitterness of ignorance. (Filipino Proverb)

Ignorance doesn't necessarily kill you but it makes you sweat a lot. (Haitian Proverb)

Ignorance doesn't kill you, but it does make you sweat a lot. (Haitian Proverb)

Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it. (Greek Proverb)

Don't talk too much, because your ignorance is greater than your knowledge.

(Spanish Proverb)

To change one's mind is rather a sign of prudence than ignorance.

(Spanish Proverb)

He that boasts of his own knowledge proclaims his ignorance.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is the mother of all virtue; all vice proceeds from ignorance.

(Traditional Proverb)

We mustn't confuse mastery with mimicry, knowledge with superstitious ignorance.

(Traditional Proverb)

The owl of ignorance lays the egg of pride.

(Traditional Proverb)

Man is learning all his life and yet he dies in ignorance.

(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Innocence plays in the backyard of ignorance.

(Polish Proverb)

Ignorance is not privileged by titular degrees.

(Latin Proverb)

Ignorance of one's misfortunes is clear gain.

(Greek Proverb)

Ignorance is the peace of life.(Indian Proverb)

Ignorance is a form of environmental pollution.(American Proverb)

Ignorance is bliss.(American Proverb)

IMAGINATION:

Imagination cures the chaos in the heart.
(Tibetan Proverb)

A large eye does not mean keen vision.
(Rwandan Proverb)

Have a vision not clouded by fear.
(Native American Cherokee Proverb)

There is nothing that cannot be achieved by
firm imagination.(Japanese Proverb)

Vision with action is a daydream; action
without vision is a nightmare.
(Japanese Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action
with without vision is a nightmare.
(Japanese Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. (Indian Proverb)

Where there is no vision, people perish. (Biblical Proverb)

A mouse's vision is an inch long. (Chinese Proverb)

He who is narrow of vision cannot be big of heart. (Chinese Proverb)

Reality never surpasses imagination. (Albanian Proverb)

Faith is the vision of the heart. (Albanian Proverb)

With a little seed of imagination you can grow a field of hope. (African Proverb)

Vision quest should be continuous. (African Proverb)

If your vision is for a year plant wheat, if you vision is for a decade plant trees, and if your vision is for a lifetime plant people. (African Proverb)

Being blind doesn't mean one cannot dream or imagine. (African Proverb)

If you see in your wine the reflection of a person not in your range of vision, don't drink it. (Chinese Proverb)

He who waits for another man's trencher often dines in imagination. (French Proverb)

A good well-lived today makes every yesterday a dream of a good future, and every morning is a vision of hope. (Indian Proverb)

Yesterday is but a dream, tomorrow but a vision. But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well, therefore, to this day. (Indian Proverb)

Take a close look at today, because yesterday is but a dream and tomorrow is barely a vision. (Indian Proverb)

Vision without action is a daydream. Action without vision is a nightmare. (Japanese Proverb)

If you starve for three days, there is no thought that does not invade your imagination. (Korean Proverb)

Makes every yesterday a dream of happiness; and every tomorrow a vision of hope; Look well, therefore, to this day. (Traditional)

Look to this day, for yesterday is but a dream,
and tomorrow is only a vision.

(Traditional Proverb)

Routine and prejudice distort vision. Each
man thinks his own horizon is the limit of the
world.(Traditional Proverb)

Imagination gallops, judgment merely walks.
(Italian Proverb)

IMMORALITY:

Cultures are born and die, but the cheese is
immortal.(Icelandic Proverb)

Immortality is surely a pleasant feeling,
especially when the individual is still alive.
(Hebrew Proverb)

To be for one day entirely at leisure is to be for
one day an immortal.(Chinese Proverb)

Immortal glory waits on talent.
(Latin Proverb)

Pleasures are transient -- honors immortal.
(Greek Proverb)

INFINITY:

Genius is an infinite capacity for taking pains. (Dutch Proverb)

When identified with the ego, the Self appears other than what it is. It may appear smaller than a hair's breadth. But know the Self to be infinite. (Traditional Proverb)

The infinite is in the finite of every instant. (Zen Proverb)

INNOCENCE:

As there is guilt in innocence, there is innocence in guilt. (Yoruban Proverb)

Repentance is good, but innocence is better. (English Proverb)

Innocence can be an offence. (African Proverb)

Each snowflake in an avalanche pleads its innocence. (Darkovan Proverb)

A mind conscious of innocence laughs at the lies of rumor. (Latin Proverb)

No protection is so sure as that of innocence.
(Latin Proverb)

The greatest consideration is due to the
innocence of youth. (Latin Proverb)

Innocence itself sometimes hath need of a
mask. (Polish Proverb)

Innocence plays in the backyard of ignorance.
(Polish Proverb)

INSECTS:

When there are lots of insects, look for a good
grain year. (Sicilian Proverb)

He flies into the flame, the summer insect.
(Japanese Proverb)

Around a flowering tree, one finds many
insects. (Guinean Proverb)

If an insect as ever bit you when you see it,
you kill it or run away. (African Proverb)

Insects do not nest in a busy door-hinge.
(Chinese Proverb)

Around a flowering tree, there are many insects. (Guinean Proverb)

INSTINCT:

Opportunity plus instinct equals profit. (Klingon Proverb)

Trust your instincts. (Klingon Proverb)

Let him make use of instinct that cannot make use of reason. (English Proverb)

Every man is rich in excuses to safeguard his prejudices, his instincts, and his opinions. (Traditional Proverb)

Instinct is stronger than upbringing. (Irish Proverb)

A good dog hunts by instinct. (French Proverb)

INSULT:

A warning to the wise is a blessing, to the fool an insult. (Swahili Proverb)

Praise in own mouth is insult. (Portuguese)

Words of insults are futile, the more they fit,
the more they are lost. (Icelandic Proverb)

A healthy person who begs for food is an
insult to a generous farmer.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

Don't insult the dead. (African Proverb)

Insults must be written in sand and
compliments carved in stone. (Arab Proverb)

An insult is but a short garment: it reveals the
one who wears it. (Arab Proverb)

Anger is always more harmful than the insult
that caused it. (Chinese Proverb)

Only one who can swallow an insult is a man.
(Chinese Proverb)

He, who takes revenge for a small insult, will
have a bigger one thrown at him.
(Chinese Proverb)

An army is driven back by courage and not by
insults, however many. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A fool shows his annoyance at once, but a
prudent man overlooks an insult.
(Jewish Proverb)

Insults should be well avenged or well endured. (Spanish Proverb)

Insults should be written in sand, compliments should be carved in stone. (Traditional Proverb)

The shovel insults the poker. (Russian Proverb)

Whoever does not respect you, insults you. (Moroccan Proverb)

INTELLIGENCE:

In anger there is no intelligence. (Sukuma Proverb)

It is too late for you, let God give your children some intelligence. (Persian Proverb)

A man's intelligence is located in the tip of the pen. (Hebrew Proverb)

Intelligence is endowed, but wisdom is learned. (Chinese Proverb)

Intelligence is in the head, not in the age. (Azerbaijani Proverb)

Never let your education interfere with your intelligence. (Albanian Proverb)

To learn about other people is science, to learn to know yourself is intelligence. (Chinese Proverb)

Experience is the teacher of jesters and the intelligence of the wise. (German Proverb)

A woman's appetite is twice that of a man's; her sexual desire, four times; her intelligence, eight times. (Indian Proverb)

A fool who knows he is a fool has a little intelligence, but a fool that thinks he is intelligent is really a fool. (Indian Proverb)

Where there is a glut of words, there is a dearth of intelligence. (Indian Proverb)

You don't need intelligence to have luck, but you do need luck to have intelligence. (Jewish Proverb)

He who has no intelligence is happy with it. (South African Proverb)

A man can't be judge of his neighbor's intelligence. His own vital experience is never his neighbor's. (Traditional Proverb)

The sum of intelligence on the planet is a constant the population is growing.

(Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is love with intelligence.

(German Proverb)

Habit is the intelligence of the crowd.

(German Proverb)

Intelligence is the best capital.

(German Proverb)

Speaking French is no proof of intelligence.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

Bravery without intelligence is not bravery.

(Arab Proverb)

INTENTION:

He who desires to make something does not announce his intentions, just turns them into actions.(Swahili Proverb)

Confessions without contrition and prayers without intentions are time lost.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Hell is crowded with people of good intentions.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Hell is full of good intentions.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions, and roofed
with lost opportunities. (Portuguese Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions.
(Romanian Proverb)

Even the highway leading to Hell is paved with
good intentions. (Hungarian Proverb)

The road to ruin is paved with good
intentions. (German Proverb)

We judge others by their acts, but ourselves
by our intentions. (Albanian Proverb)

The road to hell is paved with good intentions.
(English Proverb)

Many have good intentions, but something
comes across them. (German Proverb)

The smallest good deed is better than the
grandest good intention. (Japanese Proverb)

To do things wrong with best intentions is better than acting to the letter of the law with evil intentions. (Jewish Proverb)

Mere intentions are not to be esteemed as actions. (Latin Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions, roofed in with lost opportunities. (Portuguese Proverb)

Man punishes the action, but God the intention. (Spanish Proverb)

If it is good then the deed is more important than the intention; if it's bad then the intention is worse than the deed.
(Spanish Proverb)

Intentions which die are pretensions which lie.
(Traditional Proverb)

Our outward actions reveal our hidden intentions. (Latin Proverb)

INTUITION:

Scientific hypotheses are free creations of our own minds, the result of an almost poetic intuition. (Traditional Proverb)

ISLAM:

In order to find evildoers, every human being is given a name. **(Tshi Proverb)**

A good name is better than a precious stone. **(Yiddish Proverb)**

If Nakedness promises you a piece of cloth, ask him his name. **(Sudanese Proverb)**

A bad name is like a stigma.
(South Sotho Proverb)

You have to suffer in the name of fashion.
(Spanish Proverb)

A good name is better than riches.
(Romanian Proverb)

A family name is not cooked and eaten; one's life is the thing. **(Nigerian Proverb)**

A good name is better than gold.
(Nigerian Proverb)

If he was any good, his name would be Kheirollah. **(Persian Proverb)**

A man's good name is as precious to him as his skin is to a tiger. **(Japanese Proverb)**

A man's good name is as precious to him as its skin is to a tiger. (Japanese Proverb)

A tiger dies and leaves his skin; a man dies and leaves his name. (Japanese Proverb)

Those who get the name of rising early may lie all day. (Irish Proverb)

It is better to suffer in name the truth than being rewarded for lying. (Icelandic Proverb)

Swearing in the name of one god while at the shrine of another god. (Igbo Proverb)

A good name is better than good perfume. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Don't spend the evening in a house where you can't spend the night. A good name is better than good perfume. After the hyena has gone, the dog barks. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Before you beat the dog, find out the name of his master. (Chinese Proverb)

A good name is better than precious ointment. (Biblical Proverb)

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches. (Biblical Proverb)

Nuh name, nuh blame.(Bajan Proverb)

One may get up late if one has the name of getting up early.(Albanian Proverb)

A fool's name is seen in many places.
(Albanian Proverb)

A good name is better than wealth.
(African Proverb)

Give a stammerer enough time and he will pronounce his father's name.(African Proverb)

It is possible to kill a man but it is impossible to kill his name.(African Proverb)

If nakedness promises to cloth you then look at its name.(African Proverb)

A person with a bad name is already half-hanged.(Chinese Proverb)

He that hath an ill name is half hanged.
(Dutch Proverb)

Bite me not, my name is little grizzle; had I a little tail I should be a little lion.
(Dutch Proverb)

A good name is better than a girdle of gold.
(French Proverb)

The person who is tired will find time to sleep.
A person with a bad name is already half
hanged.(English Proverb)

Take away my good name, take away my
life.(French Proverb)

He who gets a name for early rising can stay in
bed until midday.(Irish Proverb)

Give a dog an ill name, and you may as well
hang him.(Italian Proverb)

Get a name to rise early, and you may lie all
day.(Italian Proverb)

He who hath an ill name is half hanged.
(Italian Proverb)

He who has a bad name is half hanged.
(Italian Proverb)

A change of name or place may sometimes
save a person.(Jewish Proverb)

Only when the coffin is closed will we see how
long lasting is the name.(Japanese Proverb)

Life is for one generation; a good name is
forever.(Japanese Proverb)

A bad son gives his mother a bad name.
(Ivorian Proverb)

A good name is like sweet smelling ointment. (Latin Proverb)

Everybody has a name, but not always the same luck with it. (Latin Proverb)

Vices creep into our hearts under the name of virtue. (Latin Proverb)

He who leaves a good name does not die poor. (Norwegian Proverb)

The river may dry up but she keeps her name. (Nigerian Proverb)

Don't give a child a name until after it is born. (Netherlands Antillean Proverb)

A good name is more valuable than a velvet garment. (Moroccan Proverb)

A good painter need not give a name to his picture, a bad one must. (Polish Proverb)

He that has an ill name is half hanged.
(Spanish Proverb)

Go in God's name, for he takes a loaf of mine. (Spanish Proverb)

The evil wound is cured, but not the evil name. (Spanish Proverb)

Name not a rope in his house that hanged himself. (Spanish Proverb)

We have no son, and yet are giving him a name. (Spanish Proverb)

A rose by any other name would smell as sweet. (Traditional Proverb)

A good name is better than good habits. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Your name is mud. (Traditional Proverb)

Better to see the face than to hear the name. (Zen Proverb)

A good name covers theft. (Spanish Proverb)

The will gives the work its name. (German Proverb)

A good name is a rich inheritance. (German Proverb)

A good name is a second inheritance. (German Proverb)

A good name is better than oil.

(Dutch Proverb)

J CATEGORY:

JESUS:

Christ is powerful, but more powerful is destiny.(Icelandic Proverb)

He, who is a friend of Christ, will soon find salvation.(Hungarian Proverb)

Christ doesn't pay every Friday evening.
(Corsican Proverb)

Whether bad or good, Christ doesn't say why it happens.(Corsican Proverb)

When Christ was along, the devil tempted him.(German Proverb)

Love one another said Christ, but he didn't mention anything about preferences.
(Polish Proverb)

What Christ does not take the exchequer takes. (Spanish Proverb)

Jesus Christ was crucified by public opinion. (Russian Proverb)

JOKES:

The joke is the weapon of the witty; being serious is the shield of the stupid.
(Swedish Proverb)

A man with a sense of humor is never at a loss for words or action. (Somali Proverb)

A good joke is a penny worth. (Polish Proverb)

Truth often comes out of a joke.
(Japanese Proverb)

Only a heart can find the way to another heart. A wise man can laugh at his jokes.
(Iranian Proverb)

Truth may be told in a joke too.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Humor is an important asset: it means understanding and self-criticism. Where humor is absent, you'll find small-mindedness. (Hebrew Proverb)

A rich man's joke is always funny.

(English Proverb)

A rich man's joke is not always funny.

(English Proverb)

A Joke may have children born.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

When force is imposed, the law is a joke.

(Colombian Proverb)

A joke can break the earring. (Bajan Proverb)

Always tell the truth in the form of a joke.

(Armenian Proverb)

A sense of humor is the pole that adds balance to our steps as we walk the tightrope of life.

(Arab Proverb)

Humor to a man is like a feather pillow. It is filled with what is easy to get but gives great comfort. (Irish Proverb)

Marry for money, my little sonny, a rich man's joke is always funny. (Jewish Proverb)

A joke is often the hole through which truth whistles. (Japanese Proverb)

Jokes, which carry injury with them, are never agreeable. (Latin Proverb)

When an observation by joke is true, it is out of place and ill-natured. (Latin Proverb)

It is a wise man who can laugh at his own jokes. (Persian Proverb)

All in the way of joke the wolf goes to the ass. (Spanish Proverb)

Many a friend was lost through a joke, but none was ever gained so. (Traditional Proverb)

Funny farm. (Traditional Proverb)

Jokes and Humor for Gardeners.
(Traditional Proverb)

He that jokes confesses. (Italian Proverb)

True jokes never please. (French Proverb)

Manual jokes are clown's jokes.
(French Proverb)

JUDGEMENT:

Take care when you speak in judgment. Words are powerful weapons.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Listen with each ear, then to judgment.

(Manx Proverb)

A man with good judgment does not make the goat his gardener.

(Hungarian Proverb)

If you marry wise judgment, peace will become your brother-in-law.

(Bolivian Proverb)

A lean agreement is better than a fat judgment.

(American Proverb)

He that shows his money shows his judgment.

(Italian Proverb)

Short judgments make long friends.

(Traditional Proverb)

Judgment delayed is judgment avoided.

(Jewish Proverb)

Imagination gallops, judgment merely walks.

(Italian Proverb)

Much memory and little judgment.

(French Proverb)

JUDAISM:

Treat me like a rabbi; watch me like a thief.
(Yiddish Proverb)

The rabbi is just the man who knows the torah - he is not the torah itself.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Better a thief for a neighbor than an overzealous rabbi.(Jewish Proverb)

Treat me as a rabbi, but watch over me as a thief.(Jewish Proverb)

JUSTICE:

The justice of God is better than the justice of the world.(Sicilian Proverb)

God save us from a mistaken summons and poorly informed justice.(Sicilian Proverb)

Justice and fire, keep them at arm's length.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Justice and health, woe to the one who seeks them.(Sicilian Proverb)

Justice that's pending is injustice attending.
(Sicilian Proverb)

People with money and friends don't esteem justice.(Sicilian Proverb)

Summary justice is a summary offense.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If old age was the same as wisdom, any old donkey would be a celebrated Justice.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Justice begins at home.(Portuguese Proverb)

Injustice all round is justice.(Persian Proverb)

Where force rules, justice does not exist.
(Macedonian Proverb)

Justice becomes injustice when it makes two wounds on a head which only deserves one.
(Congo Proverb)

Kings Matthias is dead, justice is lost.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The Hungarian justice is three.
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The world is sustained by three things: justice, truth and peace.(Hebrew Proverb)

He, who has money and friends, turns his nose at justice. (Corsican Proverb)

Justice is a good thing, only not in my house, but in my neighbor's. (Cuban Proverb)

Much law, little justice. (Chinese Proverb)

One justice can overpower a hundred evils. (Chinese Proverb)

Without justice, courage is weak. (Albanian Proverb)

An ounce of favor goes farther than a pound of justice. (Albanian Proverb)

Justice delayed is justice denied. (Albanian Proverb)

Fidelity is a noble virtue, yet justice is nobler still. (Albanian Proverb)

Rather the cruelty of the Turks than the justice of the Bedouins. (Arab Proverb)

Better to have a handful of might than a sack of justice. (Czech Proverb)

Justice oft leans to the side where the purse pulls. (Danish Proverb)

For most people love of justice is no more than the fear to suffer injustice. (French Proverb)

An ounce of favor goes further, or is worth more, than a pound of justice. (French Proverb)

Who refuses to submit to justice, must not complain of oppression. (German Proverb)

Where might is the master, justice is the servant. (German Proverb)

Justice is better than admiration if you are going to kill, then kill an elephant; if you are going to steal make sure it's a treasure. (Indian Proverb)

He that buys the office of magistrate must of necessity sell justice. (Italian Proverb)

Money and friendship break the arms of justice. (Italian Proverb)

The world exists on three things: truth, justice, and peace. (Jewish Proverb)

Justice is exercised in the proper prevention, rather than in the severe punishment, of crime. (Latin Proverb)

For lack of men they made my father a justice. (Portuguese Proverb)

Peralvillo justice: hang a man first and try him afterwards. (Spanish Proverb)

One hour in the execution of justice is worth seventy years of prayer. (Traditional Proverb)

One hour of justice is worth seventy hours of prayer. (Turkish Proverb)

Justice to all. (Traditional Proverb)

Bribery is the enemy of justice.
(Swahili Proverb)

Justice, but not in my own house.
(Spanish Proverb)

Paper and ink and little justice.
(Spanish Proverb)

Much law, but little justice.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Clemency is the support of justice.
(Russian Proverb)

Forgiveness is a pillar of justice.
(Russian Proverb)

Who demands justice, must administer justice. (German Proverb)

Popular agitation leads to justice.
(Indian Proverb)

Conscience is the chamber of justice.
(Italian Proverb)

Justice has a waxen nose. (German Proverb)

The more law, the less justice.
(German Proverb)

He that buyeth magistracy will seek justice.
(English Proverb)

Justice knows no friendship.
(Estonian Proverb)

Favor and gifts disturb justice.
(Danish Proverb)

K CATEGORY

KARMA:

The wheel of karma always repeats itself. Just like wheels of a cart. (Thai Proverb)

Even when our sleeves brush together it is our karma. (Japanese Proverb)

Karma and shadows follow one everywhere. (Japanese Proverb)

Karma is the mother and karma is the father. (Burmese Proverb)

Worthless people blame their karma. (Burmese Proverb)

KINDNESS AND QUEENS:

If you show a rich man kindness, you gain nothing, but when you wrong him he avenges himself instantly. (Sicilian Proverb)

A word of kindness is better than a bottle of vodka. (Russian Proverb)

By being grateful, a man makes himself deserving of yet another kindness.

(Nigerian Proverb)

With a sweet tongue and kindness, you can drag an elephant by a hair. (Persian Proverb)

Stupidity closes the doors of kindness.
(Mexican Proverb)

Kindness can pluck the whiskers of a lion.
(Moroccan Proverb)

He who has received a kindness forgets it; he who has been injured remembers it.
(Latin Proverb)

Kindness will never be wasted in any way.
(Japanese Proverb)

Only the rich can afford compassion.
(Irish Proverb)

The seagull thinks it is an act of kindness to give the fish a in the air. (Irish Proverb)

one ill behavior may cause others to forget the kindness we've done. (Indonesian Proverb)

Kindness is the beginning and the end of the law. (Hebrew Proverb)

The world rests on three things: the bible,
religious worship, and deeds of loving
kindness. (Hebrew Proverb)

Kindness brings happiness. (English Proverb)

He that asketh a courtesy promiseth a
kindness. (English Proverb)

Kindness is more binding than a loan.
(Albanian Proverb)

Better to do a kindness near home than go far
away to burn incense. (Chinese Proverb)

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burn incense. (Chinese Proverb)

It is easy to forget a kindness, but one
remembers unkindness. (Indian Proverb)

No thanks attach to a kindness long deferred.
(Latin Proverb)

How quickly with all is a kindness forgotten!
(Latin Proverb)

He who has received a kindness forgets it; he
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benefit one and injure another at the same
time is a losing game, for revenge is a stronger
feeling than gratitude.] (Latin Proverb)

By a sweet tongue and kindness, you can drag an elephant with a hair. (Persian Proverb)

A word of kindness is better than a fat pie. (Russian Proverb)

Acts of kindness may soon be forgotten, but the memory of an offense remains. (Traditional Proverb)

Kindness is the noblest weapon to conquer with. (Traditional Proverb)

Kindness is that perfume which cannot be poured on others without getting a few drops on one's self. (Traditional Proverb)

Kindness is a language which the blind can see and the deaf can hear. (Traditional Proverb)

Is there any one maxim which ought to be acted upon throughout one's whole life surely the maxim of loving kindness is such do not unto others what you would not they should do unto you. (Traditional Proverb)

The eating of meat extinguishes the seed of great compassion. (Traditional Proverb)

Plant kindness and gather love. (Traditional Proverb)

Kindness is greater than law.

(Traditional Proverb)

He suffocates me with kindness.

(Latin Proverb)

The greatest wisdom of all is kindness.

(Jewish Proverb)

One kindness is the price of another.

(Japanese Proverb)

Kindness begets kindness.

(Greek Proverb)

Kindness breaks no bones.

(German Proverb)

Nothing grows old sooner than a kindness.

(French Proverb)

KISS:

Kiss an arm you cannot break, and pray to

God to break it.

(Syrian Proverb)

Demand a kiss from a fat woman, and be ready to receive a sweet taste.

(Turkish Proverb)

Kiss him; kiss him, little mouth of honey:

you're the hooker but I'm the wife.

(Sicilian)

An honest answer is like a kiss on the lips.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Do not correct with a strike that which can be taught with a kiss. (Moroccan Proverb)

The hand you cannot bite, kiss.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Without money you can neither hug nor kiss.
(Maltese Proverb)

There is one who kisses, and the other who offers the cheek. (French Proverb)

Kisses are keys. (English Proverb)

When you cannot bite a hand, kiss it.
(Arabic Proverb)

Faithful are the wounds of a friend; but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful.
(Biblical Proverb)

It is difficult for two long-nosed lovers to kiss.
(African Proverb)

Don't let a fool kiss you no let a kiss fool you.
(African Proverb)

Kiss the hand of your enemy if you cannot chop it off: Envy has no rest. (Arab Proverb)

A sponge to wipe away the past; a rose to sweeten the present; a kiss to greet the future.
(Arab Proverb)

Better a slap from your friend than a kiss from your enemy.(Dutch Proverb)

Kisses that are easily obtained are easily forgotten.(English Proverb)

There is one who kisses, and the other offers a cheek.(French Proverb)

The tall one wouldn't bend; the short one wouldn't stretch and the kiss was lost.
(Georgian Proverb)

Better an honest slap in the face than an insincere kiss.(Jewish Proverb)

Better a slap from a wise man than a kiss from a fool.(Jewish Proverb)

A bite from a loving mouth is worth more than a kiss from any other.(Lebanese Proverb)

Do not make me kiss, and you will not make me sin.(Russian Proverb)

Wet kisses are the messengers of the heart.
(Spanish Proverb)

An apple-pie without some cheese, is like a kiss without a squeeze. (Traditional Proverb)

Who kisses the feet of his mother, kisses the step of Paradise. (Turkish Proverb)

Kiss the hand which you cannot wring. (Traditional Proverb)

Kiss the hand that you cannot bite. (Romanian Proverb)

Kisses are the messengers of love. (Danish Proverb)

L CATEGORY

LANGUAGE:

A nation without a language is a nation without a heart. (Welsh Proverb)

Old donkeys do not learn languages. (Portuguese Proverb)

Languages differ but coughs are the same. (Nigerian Proverb)

The man who knows two languages is worth two men. (Italian Proverb)

A foreign language is more easily learned in the kitchen than at school. (German Proverb)

In language there is life, in language there is death. (Hawaiian Proverb)

He who does not love their national language is worse than a putrid fish. (Filipino Proverb)

Living at a river, one comes to know the nature of the fish therein; dwelling by a mountain, one learns to recognize the language of the birds thereupon.
(Chinese Proverb)

Perhaps no one has a finer command of a language than he who keeps his mouth shut.
(Albanian Proverb)

Open your ears to the ancestors and you will understand the language of spirits.
(African Proverb)

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Language is not plain. (African Proverb)

If you want people to understand you, you speak their language. (African Proverb)

A filthy mouth will not utter decent language.
(Chinese Proverb)

As the man is, so is his language.(Danish)

As long as a language lives, the people will not perish.(Czech Proverb)

Who knows the language is at home everywhere.(Dutch Proverb)

Words are the leaves of the tree of language, of which, if some fall away, a new succession takes their place.(French Proverb)

You must answer the devil in his own language.(Indian Proverb)

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LAUGHTER:

When a father gives to his son, they both laugh. (Yiddish Proverb)

What soap is to the body, laughter is to the soul. (Yiddish Proverb)

The wails of heirs are halfway laughter. (Swedish Proverb)

When the old man falls, don't laugh, the young have also fallen. (Sicilian Proverb)

When you're invited, eat heartily, because if they like you they'll laugh, and if they don't like you they'll feel the pangs of death. (Sicilian Proverb)

The greatest death is laughter. (South African Proverb)

Our wasted days are the days we never laugh. (Sudanese Proverb)

Laugh, and lay down again. (Scottish Proverb)

They laugh at that which wins. (Scottish Proverb)

Laughter without reason is either crazy or stupid. (Sicilian Proverb)

It makes chicken laugh. (Russian Proverb)

There is a time to weep, and a time to laugh. (Romanian Proverb)

Too much laughter discovers folly. (Romanian Proverb)

A good laugh is sunshine in a house. (Russian Proverb)

If you rush things, you'll just make others laugh. (Russian Proverb)

Laugh better he who laughs last.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Much laughter, little brains.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Gaming, women and wine, while they laugh,
they make men pine. (Romanian Proverb)

Money has the capability of making people laugh; but when they laugh, the foolish ones sometimes forget to close their mouths.
(Nigerian Proverb)

While life yet lasts, laughter and molasses.
(Mexican Proverb)

Some will learn through pain and sorrow,
others through joy and laughter, so it is written. (Moroccan Proverb)

If you want to give God a good laugh, tell him of your future plans. (Namibian Proverb)

The weaknesses of old age are no fit cause for laughter, since they must be our own portion at the end. (Manx Proverb)

Tickle us, do we not laugh? Prick us, do we not bleed? Wrong us, shall we not seek revenge?(Klingon Proverb)

If anybody makes you laugh, it is not always because he loves you.(Kikuyu Proverb)

When kitchen dresser tumble dung, maaga dog laugh.(Jamaican Proverb)

Talk about things of tomorrow and the mice inside the ceiling laugh.(Japanese Proverb)

A very jealous person is glad when somebody else cries, and sighs when others laugh.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

When you're hungry, sing; when you're hurt, laugh.(Israeli Proverb)

If one person calls you a horse, laugh at him. If a second person calls you a horse, think about it.(Hungarian Proverb)

Poverty is no joy, although it sometimes makes you laugh.(Finnish Proverb)

Laugh before breakfast and you'll cry before lunch.(English Proverb)

Laugh till you cry, sorrow till you die.
(English Proverb)

Laughter is the shortest distance between two people. (English Proverb)

Every skin teeth aint a laugh. (Bajan Proverb)

May the crazy not die to make people laugh! (Amharic Proverb)

Laugh and show your ignorance. (Albanian Proverb)

A ripple of laughter is worth a flood of tears. (Albanian Proverb)

If one didn't laugh, one would have to cry. (African Proverb)

Don't laugh at others. (African Proverb)

The dog never minds not to laugh. (African Proverb)

The antics of a market buffoon provide laughter, but nobody prays that his child becomes the market buffoon. (African Proverb)

Laughter does wonders for the heart. (African Proverb)

When men speak of the future, the gods laugh. (Chinese Proverb)

Seek counsel of him who makes you weep,
and not of him who makes you laugh.

(Arab Proverb)

Follow the advice of the one who makes you
cry, not from the one who makes you laugh.

(Arab Proverb)

Laugh at the rice and you will weep for the
lentil.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

You will never be punished for making people
die of laughter.

(Chinese Proverb)

Only men laugh, only men weep, only men
dance.

(Darkovan Proverb)

Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep,
and you weep alone.

(English Proverb)

The price of a laugh is too high, if it is raised
at the expense of another.

(Dutch Proverb)

Saying well causes a laugh; doing well
produces silence.

(French Proverb)

Bricks and mortar make a house, but the
laughter of children makes a home.

(Irish Proverb)

One with the courage to laugh is master of the world almost as much as the one who is ready to die. (Italian Proverb)

Laugh and everyone sees it, cry and no one sees it. (Jewish Proverb)

Among those who stand, do not sit; among those who sit, do not stand. Among those who laugh, do not weep; among those who weep, do not laugh. (Jewish Proverb)

When you talk about future happenings the devil starts to laugh. (Japanese Proverb)

Laughter cannot bring back what anger has driven away. (Japanese Proverb)

A poor joke must invent its own laughter. (Latin Proverb)

When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry. (Jewish Proverb)

The laughter, the tears, and the song of a woman are equally deceptive. (Latin Proverb)

As long as the clouds dolt weeps, the pasture cannot laugh. (Persian Proverb)

Those who love you will make you weep; those who hate you will make you laugh.

(Russian Proverb) - [More Russian Proverbs...](#)

A house without a dog, a cat, or a little child is a house without joy or laughter.

(Scottish Proverb)

Let me go warm, and folks may laugh.

(Spanish Proverb)

If you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans.

(Spanish Proverb)

A laugh is just like sunshine. It freshens all the day.

(Traditional Proverb)

An optimist laughs to forget, a pessimist forgets to laugh.

(Traditional Proverb)

Laughter is brightest, in the place where the food is.

(Traditional Proverb)

Laugh alone and the world thinks you're an idiot.

(Traditional Proverb)

The teeth that laugh are also those that bite.

(West African Proverb)

Laughter can be heard farther than weeping.

(Traditional Proverb)

Laughter is the best medicine.

(Traditional Proverb)

If you feel sad, laugh.(Traditional Proverb)

Laugh and grow fat.(Traditional Proverb)

Laugh before breakfast, you'll cry before supper.(Traditional Proverb)

Much laughter, little wit.(Portuguese Proverb)

They laugh till they cry.(Latin Proverb)

Laugh with those that laugh.(Latin Proverb)

Laugh, if you are wise.(Latin Proverb)

Laughter abounds in the mouths of fools.
(Latin Proverb)

Let them laugh that win.(Latin Proverb)

Laughter makes good blood.(Italian Proverb)

The thief's wife does not always laugh.
(Italian Proverb)

Laughter is the hiccup of a fool.
(Japanese Proverb)

No one was ever hurt by laughter.

(Japanese Proverb)

Ill-timed laughter is a dangerous evil.

(Greek Proverb)

Many families are built on laughter.

(Indian Proverb)

The laugh is always on the loser.

(German Proverb)

The merchant that loses cannot laugh.

(French Proverb)

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A fool laughs when others laugh.

(Danish Proverb)

The deaf laugh twice. (Afghan Proverb)

Meaningless laughter is a sign of ill-breeding.

(Arab Proverb)

LAZINESS:

Small laziness leads to big laziness.

(Tywa Proverb)

The seed of all evil is laziness.(Welsh Proverb)

Saints sleep three hours, merchants sleep five, ordinary people seven and the lazy sleep nine.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A good borrower is a lazy payer.
(Russian Proverb)

It is a lazy man who says "it is only because I have no time that my farm is overgrown with weeds".(Nigerian Proverb)

The lazy is a brother of the beggar.
(Mexican Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man the angel of death.(Jewish Proverb)

Laziness is a heavy burden.(Irish Proverb)

Tomorrow says the lazy.(Icelandic Proverb)

For the lazy and the poor, everything always takes twice the effort.(Honduran Proverb)

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A busy women has a lazy daughter, a lazy women has a busy daughter.(Hungarian)

A lazy man works twice. (Hungarian Proverb)

Who is generous is lazy, who is angry is diligent. (Estonian Proverb)

Laziness is the sibling of starvation.
(Filipino Proverb)

Work for naught makes folks dead lazy.
(English Proverb)

Laziness goes so slowly that poverty overtakes it. (English Proverb)

When your finger is in pain, your sight is not lazy. (Ekonda Proverb)

A lean fee is a fit reward for a lazy clerk.
(English Proverb)

When the sun sets, lazy people prepare.
(Corsican Proverb)

He who is not lazy shall get much green.
(Czech Proverb)

Laziness is the devil's pillow.
(Danish Proverb)

A life of leisure and a life of laziness are different things. (Albanian Proverb)

It is in the eyes of a lazy man that maize will ripen. (African Proverb)

Lazy people always want to do everything at the same time. (Chinese Proverb)

The ground is always frozen for the lazy swine. (Danish Proverb)

It is a lazy bird that will not build its own nest. (Danish Proverb)

Wishes are the echo of a lazy will. (Dutch Proverb)

Lazy people will eventually lose even their trousers. (Filipino Proverb)

Lazy people are always eager to be doing something. (French Proverb)

Lazy men get active when it's time to sleep. (German Proverb)

The acre of laziness is full of thistles. (German Proverb)

Towards evening the lazy person begins to get busy. (German Proverb)

Make sure to send a lazy man for the Angel of Death. (Jewish Proverb)

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Offer the lazy man an egg, and he'll want you to peel it for him. (Lithuanian Proverb)

Offer the lazy an egg, and they'll want you to peel it for them. (Lithuanian Proverb)

Long and lazy, little and loud; fat and fulsome, pretty and proud. (Romanian Proverb)

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I a lazy lout, you a lazy lout, marry me, Antonia. (Spanish Proverb)

A lazy thief is better than a lazy servant. (Swedish Proverb)

Laziness travels so slowly that poverty soon overtakes it. (Traditional Proverb)

No Jew a fool; no hare lazy. (Spanish Proverb)

Poverty is an older daughter of laziness. (Senegalese Proverb)

To try and fail is not laziness. (Sierra Leonean Proverb)

There are two kinds of error blind credulity and piecemeal criticism. Never believe a word without putting its truth to the test discernment does not grow in laziness and this faculty of discernment is indispensable to the Seeker. Sound skepticism is the necessary condition for good discernment but piecemeal criticism is an error. (Traditional Proverb)

Lazy people have no spare time.
(Japanese Proverb)

Winter comes fast on the lazy. (Irish Proverb)

Laziness is often mistaken for patience.
(French Proverb)

Blame is a lazy man's wages. (Danish Proverb)

LEADERSHIP:

The frog selects a leader. (Thai Proverb)

When the flock makes an about-face, the stragglers become leaders. (Turkish Proverb)

A leader is judged not by the length of his reign but by the decisions he makes.
(Klingon Proverb)

A leader must stand alone. (Klingon Proverb)

For one mission, there is one leader.
(Klingon Proverb)

A change of event such as the death of a leader, will lead to other changes.
(Indonesian Proverb)

We must not appoint a leader over the community without first consulting the people.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A leader is not necessarily one who knows the way but one who thinks he knows the way.
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If you are a leader of peace, listen to the discourse of the petitioner. Be not abrupt with him; that would trouble him.
(Egyptian Proverb)

The song that has no leader, goes wrong.
(Bajan Proverb)

A wrong step by the leader is a warning for those following. (Bayombe Proverb)

You are not born a leader, you become one.
(African Proverb)

He who fears fire cannot be a leader.

(African Proverb)

A spiritual leader is able to see the past,
present and the future.(African Proverb)

A leader is he who tells his people what they
must hear, not what they want to hear.

(African Proverb)

A leader does not rise for a squirrel.

(African Proverb)

A good leader was once a good follower.

(African Proverb)

A church without a leader is prey for the devil.

(Georgian Proverb)

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Good leading makes good following.

(Dutch Proverb)

LEARNING:

If you are ugly, learn how to dance.

(Zambian Proverb)

When the pupil is ready to learn, a teacher will appear. (Zen Proverb)

Learn to stand up where one falls.

(Tibetan Proverb)

Learn what you want and leave or others.

(Tibetan Proverb)

An ounce of discretion is worth a pound of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

As we live, so we learn. (Yiddish Proverb)

Who stays at the master and doesn't learn, is either a jackass or pretends to be one.

(Sicilian Proverb)

He wanders around by day a lot, learns a lot.

(Swahili Proverb)

Wealth, if you use it, comes to an end;
learning, if you use it, increases.

(Swahili Proverb)

Doctors learn on their patients.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Learn weeping, and you shall gain laughing.

(Romanian Proverb)

Learn wisdom by the follies of others.

(Romanian Proverb)

Much learning makes men mad.(Romanian)

Repetition is a mother of learning.

(Russian Proverb)

What Johnny won't learn, John won't know.

(Polish Proverb)

He, who knows, knows. He, who doesn't know,
learns.(Portuguese Proverb)

He didn't learn anything.(Romanian Proverb)

In doing, we learn.(Romanian Proverb)

Walk in the valley of our ancestors, learn of
the history, and marvel at the beauty.

(New Zealander Proverb)

In sweet converse call the righteous to thy side, learn a healing song while thou livest.
(Norse Proverb)

In youth we learn, in old age we understand.
(Mexican Proverb)

Learning expands great souls.
(Namibian Proverb)

Learning is a golden urn that can never be stolen.
(Mannar Proverb)

Learning is fine clothes for the rich man, and riches for the poor man.
(Manx Proverb)

As long as you live, you learn.
(Latvian Proverb)

You know, you teach. You do not know, you learn.
(Laotian Proverb)

Men learn oratory by practice.
(Latin Proverb)

Travelling is learning.
(Kikuyu Proverb)

Learning means loving the country.
(Laotian Proverb)

The hen scratches and the chicken learn.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Learning is better than becoming rich.
(Khakas Proverb)

To come out of one's house means learning.
(Kikuyu Proverb)

Teaching is half learning.(Japanese Proverb)

To teach is also to learn.(Japanese Proverb)

First learn, and then form opinions.
(Jewish Proverb)

Whoever does not try, does not learn.
(Jewish Proverb)

Learn to dance at home before you go abroad.
(Jamaican Proverb)

We learn from our mistakes.(Italian Proverb)

Asking question is the only way to learn.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Be diligent in learning.(Indonesian Proverb)

Learn to steer, you will turn an ox.
(Hungarian Proverb)

To lose is to learn.(Hindi Proverb)

While the blanket is short, learn to bend.
(Filipino Proverb)

No person is too old to learn.(French Proverb)

Whatever is good to know is difficult to learn.
(Greek Proverb)

The love of money and the love of learning
rarely meet.(English Proverb)

With great learning, a horse, and money, you
may travel the world.(English Proverb)

Who is smart will learn.(Estonian Proverb)

Learn weeping and thou shalt gain laughing.
(English Proverb)

Learning makes a good man better and a bad
man worse.(English Proverb)

Learning makes people fit company for
themselves.(English Proverb)

Everyone is weary: the poor in seeking, the
rich in keeping, and the good in learning.
(English Proverb)

He that nothing questions, nothing learns.
(English Proverb)

Whilst doing one learns.(Dutch Proverb)

Learn to rise up out of the enigmatic egg in the hidden land.(Egyptian Proverb)

A handful of good life, is better than a bushel of learning.(English Proverb)

A little Learning is a dangerous thing.
(English Proverb)

The more one lives the more one learns.
(Corsican Proverb)

You learn something every day.
(Corsican Proverb)

Learn a new language and get a new soul.
(Czech Proverb)

One who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning.(Danish Proverb)

Diligence is the vehicle on the paths of
Mountains of Books; endurance is the vessel
on the courses of the Seas of Learning.
(Chinese Proverb)

Learning how the Handan residents walk.
(Chinese Proverb)

Our purpose here is to observe, to learn, to grow, to love; and then we return home.

(Australian Proverb)

Wise men learn from other men's mistakes; fools insist on learning from their own.

(Albanian Proverb)

If you have wit and learning, add to it wisdom and modesty.

(Albanian Proverb)

Every failure teaches a man something, if he will learn.

(Albanian Proverb)

Cease to do evil, learn to do well.

(Albanian)

Learn as you'd live forever; live as you'd die tomorrow.

(Albanian Proverb)

What you learn is what you die with.

(African Proverb)

What you help a child to love can be more important than what you help him to learn.

(African Proverb)

The wise create proverbs for fools to learn, not to repeat.

(African Proverb)

Learning makes some into Mullahs and some into devils.

(Afghan Proverb)

A man with little learning is like the frog who thinks its pond is an ocean. (Burmese Proverb)

When what you want doesn't happen, learn to want what does. (Arab Proverb)

Live and learn, die and forget it all.
(American Proverb)

Do not confine your children to your own learning, for they were born in another time.
(Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a weightless treasure you always carry easy. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure which accompanies its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is weightless, treasure you can always carry easily. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is like rowing upstream: not to advance is to drop back. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a weightless treasure you always carry easy. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure which accompanies its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere. (Chinese Proverb)

Learn to paint a tiger and you only paint his skin; learn to know a human being and you only know his face. (Chinese Proverb)

The man who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

One who is afraid of asking questions is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

He, who is ashamed of asking, is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

He who is afraid to ask is ashamed of learning. (Danish Proverb)

He, who herds with wolves, learns to howl. (Danish Proverb)

Learn who your friends are when you are in need. (Dutch Proverb)

Learn thou of learned men, th' unlearned of thee; for thus must knowledge propagated be. (Dutch Proverb)

No man is so young he cannot teach, or so old he cannot learn. (Darkovan Proverb)

Learning makes a man fit company for himself as well as for others. (English Proverb)

The older one grows the more one learns. (Dutch Proverb)

A handful of good life is better than seven barrels of learning. (French Proverb)

What little Hans didn't learn, big Hans doesn't know. (German Proverb)

What Master Jacky does not learn, Mr. John never knows. (German Proverb)

What little Jack does not learn, big John will never. (German Proverb)

A man in this world without learning is as a beast of the field. (Indian Proverb)

What is good to know is difficult to learn. (Greek Proverb)

All things good to know are difficult to learn. (Greek Proverb)

Learn about the future by looking at the past. (Indian Proverb)

When house and land are gone and spent,
then learning is most excellent.

(Italian Proverb)

Experience without learning is better than
learning without experience.(Latin Proverb)

By learning you will teach, by teaching you
will learn.(Latin Proverb)

By ignorance we mistake, and by mistakes we
learn.(Latin Proverb)

Let the ignorant learn, and the learned delight
in refreshing the memory.(Latin Proverb)

To be without learning, is to be without eyes.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

One pound of learning requires ten pounds of
common sense to apply it.(Persian Proverb)

Learn good manners from those who don't
have them.(Persian Proverb)

A handful of mother wit is worth a bushel of
learning.(Spanish Proverb)

Learn young, learn fair; learn old, learn more.
(Scottish Proverb)

Learn from your tears and you will win laughing. (Spanish Proverb)

A handful of common sense is worth a bushel of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

He who learns teaches, he who teaches learns. (Traditional Proverb)

He who is afraid of asking is ashamed of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

One must learn how to lose before learning how to play. (Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn to listen. Opportunity could be knocking at your door very softly. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn the good ways of your enemies avoid the bad ways of your elders. (Traditional Proverb)

Learn from the school of hard knocks ... don't die dumb. (Traditional Proverb)

Before you love, learn to run through snow without leaving footprints. (Turkish Proverb)

A day of travelling will bring a basketful of learning. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Learning Zen is a phenomenon of gold and dung. Before you understand it, it's like gold; after you understand it, it's like dung.
(Zen Proverb)

There is no royal road to learning.
(Turkish Proverb)

Never too late to learn. (Traditional Proverb)

He, who sleeps much, learns little.
(Spanish Proverb)

Never too old to learn. (Latin Proverb)

Teach in order to learn. (Latin Proverb)

You will learn by teaching. (Latin Proverb)

Without learning, without eyes.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

It is never too late to learn. (Latin Proverb)

Learning has sour roots, but pleasant fruits.
(Latin Proverb)

Either learn or leave. (Latin Proverb)

As you teach, you learn.(Jewish Proverb)

To teach is to learn.(Japanese Proverb)

Live and learn.(Italian Proverb)

We learn by teaching.(Italian Proverb)

We learn by teaching.(Italian Proverb)

Learn to obey before you command.
(Greek Proverb)

Learn to walk before you run.(Greek Proverb)

No one is too old to learn.(German Proverb)

He who teaches, learns.(French Proverb)

Learning is there for every man.
(French Proverb)

One learns by failing.(French Proverb)

Learn to creep before you run.(Dutch Proverb)

Patience surpasses learning.(Dutch Proverb)

Learn politeness from the impolite.
(Egyptian Proverb)

He who learns, teaches.(Ethiopian Proverb)

He that inquires much, learns much.
(Danish Proverb)

What youth learns, age does not forget.
(Danish Proverb)

Learning is better than house and land.
(Chinese Proverb)

Learning is treasure no thief can touch.
(Chinese Proverb)

LEISURE:

Idle folks have the least leisure.
(English Proverb)

To be totally at leisure for one day is to be
immortal for one day.(Chinese Proverb)

A life of leisure and a life of laziness are
different things.(Albanian Proverb)

To be for one day entirely at leisure is to be for
one day an immortal.(Chinese Proverb)

Deceit is in haste, but honesty can wait a fair
leisure.(Danish Proverb)

Sickness comes in haste, and goes at leisure.
(Danish Proverb)

We do in haste what we repent at leisure.
(German Proverb)

A life of leisure, and a life of laziness, are two things.(Portuguese Proverb)

The busiest men have the most leisure.
(Traditional Proverb)

Idle people have the least leisure.
(Traditional Proverb)

There is luck in leisure.(Spanish Proverb)

To a hasty demand, a leisure reply.
(Spanish Proverb)

Hasten at leisure.(German Proverb)

Marry in haste and repent at leisure.
(Dutch Proverb)

Unemployment does not guarantee leisure.
(Darkovan Proverb)

LETTER:

Memory slips, letters remain.

(Welsh Proverb)

No letters are good letters.

(Swedish Proverb)

The heart's letter is read in the eye.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love came in a paper bag, said the maiden
when she got a letter from her sweetheart.

(Finnish Proverb)

A beautiful face is a letter of recommendation.

(Albanian Proverb)

Never answer a letter while you are angry.

(Chinese Proverb)

In the midst of great joy, do not promise
anyone anything. In the midst of great anger,
do not answer anyone's letter.

(Chinese Proverb)

A jackfish does more than a letter of
recommendation.

(French Proverb)

A good figure is better than a reference letter.

(French Proverb)

The first love letters are written with the eyes.
(French Proverb)

A marriage in later years sends a letter to the grave digger.(German Proverb)

An old spinster is not worth more than a unposted letter.(Hungarian Proverb)

A dream which has not been interpreted is like a letter unread.(Jewish Proverb)

A man of three letters, "F U R."(Latin Proverb)

To do things wrong with best intentions is better than acting to the letter of the law with evil intentions.(Jewish Proverb)

Money will do more than my lord's letter.
(Spanish Proverb)

A good face is a letter of recommendation.
(Traditional Proverb)

The word that is heard perishes, but the letter that is written remains.(Traditional Proverb)

A prudent man will read the letter from back to front.(Turkish Proverb)

The letter enters with blood.(Spanish Proverb)

Egotism is an alphabet of one letter.

(Scottish Proverb)

Money is better than my lord's letter.

(Scottish Proverb)

LIBERAL:

The covetous spends more than the liberal.

(English Proverb)

A man who has both feet planted firmly in the air can be safely called a liberal.

(American Proverb)

The niggard spends as much as he who is

liberal, and in the end more. (French Proverb)

It befits the king to be liberal, for he is sure of never falling into poverty. (Portuguese Proverb)

When poor, liberal; when rich, stingy.

(Spanish Proverb)

Liberal enough of another man's leather.

(Latin Proverb)

Liberal hands make many friends.

(Danish Proverb)

LIBERTY:

Who rids himself of his own freedom, always finds himself with worry and pain.

(Sicilian Proverb)

To whom you tell your secrets, to him you resign your liberty.

(Spanish Proverb)

A smart man doesn't give his wife a lot of freedom.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Freedom and health, which has them is rich and doesn't know it.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who receives a gift sells his liberty.

(Romanian Proverb)

Freedom for the free and heaven for the saved.

(Russian Proverb)

Freedom is never given but taken.

(Kurdish Proverb)

We have to fight for our freedom as long as it takes, and we shall not mind the death following our struggle for independence.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Liberty is dearer than gold.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Yuh does give yuh mout too much liberty.
(Bajan Proverb)

The ground of liberty must be gained by inches.(Albanian Proverb)

It's better to eat a mushroom in freedom than to eat meat in slavery.(African Proverb)

If your mouth is in someone else's kitchen it cannot get its independence.(African Proverb)

The child who loves freedom is the first victim of it.(Bambara Proverb)

A country without freedom is like a prisoner with shackled hands.(Filipino Proverb)

The narrower the cage, the sweeter the liberty.
(German Proverb)

He who accepts the gift loses his liberty.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He who takes a woman gives away his freedom.(Italian Proverb)

To whom you tell your secret you surrender your freedom.(Italian Proverb)

Injurious is the gift that takes away freedom.
(Italian Proverb)

To receive a favor is to sell one's liberty.
(Japanese Proverb)

By the sword she seeks peaceful quiet under liberty. (Latin Proverb)

To place yourself under an obligation is to sell your liberty. (Latin Proverb)

Where you tell your secret you surrender your freedom. (Portuguese Proverb)

A bean in liberty is better than a comfit in prison. (Romanian Proverb)

Freedom of speech use it or lose it.
(Traditional Proverb)

Non-injury, truthfulness, freedom from theft, lust, anger, and greed, and an effort to do what is agreeable and beneficial to all creatures this is the common duty of all castes. (Traditional Proverb)

Those that marry for money sell their liberty.
(Traditional Proverb)

When money is taken freedom is forsaken.
(Traditional Proverb)

Where there is doubt, there is freedom.
(Traditional Proverb)

A library is an arsenal of liberty.

(Traditional Proverb)

Liberty has no price.

(Spanish Proverb)

Freedom is a plateful of hard crusts.

(Sicilian Proverb)

He who accepts favors, pawns his freedom.

(Slovak Proverb)

Who accepts from another sells his freedom.

(German Proverb)

Liberty is God's gift, liberties the devil's.

(German Proverb)

Money taken, freedom forsaken.

(German Proverb)

He who borrows sells his freedom.

(German Proverb)

Lean liberty is better than fat slavery.

(German Proverb)

Liberty has no crueller enemy than license.

(French Proverb)

LIBRARY:

Knowledge is rooted in all things--the world is a library.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

The death of an elderly man is like a burning library.(Ivorian Proverb)

When an old man dies, a library burns down.(African Proverb)

Every time an old man dies it is as if a library has burnt down.(African Proverb)

Some men have only one book in them, others a library.(English Proverb)

A library is a repository of medicine for the mind(Greek Proverb)

A library is an arsenal of liberty.(Traditional Proverb)

LIFE:

The life of the land is the life of the people.(Tahitian Proverb)

A beautiful person might not have a beautiful life. (Taiwanese Proverb)

Those who have saved one life, have saved the entire world. (Tibetan Proverb)

In life, it is always possible to reach agreement in the end. (Tuareg Proverb)

Property will not earn life, but life will earn property. (Turkish Proverb)

How you run your life, that's how your clock will run. (Yiddish Proverb)

To lengthen thy life, lessen thy meals. (Sicilian)

To ward off the boredom of life, eat snails in May and fish in August. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who chooses a wife based on the dowry, will have a painful life. (Sicilian Proverb)

Friendless in life, friendless in death. (Spanish Proverb)

He who fears death cannot enjoy life. (Spanish Proverb)

The area covered by your life is not as important as what you can build on it. (Swahili Proverb)

A quarrel between brothers costs soul and life.
(Swedish Proverb)

Light supper makes long life.
(Scottish Proverb)

Fleeing is shameful but it preserves life.
(Sicilian Proverb)

God has dominion over your possessions and your life.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to have a happy life, stay far away from your relatives.(Sicilian Proverb)

Life is a battle.(Romanian Proverb)

No man has a lease of his life.
(Romanian Proverb)

None so old that he hopes not for a year of life.
(Romanian Proverb)

The letter killeth, but the spirit giveth life.
(Romanian Proverb)

Life is short, but there's a lot to be done.
(Russian Proverb)

Living life is not like crossing a meadow.
(Russian Proverb)

Living life is not like just crossing a field.

(Russian Proverb)

Living your life is not like crossing a meadow.

(Russian Proverb)

Ill life, an ill end. (Scottish Proverb)

Life begins at 40! (Portuguese Proverb)

Life has become a little less sweet, death a little less bitter, and heaven a little more real.

(Puritan Proverb)

He is unworthy of life that causes not life in another. (Romanian Proverb)

A family name is not cooked and eaten, one's life is the thing. (Nigerian Proverb)

A toad does not jump around in the daytime, unless something is after its life.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is he who has no place to call at that moves fast through life. (Nigerian Proverb)

Without History, No Life. (Nigerian Proverb)

A lying tongue had bereft him of life, and all without reason of right. (Norse Proverb)

Happy is he who hath in himself praise and wisdom in life. (Norse Proverb)

Today is the first day of the rest of your life. (American Proverb)

An alive person needs life. (Persian Proverb)

There is more time than life. (Mexican Proverb)

Tree that grows crooked will never be straightened - bad habits learned early in life are hard to get rid of later. (Mexican Proverb)

Few desires, happy life. (Moroccan Proverb)

Life is not separate from death. It only looks that way. (Native American Blackfoot Proverb)

What is life? It is the flash of a firefly in the night. It is the breath of a buffalo in the wintertime. It is the little shadow which runs across the grass and loses itself in the sunset... (Native American Blackfoot Proverb)

When you lose the rhythm of the drumbeat of god, you are lost from the peace and rhythm of life. (Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

Life is a farce. (Maltese Proverb)

Wisdom comes only when you stop looking for it and start living the life the Creator intended for you. (Native American Hopi Proverb)

A man's life is a circle from childhood to childhood, and thus it is in everything where the power moves.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Life is both giving and receiving.

(Native American Mohawk Proverb)

As you go the way of life you will see a great chasm. Jump. It is not as wide as you think.

(Native American Plains Proverb)

The greatest pleasure in life lies in doing that which people say we cannot do.

(Manx Proverb)

Life has seasons. (Maasai Proverb)

Honor is more important than life.

(Klingon Proverb)

Mere life is not a victory, mere death is not a defeat. (Klingon Proverb)

Negotiation may cost far less than war, or infinitely more: for war cannot cost more than one's life. (Klingon Proverb)

To understand life, endure pain.

(Klingon Proverb)

To find your place in life is easier than to occupy it.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Life cannot be trusted; death can come at any moment.

(Kashmiri Proverb)

It is one life, whether we spend it in laughing or in weeping.

(Japanese Proverb)

Life is a candle before the wind.

(Japanese Proverb)

Only God knows one's term of life.

(Japanese Proverb)

Some people like to make of life a garden, and to walk only within its paths.

(Japanese Proverb)

Whoever enjoys his life is doing the Creator's will.

(Jewish Proverb)

He that has time, has life.

(Italian Proverb)

Life is half spent before we know what it is.

(Italian Proverb)

Hog run fe him life, darg run fe him character.

(Jamaican Proverb)

As you slide down the banister of life, may the splinters never point the wrong way.

(Irish Proverb)

The beginning and end of one's life is to draw closer to the fire.(Irish Proverb)

Your lord's rent or your child's life.

(Irish Proverb)

If you cry because the sun has gone out of your life, your tears will prevent you from seeing the stars.(Icelandic Proverb)

Live a good and useful life.

(Indonesian Proverb)

He who gains time, gains life.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Life is beautiful if it is hectic.

(Hungarian Proverb)

When a life is at stake, don't follow the majority.(Hebrew Proverb)

He brought motion in a quiet life.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Life is uncertain so eat your desert first.

(Finnish Proverb)

Life is an onion that you peel crying.

(French Proverb)

Mirth is the sugar of life. (German Proverb)

In language there is life, in language there is death. (Hawaiian Proverb)

In the word is life, in the word is death.

(Hawaiian Proverb)

When love is given, love should be returned,
anger gives no life. (Hawaiian Proverb)

A Jew without a wife will not find peace in this life. (Hebrew Proverb)

Books provide knowledge, life furnishes understanding. (Hebrew Proverb)

Faith is not a whole series of axioms but a whole way of life. (Hebrew Proverb)

Only two things in life are certain; death and taxes. (English Proverb)

There is an hour wherein a man might be happy all his life, could he find it.
(English Proverb)

Two things prolong your life: A quiet heart and a loving wife. (English Proverb)

Those who know how to play can easily leap over the adversaries of life. And one who knows how to sing and laugh never brews mischief. (Eskimo Proverb)

A man without a knife is a man without a life. (Faroese Proverb)

Life is like this: sometimes sun, sometimes rain. (Fijian Proverb)

It is advantageous to follow advice, for you will succeed in life. (Filipino Proverb)

Life is like a wheel, sometimes at the top, sometimes at the bottom. (Filipino Proverb)

Life and misery began together. (English Proverb)

Life is short and time is swift. (English Proverb)

Life liveth not in living, but in liking. (English Proverb)

Life's a bitch and then you marry one. (English Proverb)

Life's bleach and then you dye.

(English Proverb)

Favor will surely perish as life.

(English Proverb)

Happy wife, happy life. (English Proverb)

Hope is life. (English Proverb)

Those who are in the following of the prince of everlastingness and God of Life, sing with joy.

(Egyptian Proverb)

A cheerful wife is a joy of life. (English Proverb)

A fair death honors the whole life.

(English Proverb)

A handful of good life is better than a bushel of learning. (English Proverb)

A merry heart makes a long life.

(English Proverb)

A son is a son till he gets him a wife, but a daughter's a daughter the rest of your life.

(English Proverb)

Bread is the staff of life, but beer's life itself.

(English Proverb)

He who does not grow old is deprived of life.

(Corsican Proverb)

Life is just as long as the time it takes for someone to pass by a window.

(Corsican Proverb)

Life is short; but it barely takes a second to smile. (Cuban Proverb)

Life is not holding a good hand; Life is playing a poor hand well. (Danish Proverb)

Life has always been a mixture of joy and pain, wealth and poverty. (Dominican Proverb)

A wise husband and a patient wife equal a peaceful home and a happy life.

(Dutch Proverb)

For the concert of life, no one receives a program. (Dutch Proverb)

Life does not always go over roses.

(Dutch Proverb)

Life is a stairway - some are going up, others are going down. (Bulgarian Proverb)

The child who is given everything he asks for usually won't succeed in life.

(Burmese Proverb)

A life with love is happy; a life for love is foolish.(Chinese Proverb)

A wise man is able to adapt to the surprises of life as water to the decanter it is poured in.
(Chinese Proverb)

All of life is a dream walking, all of death is a going home.(Chinese Proverb)

If you want your children to have a peaceful life, let them suffer a little hunger and a little coldness.(Chinese Proverb)

It is better to save your innocence at the cost of your honor, than to save your country at the cost of your life.(Chinese Proverb)

Life can never give security, it can only promise opportunity.(Chinese Proverb)

Life unfolds on a sheet called time and once finished is gone forever.(Chinese Proverb)

One moment of patience may ward off a great disaster; one moment of impatience may ruin a whole life.(Chinese Proverb)

Sometimes life can be as bitter as dragon tears.(Chinese Proverb)

As long as there is life, there is hope.

(Corsican Proverb)

The end of life is death.(Arabic Proverb)

Remind the youngster of his next life.

(Arabic Proverb)

Man is like a palm on the beach; moving with the wind of life.(Arabic Proverb)

Life will show you what you did not know.

(Arabic Proverb)

Life is made of two days.(Arabic Proverb)

Life is a dogma and a fight for the dogma.

(Arabic Proverb)

In the desert of life the wise travel by caravan, while the fool prefers to travel alone.

(Arabic Proverb)

In the desert of life the wise person travels by caravan, while the fool prefers to travel alone.

(Arabic Proverb)

If the people wanted life, destiny better respond.(Arabic Proverb)

Days are many, what is one is life.

(Bantu Proverb)

Four things come not back -- the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity. (Arabic Proverb)

There are many kinds of fruit that grow on the tree of life, but none as sweet as friendship. (Albanian Proverb)

The greatest art is the art of life. (Albanian Proverb)

The golden rule of life is, make a beginning. (Albanian Proverb)

The best advice I know in life is don't give too much. (Albanian Proverb)

My son's my son till he gets him a wife; my daughter's my daughter all of her life. (Albanian Proverb)

Make a garden or plant, and a man is happy for life. (Albanian Proverb)

Live your own life, for you die your own death. (Albanian Proverb)

Life is not a cup to be drained, but a measure to be filled. (Albanian Proverb)

Life is a matter of dog eats dog. (Albanian Proverb)

Life is a comedy to those who think, a tragedy to those who feel.(Albanian Proverb)

Fame is longer than life.(Albanian Proverb)

Cheerfulness, helpfulness and honesty are fine, good companions to take with you through life.(Albanian Proverb)

By the yard, life is hard.(Albanian Proverb)

A long life may not be good enough, but a good life is long enough.(Albanian Proverb)

A life of leisure and a life of laziness are different things.(Albanian Proverb)

When you lose on the drum-beating of the gods, you lose on the rhythm and pace of life.(African Proverb)

When you ask, you become a fool for a little while and when you don't ask you become a fool for the rest of your life.(African Proverb)

To neglect one's ancestors would bring ill-fortune and failure in life.(African Proverb)

Those who part from their homeland part with their all life.(African Proverb)

There are many colorful flowers on the path of life, but the prettiest have the sharpest thorns.
(African Proverb)

The two hardest things in life to handle are success and failure.(African Proverb)

The miserly man is like a fattened ox: he will give of his fat only when he has been deprived of his life.(African Proverb)

The downfall of a man is not the end of his life.(African Proverb)

Success in life largely depends on how you handle your failures.(African Proverb)

Only a goat that is tired of life invites a lion to dinner.(African Proverb)

Life without battle is life without victory.
(African Proverb)

Life is your ability to breathe out every time you breathe in.(African Proverb)

Life is what you make it.(African Proverb)

Life is vanity.(African Proverb)

Life is the beginning of death.(African Proverb)

Life is lived forwards, but understood backwards. (African Proverb)

Life is like shopping in a market; when you finish, you go home. (African Proverb)

Life is like riding a bicycle; you don't fall off unless you stop pedaling. (African Proverb)

Life is like a mirror if you fawn it, it fawns back and if you smile, it smiles.
(African Proverb)

Life is like a boat you move on when you paddle and stay in the same place if not.
(African Proverb)

Life is a teacher. (African Proverb)

He who guards his lips, guards his life.
(African Proverb)

For one to succeed in life, one has to work hard. (African Proverb)

Life is a ladder -- some will climb up it, others down. (Bulgarian Proverb)

To be drunk every day is also a regular life.
(Austrian Proverb)

The worst things in life are: To be in bed and sleep not, to want for one who comes not, to try to please and please not. (Arab Proverb)

Seven days king, seven days minister, slave for the rest of your life. (Arab Proverb)

Only three things in life are certain birth, death and change. (Arab Proverb)

Life, like a fire, begins in smoke and ends in ashes. (Arab Proverb)

Every day of your life is a page of your history. (Arab Proverb)

A wise man's day is worth a fool's life. (Arab Proverb)

A sense of humor is the pole that adds balance to our steps as we walk the tightrope of life. (Arab Proverb)

The secret of life is not to do what you like, but to like what you do. (American Proverb)

By the yard, life is hard. By the inch, it's a cinch. (American Proverb)

A smile will gain you ten more years of life. (Chinese Proverb)

Four things come not back: the spoken word, the spent arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity. (Chinese Proverb)

A moment of patience can prevent a great disaster and a moment of impatience can ruin a whole life. (Chinese Proverb)

A child's life is like a piece of paper on which every passerby leaves a mark. (Chinese Proverb)

Seven days is the length of a guest's life. (Burmese Proverb)

The most important thing in life is to be buried well. (Chinese Proverb)

The error of one moment becomes the sorrow of a whole life. (Chinese Proverb)

Respect for ones parents is the highest duty of civil life. (Chinese Proverb)

Man fools himself. He prays for a long life, and he fears an old age. (Chinese Proverb)

Life itself cannot give you joy/ Unless you really will it./ Life just gives you time and space -- It's up to you to fill it. (Chinese Proverb)

Life is partly what we make it, and partly what it is made by the friends whom we choose.

(Chinese Proverb)

Life is like a candle in the wind; like frost on the roof; like the wriggling of the fish in the pan.

(Chinese Proverb)

It is better to save your innocence at the expense of your honor than your country at the expense of your life.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you would be happy for a week, take a wife; if you would be happy for a month, kill a pig; but if you would be happy all your life, plant a garden.

(Chinese Proverb)

If life is fulfilled we go away with empty hands.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who thinks too much about every step he takes will stay on one leg all his life.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who does not regularly put on clean socks will never get used to circus life.

(Chinese Proverb)

To have saved one human life is worth more than to build a pagoda with seven stories.

(Chinese Proverb)

To be able to curse once a day improves happiness and lengthens life.

(Chinese Proverb)

Life at court is often a short cut to hell.

(Danish Proverb)

It's the little things in life that count.

(Dutch Proverb)

Better ride a good horse for a year, than an ass all your life.

(Dutch Proverb)

If you want to be happy for a year, plant a garden; if you want to be happy for life, plant a tree.

(English Proverb)

Wisdom in the man, patience in the wife, brings peace to the house and a happy life.

(Dutch Proverb)

A handful of good life is better than seven barrels of learning.

(French Proverb)

Children who get everything they ask for seldom succeed in life.

(Filipino Proverb)

If the bread in the oven is a failure you lose a week; if the harvest is a failure you lose a year; if marriage is a failure then you lose a life.

(Estonian Proverb)

To enjoy life is worth so much more than it costs. (French Proverb)

The first half of life is spent in longing for the second, the second half in regretting the first. (French Proverb)

Take away my good name, take away my life. (French Proverb)

Smoke, floods, and a troublesome wife, are enough to drive a man out of his life. (French Proverb)

Life is like an onion, which one peels crying. (French Proverb)

Life is half spent before one knows what life is. (French Proverb)

Life is an onion and one cries while peeling it. (French Proverb)

Life is a dung pie from which you take a bite every day. (French Proverb)

He who marries on a rainy day will be happy for the rest of his life. (French Proverb)

In the morning of life, work; in the mid day give council; in the evening, pray. (German Proverb)

The fish lead a pleasant life, they drink when they like. (German Proverb)

As the spokes of a wheel are attached to the hub, so all things are attached to life. (Indian Proverb)

Poor in my youth, and in life's later scenes -
Rich to no end, I curse my natal hour, Who
naught enjoyed while young, denied the
means And naught when old enjoyed, denied
the power. (Greek Proverb)

One word spoken in anger may spoil an entire life. (Greek Proverb)

Strangers by Anacreon's tomb who pass, Shed
o'er it wine, in life he loved his glass. (Greek Proverb)

It is better to be a coward for a minute than
dead for the rest of your life. (Irish Proverb)

Life is not a continuum of pleasant choices,
but of inevitable problems that call for
strength, determination, and hard work. (Indian Proverb)

Life is like the flame of a lamp; it needs a little
oil now and then. (Indian Proverb)

Life is like a lamp flame; it needs a little oil now and then.(Indian Proverb)

Life is a bridge. Cross over it, but build no house on it.(Indian Proverb)

For the first five years of your son's life treat him as a prince, for the next ten years as a slave, then as a friend for the rest of his life.
(Indian Proverb)

He that keepeth his mouth keepeth his life; but he that openeth wide his lips shall have destruction.(Italian Proverb)

Life is the biggest bargain -- we get it for nothing.(Jewish Proverb)

Life is just like a dream -- but don't wake me.
(Jewish Proverb)

In life, each of us must sometimes play the fool.(Jewish Proverb)

If your friend becomes your enemy, he will be your enemy for life.(Jewish Proverb)

If you start thinking of death, you are no longer sure of life.(Jewish Proverb)

An un-kept promise leads to a bad life.

(Jewish Proverb)

You will never learn enough looking for only the good things in life; you will always be a pupil. (Japanese Proverb)

You should climb Mount Fujiyama once in your life. Climb it twice and you're a fool. (Japanese Proverb)

My son is my son till he gets him a wife, but my daughter's my daughter all the days of her life. (Japanese Proverb)

Life that is a candle in the wind; frost upon a roof; the twitching of the fish in a pan. (Japanese Proverb)

Life without endeavor is like entering a jewel-mine and coming out with empty hands. (Japanese Proverb)

Life is for one generation; a good name is forever. (Japanese Proverb)

Life is a long journey with a heavy bag on its back. (Japanese Proverb)

He who wants what God wants of him will lead a free and happy life. (Japanese Proverb)

Even when months and days are long, life is short. (Japanese Proverb)

A beautiful woman is like an axe in one's life. (Japanese Proverb)

A precipice in front of you, and wolves behind you; that is life. (Latin Proverb)

Truth never dies, but lives a wretched life. (Jewish Proverb)

The ugliest life is better than the nicest death. (Jewish Proverb)

One of life's greatest mysteries is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry your daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world. (Jewish Proverb)

He alone is wise who can accommodate himself to all contingencies of life; but the fool contends, and struggling, like a swimmer, against the stream. (Latin Proverb)

An industrious life is the best security for food in old age. (Latin Proverb)

No man is contented with his lot in this life. (Latin Proverb)

Marry a person in your own rank in life.

(Latin Proverb)

Man's life is a sojourn in a strange land.

(Latin Proverb)

Live your own life, for you will die your own death.

(Latin Proverb)

Life is not being alive but being well.

(Latin Proverb)

Life is more than merely staying alive.

(Latin Proverb)

Life has given nothing to mortals without great labor.

(Latin Proverb)

He is unworthy of life who gives no life to another.

(Latin Proverb)

Whose life is as lightning, his words are as thunder.

(Latin Proverb)

When a man's mode of life is contemptible, it follows that his preaching is treated with contempt.

(Latin Proverb)

We learn not for school, but for life.

(Latin Proverb)

Those who are nourished by hope live ever in suspense, and enjoy not life.(Latin Proverb)
The good fortunes of life fall to the lot even of the base.(Latin Proverb)

Seek not the luxuries of life lest you reap sorrow.(Latin Proverb)

Science is unlimited in its course; life is short.
(Latin Proverb)

The dog says: "Master, my life is far too good, hurt me in the tail."
(Netherlands Antillean Proverb)

If you are sick, think about your life; if you are better, think about your gold.
(Mongolian Proverb)

No fate is worse than a life without a love.
(Mexican Proverb)

If you don't eat you will die; overeating will shorten your life.(Maltese Proverb)

Life is like a ballet performance -- danced only once.(Malian Proverb)

Those who are at one regarding food are at one in life.(Malawian Proverb)

The betrothed of good is evil; the betrothed of life is death; the betrothed of love is divorce.

(Malawian Proverb)

However big the whale may be, the tiny harpoon can rob him of life.

(Malawian Proverb)

Life is a shadow and a mist; it passes quickly by, and is no more.

(Malagasy Proverb)

What does a donkey know about the life of a nightingale?

(Romanian Proverb)

He, who is afraid of death, loses his life.

(Romanian Proverb)

Friends are flowers in the garden of life.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Better to be queen for an hour than a countess for life.

(Portuguese Proverb)

A life of leisure, and a life of laziness, are two things.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Get married and you will be happy for a week; slaughter a pig and you will be happy for a month; become a priest and you will be happy for the rest of your life.

(Polish Proverb)

A dead man's will is the mirror of his life.

(Polish Proverb)

One sip of wine is an antidote against death,
cupfuls poison life. (Persian Proverb)

Life is like perpetual drunkenness, the
pleasure passes but the headache remains.
(Persian Proverb)

A good life, they say, keeps wrinkles at bay.
(Spanish Proverb)

Man's life is like a drop of dew on a leaf.
(Slovenian Proverb)

The nights are short for him who married late
in life. (Russian Proverb)

Death does not come free of charge, for it costs
us our life. (Russian Proverb)

Life without a friend is death without a
witness. (Spanish Proverb)

Life is a gift for which we pay dearly.
(Spanish Proverb)

To live in fear is a life half-lived.
(Spanish Proverb)

Smoke, a dripping roof, and a scolding wife,
are enough to drive a man out of his life.

(Spanish Proverb)

All life is choice. You can be stopped only if
you choose to allow it to happen.

(Traditional Proverb)

Add life to your years, don't worry about
adding years to your life. (Traditional Proverb)

A good rule for going through life is to keep
the heart a little softer than the head.

(Traditional Proverb)

A friend is the half of my life.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is so short we must move very slowly.

(Thai Proverb)

Who is always prying into other men's affairs,
leads a dangerous life. (Spanish Proverb)

Ever since dying came into fashion, life hasn't
been safe. (Traditional Proverb)

Crowding a life does not always enrich it.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is not living, but being in health.

(Traditional Proverb)

Bright but hidden, the Self dwells in the heart. Everything that moves, breathes, opens, and closes Lives in the Self. He is the source of love and may be known through love but not through thought. He is the goal of life. Attain this goal. (Traditional Proverb)

At the base of a monument of a falcon protecting its young at the Air Force Academy. Man's flight through life is sustained by the power of his knowledge. (Traditional Proverb)

Ars longa, vita brevis Life is brief, but Art endures. (Traditional Proverb)

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(Traditional Proverb)

Life may be short, but it can be wide as well. (Traditional Proverb)

Life may not be the party we hoped for, but
while we're here we should dance

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is the greatest bargain - we get it for
nothing. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is like an onion. You peel it off layer by
layer and sometimes you weep.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is like an onion you peel off one layer at a
time, and sometimes you weep.

(Traditional Proverb)

Life is hard by the yard, but by the inch, life's
a cinch. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is composed of two parts that which is
past a dream and that which is to come a
wish. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is a dream walking death is a going home.
(Traditional Proverb)

Life begins the day you start a garden.
(Traditional Proverb)

In the midst of life we are in death.
(Traditional Proverb)

Let him not destroy, or cause to be destroyed, any life at all, nor sanction the acts of those who do so. Let him refrain from even hurting any creature, both those that are strong and those that tremble in the world.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is amazing how many people want to live a long life, and yet so few want to grow old.

(Traditional Proverb)

When planning for a year, plant corn. When planning for a decade, plant trees. When planning for life, train and educate people.

(Traditional Proverb)

We come and cry and that is life, we cry and go and that is death.

(Traditional Proverb)

Touch the hole in your life, and there flowers will bloom.

(Traditional Proverb)

Those who are one in food are one in life.

(Traditional Proverb)

The two hardest things to handle in life are failure and success.

(Traditional Proverb)

The acts of this life are the destiny of the next.

(Traditional Proverb)

Some lives, like evening primroses, blossom most beautifully in the evening of life.

(Traditional Proverb)

Small children disturb your sleep, big children your life.(Traditional Proverb)

Life is a temporary stop, death is the journey home.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Where life is exhausted, death comes.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

Without life there is nothing.(Zulu Proverb)

Life is like a game in which God shuffles the cards, the devil deals them and we have to play the trumps.(Yugoslavian Proverb)

If ever you should need my life, come and take it.(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Life began in a garden.(Traditional Proverb)

Life is a bowl of cherries.(Traditional Proverb)

Life is just a bowl of cherries.
(Traditional Proverb)

Life is short and full of blisters.
(Traditional Proverb)

Life is sweet. (Traditional Proverb)

Lose a leg rather than life. (Traditional Proverb)

Big as life. (Traditional Proverb)

Bread is the staff of life. (Traditional Proverb)

Friends are flowers in life's garden.
(Traditional Proverb)

Long life to the conqueror. (Spanish Proverb)

Memory is life's clock. (Spanish Proverb)

A contented ass enjoys a long life.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Where there is life, there is hope.
(Portuguese Proverb)

One short step lengthens life.
(Romanian Proverb)

Your dog wishes you a long life.
(Russian Proverb)

A good life defers wrinkles. (Spanish Proverb)

A good life is the best sermon.
(Spanish Proverb)

The best things in life are free. (Latin Proverb)

To know nothing is the happiest life.
(Latin Proverb)

One man's death is another man's life.
(Maltese Proverb)

Education serves our life, wisdom commands it. (Latin Proverb)

Leadership shortens life. (Jewish Proverb)

Repentance prolongs a man's life.
(Jewish Proverb)

Life is the source of all things.
(Japanese Proverb)

Life's not all beer and skittles.
(Japanese Proverb)

Fear is the fever of life. (Indian Proverb)

Ignorance is the peace of life. (Indian Proverb)

Nonviolence is the supreme law of life.
(Indian Proverb)

Death is the bride of life. (Indonesian Proverb)

Cowardice will not prolong life.

(Finnish Proverb)

A pig's life, short and sweet. (French Proverb)

Life isn't all beer and skittles.

(Chinese Proverb)

Children are the reward of life.

(Congolese Proverb)

Art is long and life is short.

(Danish Proverb)

Life begins at forty. (Danish Proverb)

Life is -- not separate from death.

(American Proverb)

Variety is the spice of life. (American Proverb)

LIGHT:

The eyes of the bat are hurt by the light.

(Turkish Proverb)

We should not burn the light in both ends.

(Swedish Proverb)

A white day sheds light, a black day sheds darkness. (Turkish Proverb)

To be without knowledge is to be without light. (Somali Proverb)

Light supper makes long life. (Scottish Proverb)

Light winning makes a heavy purse. (Scottish Proverb)

Nothing comes sooner to light, than that which is long hid. (Scottish Proverb)

By candle light, neither women nor cloth. (Sicilian Proverb)

Light a candle for God and another for the devil. (Polish Proverb)

From dissension, the light is born. (Portuguese Proverb)

He that does ill hates the light. (Romanian Proverb)

A thorn that pierces the toe should be burned by the light of a new moon lest the devil possess the foot. (Nigerian Proverb)

A friend works in the light of the sun, an enemy in the dark. (Nilotic Proverb)

In an instant illumination can be achieved, it is as easy as turning on a light, the problem is finding the switch in the dark.

(Moroccan Proverb)

A heavy load should be borne together as well as a light load. (Malay Proverb)

Di daakes' part a di night, a when diay soon light. (Jamaican Proverb)

Three rebel against the light: the thief, the adulterer, and the bat. (Hebrew Proverb)

We should bolster the light rather than fight the darkness. (Hebrew Proverb)

Even something light is heavy for the unwilling. (Hungarian Proverb)

He gets green light. (Hungarian Proverb)

Light is half a companion. (Genoese Proverb)

A pointed proverb is like a diamond: it emits light, and it also cuts. (Hebrew Proverb)

The best way to see divine light is to put out your own candle. (English Proverb)

Truth will come to light.(English Proverb)

Where your will is ready your feet are light.
(English Proverb)

Don't let the windows of your home be so small that the light of the sun cannot enter your rooms.(Eskimo Proverb)

Patience makes all hardships light.
(Estonian Proverb)

A heavy purse makes a light heart.
(English Proverb)

When Christ disappears, light goes out.
(Corsican Proverb)

Light is good from whatever lamp it shines.
(Chinese Proverb)

To scrape the light off one's face.
(Chinese Proverb)

Knowledge is light.(Bedouin Proverb)

We can only speak the truth when we turn off the light.(Beninese Proverb)

To be proud of knowledge is to be blind with light.(Albanian Proverb)

Reputation is what you are in the light;
character is what you are in the dark.

(Albanian Proverb)

A light cinch is best. (Albanian Proverb)

The light of a thousand stars doesn't equal the
light of the moon. (African Proverb)

The laughter of a child is the light of a house.
(African Proverb)

After every darkness is light. (Afghan Proverb)

He who takes a light to find a snake should
start at his own feet. (African Proverb)

A light is still a light -- even though the blind
man cannot see it. (Austrian Proverb)

Light your lamp first at home and afterwards
at the mosque. (Arab Proverb)

He who sees the calamity of other people finds
his own calamity light. (Arab Proverb)

The darkness of night cannot stop the light of
morning. (Cameroonian Proverb)

One's shadow grows larger than life when
admired by the light of the moon.
(Chinese Proverb)

A pair of light shoes is not all that is needed for dancing. (Danish Proverb)

The owl does not praise the light, nor the wolf the dog. (Danish Proverb)

It needs a light spirit to bear a heavy fate. (Danish Proverb)

Eat bread that's light, and cheese by weight. (Dutch Proverb)

Not even the Lord of Light can turn back time, or undo what has been done. (Darkovan Proverb)

The wicked shun the light as the devil does the cross. (Dutch Proverb)

The candle that goes before gives the best light. (Dutch Proverb)

Sooner or later the truth comes to light. (Dutch Proverb)

Tell a lie and the truth will come to light. (Filipino Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is like fire without light. (English Proverb)

Light is light, though the blind man see it not.
(German Proverb)

Put the light out, and all women are alike.
(German Proverb)

Though the blind man cannot see it, light remains light.(Japanese Proverb)

The bull that is used to the sun shivers by the light of the moon.(Korean Proverb)

When the light is crooked, the shadow is crooked.(Jewish Proverb)

Great discomfort arises from too hearty a supper: if you would enjoy a tranquil sleep let your supper is a light one.(Latin Proverb)

By the hands of many a great work is made light.(Latin Proverb)

An evil doer abhors the light of day.
(Latin Proverb)

Light grieves can speak, but deeper ones are dumb.(Latin Proverb)

You bring your own evil deeds to light.
(Latin Proverb)

Strike me a light, and I'll light you.

(Latin Proverb)

Acquaintance without patience is like a candle with no light. (Persian Proverb)

When thieves fall out, their knaveries come to light. (Portuguese Proverb)

Light in the streets, shadows in the house. (South American Proverb)

Death carries on its shoulders a heavy Tsar just as easily as a light beggar.

(Russian Proverb)

All seed answer light, but the color is different. The plant reveals what is in the seed.

(Traditional Proverb)

A white day sheds light, and a black day sheds darkness. (Traditional Proverb)

When thieves fall out the thefts come to light.

(Spanish Proverb)

Good men extend their pity, even unto the most despicable animals. The moon doth not withhold the light, even from the cottage of a Chandala (outcast). (Traditional Proverb)

Don't ask for a light load, but rather ask for a strong back. (Traditional Proverb)

Only the man who crosses the river at night knows the value of the light of day. (Traditional Proverb)

Never deny in the dark, what you know to be true in the light. (Traditional Proverb)

Like two golden birds perched on the selfsame tree, intimate friends, the ego and the Self dwell in the same body. The former eats the sweet and sour fruits of the tree of life while the latter looks on in detachment. As long as we think we are the ego, we feel attached and fall into sorrow. But realize that you are the Self, the Lord of life, and you will be freed from sorrow. When you realize that you are the Self, supreme source of light, supreme source of love, you transcend the duality of life and enter into the unitive state. (Traditional Proverb)

When the will is ready the feet are light. (Traditional Proverb)

Light as a feather. (Traditional Proverb)

Over truth there is light. (Moroccan Proverb)

Let there be light. (Latin Proverb)

Many hands make light work.(Latin Proverb)

A light supper is beneficial.(Latin Proverb)

After darkness comes light.(Latin Proverb)

The light is painful to sore eyes.
(Italian Proverb)

A light heart lives long.(Irish Proverb)

Light burdens carried far become heavy.
(German Proverb)

Light come, light go.(German Proverb)

A light belly, heavy heart.(German Proverb)

Every light is not the sun.(German Proverb)

Light is bad for sore eyes.(French Proverb)

Light gains make a heavy purse.
(Dutch Proverb)

Little things attract light minds.
(Dutch Proverb)

Love makes labor light.(Dutch Proverb)

Don't curse the darkness, light a candle.
(Chinese Proverb)

Another man's burden is always light.

(Danish Proverb)

Cheerfulness and goodwill make labor light.

(Danish Proverb)

Every light hath its shadow. (Danish Proverb)

LION:

Until the lion tells his side of the story, the tale of the hunt will always glorify the hunter.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

A woman without teeth shall be left to the lions. (Zambian Proverb)

God is good, but never dance with a lion.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

There lies a lion in every heart.

(Turkish Proverb)

You can tell a lion from where he dwells.

(Turkish Proverb)

When the lion gets old even flies attack him.

(Wadchagga Proverb)

A cat in her house has the teeth of a lion.
(Somali Proverb)

Even the brave are scared by a lion three times: first by its tracks, again by its roar, and one last time face to face.(Somali Proverb)

You don't go searching for bones in a lion's den.(Somali Proverb)

Knowledge is like a lion; it cannot be gently embraced.(South African Proverb)

Until the lions have their historians, tales of hunting will always glorify the hunter.
(South African Proverb)

The bachelor is a peacock, the fiancé is a lion and the married man a mule.
(Spanish Proverb)

Not all that have claws are lions.
(Swahili Proverb)

Slow moving lion eats meat.(Swahili Proverb)

The child of lion is a lion.(Swahili Proverb)

When you play with a lion, do not put your hand in its mouth.(Swahili Proverb)

It is the hunter who always beats the lions,
because it is the hunter who always tells the
stories. (Senegalese Proverb)

A continuous fever even grounds the lion.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Better to die in the clutches of the lion than
under the tail of a jackass. (Sicilian Proverb)

The lion's share. (Romanian Proverb)

Better be the head of an ass than the tail of a
lion. (Romanian Proverb)

An ass in a lion's skin. (Romanian Proverb)

Kindness can pluck the whiskers of a lion.
(Moroccan Proverb)

By the claw you may know the lion.
(Mexican Proverb)

If the lion's skill will not do, we must sew on
that of the fox. (Latin Proverb)

A lion can run faster than we can, but we can
run farther. (Maasai Proverb)

Don't fight a lion with a stick. (Maasai Proverb)

Better one day as a lion than a hundred as a sheep. (Italian Proverb)

A living dog is better than a dead lion.
(Italian Proverb)

Even a cat is a lion in her own lair.
(Indian Proverb)

Necessity can change a lion into a fox.
(Iranian Proverb)

It is better to be the head of a mouse, than the tail of a lion. (Gypsy Proverb)

Better be a tail for the lions than the head of the foxes. (Hebrew Proverb)

The brains of a fox will be of little service if you play with the paw of a lion. (English Proverb)

It is better to be the cub of a live jackal than of a dead lion. (Ethiopian Proverb)

When spiders' unite, they can tie up a lion.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

When the webs of the spider join, they can trap a lion. (Ethiopian Proverb)

A good surgeon has an eagle's eye, a lion's heart, and a lady's hand. (English Proverb)

A trapped cat becomes a lion.
(English Proverb)

An army of stags led by a lion would be more formidable than one of lions led by a stag.
(English Proverb)

A good surgeon must have a hawk's eye, a lion's heart and a woman's hand.
(Dominican Proverb)

The righteous are bold as a lion.
(Biblical Proverb)

As the lion said, 'I will kill your lambs and you will remember my presence.' (Bosnian Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping lion. (Chinese Proverb)

More robust than the nose of a lion.
(Arabic Proverb)

If you see the fangs of the lions, don't think the lion is smiling. (Arabic Proverb)

If you are saved from the lion, do not be greedy and hunt it. (Arabic Proverb)

This cub is from that lion. (Arabic Proverb)

That is the lion's tail, do not play with it.

(Arabic Proverb)

How can the person who is eating dates prohibit the eating of dates? It's better to be a free dog than a caged lion. (Arabic Proverb)

A bite from a lion is better the look of envy.

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The union of means triumphs over the lion.

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A good surgeon must have an eagle's eye, a lion's heart, and a lady's hand.

(Albanian Proverb)

Without impalas and hyenas, the lion cannot be the king of the jungle. (African Proverb)

Whoever rides on the lion's back must surely end up in the lion's stomach. (African Proverb)

When the threads unite, they can tie the lion. (African Proverb)

When a lion runs and looks back, it's not that he is afraid, rather he is trying to see the distance he has covered. (African Proverb)

When a lion cannot find the flesh to feed on, it has no choice but to eat the grass. (African Proverb)

Those who move are the ones who see the lion's footprints. (African Proverb)

The lion may be king of the jungle but he knows, he shouldn't stand in the way of the elephant. (African Proverb)

The hand that tied the lion knows best how to untie it. (African Proverb)

Eating tough meat is always harder for a toothless lion. (African Proverb)

The cat may look like a lion, but that does not make it a lion. (African Proverb)

The bravery of a lion doesn't protect it from the spear of a hunter. (African Proverb)

Roaring lions kill no prey. (African Proverb)

Only a goat that is tired of life invites a lion to dinner. (African Proverb)

No matter how well tamed a lion; it will one day go back to the bush. (African Proverb)

He that fought the lion must surely have the lion's claws in his body. (African Proverb)

It is not the lamb that should go and ask the lion if it has had dinner. (African Proverb)

A cat in its castle has a lion's teeth. (African Proverb)

When a lion roars, he does not catch game. (Acholi Proverb)

In the eyes of the mouse the cat is a lion. (Albanian Proverb)

Where the cattle stand together, the lion lies down hungry. (African Proverb)

The lion does not turn around when a small dog barks. (African Proverb)

Do not try to fight a lion if you are not one yourself. (African Proverb)

Who is brave enough to tell the lion that his breath smells? (Berber Proverb)

Beware of the goat that is in the lion's lair. (Bambara Proverb)

Until the lions have their historians, tales of the hunt shall always glorify the hunter.

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Better to be an ant's head than a lion's tail.

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The whisper of a pretty girl can be heard further off than the roar of a lion.

(Arab Proverb)

A drunkard can be a sheep, a monkey or a lion. (Danish Proverb)

Don't be a lion in your own house.

(Czech Proverb)

The hen lives by pickings, as the lion by prey.

(Danish Proverb)

Even hares pull a lion by the beard when he is dead. (Dutch Proverb)

Bite me not, my name is little grizzle; had I a little tail I should be a little lion.

(Dutch Proverb)

If the lion's skin cannot, the fox's shall.

(Darkovan Proverb)

He who killeth the lion when absent feareth a mouse when present.(English Proverb)

A goose quill is more dangerous than a lion's claw.(English Proverb)

Better be the head of a dog than the tail of a lion.(French Proverb)

A living dog is better than a dead lion.

(French Proverb)

When spiders' webs unite, they can tie up a lion.(Ethiopian Proverb)

When spiders unite, they can tie down a lion.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

The Fox's wiles will never enter the lion's head.

(French Proverb)

Even the lion has to defend himself against flies.(German Proverb)

Better a living dog than a dead lion.

(German Proverb)

It is little honor to the lion to seize the mouse.

(German Proverb)

The bachelor is a peacock, the engaged man a lion, and the married man a jackass.

(German Proverb)

What the lion cannot manage to do the fox can.

(German Proverb)

Though the lion and the antelope happen to live in the same forest, the antelope still has time to grow up.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

Where the lion's skin falls short, borrow of the fox.

(German Proverb)

A cat in a cage becomes a lion.

(Indian Proverb)

It is better to be the head of a mouse than the tail of a lion.

(Gypsy Proverb)

Better be the head of a cat than the tail of a lion.

(Italian Proverb)

The friendship of the great is fraternity with lions.

(Italian Proverb)

By the first glass a lamb, the second a lion,
and the third a pig. (Jewish Proverb)

Who takes a lion at a distance fears a mole
present. (Italian Proverb)

Where the skin of the lion does not suffice, we
must join that of the fox. (Italian Proverb)

When the lion's skin falls short, piece it out
with that of the fox. (Italian Proverb)

When the lion is dead the hares jump upon
his carcass. (Italian Proverb)

A lion may be beholden to a mouse.
(Latin Proverb)

A honey-comb in the mouth of a lion!
(Latin Proverb)

Those who do not go to war roar like lions.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Fear an ignorant man more than a lion.
(Kurdish Proverb)

A flea can trouble a lion more than the lion
can harm a flea. (Kenyan Proverb)

Even a hare will insult a dead lion.
(Latin Proverb)

Despise not the weak: the gnat stings the eyes of the lion. (Latin Proverb)

An old lion is better than a young ass.
(Latin Proverb)

March comes in like a lion, and goes out like a lamb. (Latin Proverb)

Lions in time of peace; deer in war.
(Latin Proverb)

If the lion's skin falls short, piece it out with that of the fox. (Latin Proverb)

A dog will always be a dog, even if he is raised by lions. (Lebanese Proverb)

You would frighten a lion with a mask!
(Latin Proverb)

You may know a lion by his claw.
(Latin Proverb)

The skin of a lion covering some mongrel beast. (Latin Proverb)

The bear wants a tail and cannot be a lion.
(Latin Proverb)

For his master the dog is a lion.
(Persian Proverb)

Be a lion at home and a fox abroad.

(Persian Proverb)

As long as you stay in a group, the lion will stay hungry. (Nigerian Proverb)

Even a weak lion is not bitten by a dog.

(Namibian Proverb)

Once a man has been bitten by a lion, he buys a dog. (Mozambican Proverb)

It's easy to say "May Allah roast the lion's mother," when the lion isn't there.

(Moorish Proverb)

Destroy the lion while he is but a whelp.

(Portuguese Proverb)

When a lion is old, he becomes the plaything of jackals. (Persian Proverb)

The dog is a lion in his own house.

(Persian Proverb)

He who doesn't go to war roars like a lion.

(Persian Proverb) - More Persian Proverbs...

The lion is known by the scratch of his claws.

(Scottish Proverb)

A brave man is scared of a lion three times: first when he sees the tracks; second when he hears the first roar; and third when they are face to face. (Somali Proverb)

The lion is known by the scratch of his claws. (Scottish Proverb)

A man is a lion in his own cause. (Scottish Proverb)

Better be the head of a rat than the tail of a lion. (Spanish Proverb)

Bachelor, a peacock; betrothed, a lion; married, an ass. (Spanish Proverb)

At twenty a man will be a peacock, at thirty a lion, at forty a camel, at fifty a serpent, at sixty a dog, at seventy a monkey, and at eighty nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

The lion is not so fierce as he is painted. (Spanish Proverb)

A live dog is better than a dead lion. (Traditional Proverb)

An army of deer would be more formidable commanded by a lion, than an army of lions commanded by a stag. (Traditional Proverb)

Though thy enemy seems a mouse, yet watch him like a lion. (Traditional Proverb)

A hungry dog will bring a lion down. (Turkish Proverb)

The first drink makes you a frisky gazelle, the second an impetuous zebra, the third a roaring lion, and with the fourth you become a silly donkey. (Turkish Proverb)

Even rabbits insult a dead lion. (Traditional Proverb)

Little birds may pick a dead lion. (Spanish Proverb)

Necessity turns lion into fox. (Persian Proverb)

Nourish not a lion's whelp. (Latin Proverb)

Even hares insult a dead lion. (Latin Proverb)

He makes a lion of a mouse. (Latin Proverb)

A mouse may help a lion. (Latin Proverb)

Two dogs can kill a lion. (Jewish Proverb)

The lion is known by his claws. (Italian Proverb)

What the lion cannot, the fox can.

(German Proverb)

A cat pent up becomes a lion.(Italian Proverb)

Every dog is a lion at home.(Italian Proverb)

A cat is a lion to mouse.(German Proverb)

A man's face is a lion's.(German Proverb)

Dead lions do not roar.(French Proverb)

LISTENING:

When the flag is unfurled, all reason is in the trumpet.(Ukrainian Proverb)

Who doesn't listen to reason, can't do things with reason.(Sicilian Proverb)

Who gets angry without reason, makes peace without satisfaction.(Sicilian Proverb)

Words are for reasoning.(Sicilian Proverb)

The one chased away with a club comes back, but the one chased away with reason does not.(South African Proverb)

One who walks with no reason is not like one who sits without reason; the one who walks might pick up something. (Swahili Proverb)

Reason bands the man. (Scottish Proverb)

Laughter without reason is either crazy or stupid. (Sicilian Proverb)

People sometimes do all the wrong things for all the right reasons. (Romanian Proverb)

Rage is without reason. (Romanian Proverb)

The old dog doesn't bark without reason. (Romanian Proverb)

Love is without reason. (Romanian Proverb)

Him whom Jove would destroy him first deprives of his reason. (Latin Proverb)

Drums are never beat without reason. (Kiganda Proverb)

If unreason comes, reason goes. (Japanese Proverb)

When folly passes by, reason draws back. (Japanese Proverb)

The heart has reasons that reason does not understand. (Italian Proverb)

Where passion is high, reason is low.
(Italian Proverb)

The lizard says that he knows the condition of his underbelly. The reason he has it pressed against the ground. (Igbo Proverb)

Blaming the wrong reason; looking for a scapegoat. (Indonesian Proverb)

It has neither rhyme nor reason.
(Hungarian Proverb)

When you rely too much on reason, you end up not relying enough on feeling.
(French Proverb)

I will get it because I can, one says with a reason. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A man without reason is a beast in season.
(English Proverb)

Custom without reason is but ancient error.
(English Proverb)

They couldn't find any reason to criticize the roses, so they complained that they were red.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Reason is only verbal.(Corsican Proverb)

When force and reason are in conflict, force of reason prevails and being reasonable isn't enough.(Corsican Proverb)

We must convince by reason, not prescribe by tradition.(Cypress Proverb)

Do not create in anger what you lack in reason.(Chinese Proverb)

Rage is not without reason.(Chinese Proverb)

When the reason is known, there will be no more shock.(Arabic Proverb)

Laughing for no reason is rude.
(Arabic Proverb)

When you persuade, speak of interest, not of reason.(Albanian Proverb)

Reason succeeds where force fails.
(Albanian Proverb)

Would you persuade, speak of interest, not of reason.(Albanian Proverb)

He knows not the law who knows not the reason thereof.(Albanian Proverb)

Faith begins where reason stops.

(Albanian Proverb)

Everything happens for a reason.

(Albanian Proverb)

Don't undermine my silence, it's got reason;
don't rate it, it has got no scale.

(African Proverb)

Not cheap without reason, nor dear without
value.(Afghan Proverb)

A man does not run among thorns for no
reason; either he is chasing a snake or a
snake is chasing him.(African Proverb)

The reason some people are stingy is also the
reason they are rich.(American Proverb)

Don't marry without love, but don't love
without reason.(American Proverb)

Let him make use of instinct that cannot make
use of reason.(English Proverb)

When a man begins to reason, he ceases to
feel.(French Proverb)

Try to reason about love, and you will lose
your reason.(French Proverb)

Reason not with the great, 'tis a perilous gate.
(French Proverb)

A tear bedews my Delia's eye, from morn till dewy eve; but if you ask the reason why, she can't tell, I believe.(German Proverb)

Where power reigns there is no room for reason.(French Proverb)

Reason lies between the bridle and the spur.
(Italian Proverb)

He who is his own judge never finds a reason to condemn.(Jewish Proverb)

It is easier to make a camel jump a ditch than to make a fool listen to reason.
(Kurdish Proverb)

The one chased away with a club comes back, but the one chased away with kihooto reason does not.(Kenyan Proverb)

All men grieve, and if you ask them the reason why, they cannot tell it.(Latin Proverb)

All flute-players are mad; when once they begin to blow, away goes reason.
(Latin Proverb)

Him whom Jove would destroy him first
deprives of his reason. [Arrogant, insolent, and
vainglorious people work out their own ruin.]
(Latin Proverb)

The rabble is not influenced by reason, but
blind impulse.(Latin Proverb)

The plan executed, reason comes to our
assistance!(Latin Proverb)

The frog does not jump in the daytime without
reason.(Nigerian Proverb)

If there is no reason, why would the tempua
bird nest on the low branches?
(Malay Proverb)

Favor often avails more than justice or reason.
(Portuguese Proverb)

If you will not hear reason, she will surely rap
your knuckles.(Russian Proverb)

When I was born I wept, and every day brings
a reason why.(Spanish Proverb)

Better die than turn your back on reason.
(Traditional Proverb)

What is now an act of reason was but blind
impulse.(Traditional Proverb)

It is well to remember that there are five reasons for drinking the arrival of a friend, one's present or future thirst, the excellence of the wine, or any other reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

Our passions are the winds that propel our vessel. Our reason is the pilot that steers her. Without winds the vessel would not move and without a pilot she would be lost.

(Traditional Proverb)

Merit is often an obstacle to fortune; the reason is it produces two bad effects, envy and fear. (Traditional Proverb)

Listen to your conviction, even if they seem absurd to your reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

Reason is the wise man's guide, example the fool's. (Welsh Proverb)

If nobody uses it, there's a reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

An excuse is often substituted for reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

Reason is absent, when impulse rules.

(Latin Proverb)

Reason does not come before years.

(German Proverb)

There's neither rhyme nor reason.

(French Proverb)

No good dog barks without reason.

(French Proverb)

Reasoning banishes reason. (French Proverb)

LITERATURE:

Painters and Poets may have leave to lie.

(Scottish Proverb)

A friend is like a poem. (Persian Proverb)

Of doctor and poet, musician and madman,
we each have a trace. (Mexican Proverb)

Literature is a good staff but a bad crutch.

(English Proverb)

When you are very angry, don't go to a lawyer;
when you are very hungry, don't be a poet.

(Chinese Proverb)

The dog may be wonderful prose, but only the
cat is poetry. (French Proverb)

It is not good to be the poet of a village.
(German Proverb)

Three things that can't be taught: generosity,
poetry and a singing voice.(Irish Proverb)

Poets know all about famous places without
having been there.(Japanese Proverb)

Poems written upon awakening at dawn or
about the dawn are called aubades.
(Traditional Proverb)

The tongue of a poet is always the last to be
corrupted.(Traditional Proverb)

A poet is born not made.(Traditional Proverb)

A friend is a poem.(Persian Proverb)

A picture is a poem wanting words.
(Latin Proverb)

Poetry moves heaven and earth.
(Japanese Proverb)

Poverty makes thieves, like love makes poets.
(Indian Proverb)

Singers, lovers, and poets are privileged liars.
(German Proverb)

Poets are born, not made. (American Proverb)

LONELINESS:

If you are choosing between bad company and loneliness, choose the second option.
(Spanish Proverb)

Discord is less painful than loneliness.
(Irish Proverb)

Long loneliness is better than bad company.
(Irish Proverb)

A sure sign of age is loneliness.
(Albanian Proverb)

Loneliness breaks the spirit. (Jewish Proverb)

Loneliness is a nest for the thoughts.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Strife is better than loneliness. (Irish Proverb)

LOVE:

Love is blind; jealousy sees too much.
(Yiddish Proverb)

Love your neighbor, even if he plays the trombone. (Yiddish Proverb)

Where poverty comes in, love goes out. (Swedish Proverb)

Love can neither be bought nor sold; its only price is love. (Traditional Proverb)

The best part of happiness lies in the secret heart of a lover. (Ugandan Proverb)

In every pardon there is love. (Welsh Proverb)
Whilst kicking and biting, love develops. (Welsh Proverb)

The promises of love and the smoke of a chimney, washed by water and blown away by the wind. (Sicilian Proverb)

When an old man falls in love he is teased by everyone. (Sicilian Proverb)

When there's love, mountains seem like plains. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who has cold hands is in love, who has warm hands is loved. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who suffers because of love, feels no pain. (Sicilian Proverb)

Whoever falls in love with an old person
laments their fortune. (Sicilian Proverb)

Without jealousy, love would wither.
(Sicilian Proverb)

You don't choose whom to love and not love.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Deeds are love, and not fine phrases.
(Spanish Proverb)

Go to friends for advice, woman for love,
strangers for charity and relatives for nothing.
(Spanish Proverb)

Love can do much, money can do everything.
(Spanish Proverb)

Love is like war, begin when you like and leave
off when you can. (Spanish Proverb)

Love, grief, and money cannot be kept secret.
(Spanish Proverb)

Of all pains, the greatest pain, is to love, but
love in vain. (Spanish Proverb)

Love for something makes a man blind and
deaf. (Sudanese Proverb)

Fear less, hope more; eat less, chew more;
whine less, breathe more; talk less, say more;
hate less, love more; and all good things are
yours. (Swedish Proverb)

Poverty and love are difficult to hide.
(Swedish Proverb)

Follow love, and it will flee from thee; leave it,
and it will follow thee. (Scottish Proverb)

Love has no lack. (Scottish Proverb)

In the end we will conserve only what we love;
we will love only what we understand; we will
understand only what we are taught.
(Senegalese Proverb)

A small indignity can destroy a great love.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A woman who dresses up and puts on makeup
is either in love or a clean whore.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A woman without love is like a rose without a
scent. (Sicilian Proverb)

Although there's a new love, the old love can't
be forgotten. (Sicilian Proverb)

Avoid the bad, love the good, because things change in a moment. (Sicilian Proverb)

Being in love with a married woman is living on borrowed time. (Sicilian Proverb)

Better a poor husband than a lover who's a baron. (Sicilian Proverb)

Congeniality makes beauty and not beauty love. (Sicilian Proverb)

Good manners and not beauty leads to love. (Sicilian Proverb)

If between friends there is not equality, there won't be perfect love. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to be happy, love the one who loves you, because it's a waste of time to love someone who doesn't love you. (Sicilian Proverb)

Involuntary love is worthless. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love and arrogance don't go together. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love and jealousy always keep company. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love doesn't listen to advice.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love entered and you didn't realize it: you wanted to drive it out but you couldn't.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Love God with all your heart and ignore the gossip-mongers.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is apportioned, who brings it will have it brought.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is bitter, but it comforts the heart.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is like a cucumber, it starts off sweet and ends up bitter.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is the more beautiful when it is a little irritated.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love is the rock of youth and the shoal of old age.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love the one who loves you, answer the one who calls you.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love without pain is not to be found anywhere.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love, beauty and money are three things that can't be hidden.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love, coughing, and smoke can't be kept concealed. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love, everyone says it's bitter, but everyone wants to see for themselves if it's true.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Lovers' quarrels increase love. (Sicilian Proverb)

New love throws out old love. (Sicilian Proverb)

Raising children engenders love.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Love cannot be compelled. (Romanian Proverb)

Love covers many faults. (Romanian Proverb)

Love does much, money does everything.
(Romanian Proverb)

Love is a sweet torment. (Romanian Proverb)

Love is blind, but marriage finds a cure.
(Romanian Proverb)

Love is full of trouble. (Romanian Proverb)

Love is never without jealousy.
(Romanian Proverb)

Love is not found in the market.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love is sweet in the beginning but sour in the ending.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love is the fruit of idleness.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love is without reason.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love makes all hearts gentle.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love thy neighbor as thyself.

(Romanian Proverb)

Love will go through stone walls.

(Romanian Proverb)

No herb will cure love.

(Romanian Proverb)

Perfect love casteth out fear.

(Romanian Proverb)

The eye lets in love.

(Romanian Proverb)

The Muses love the morning.

(Romanian Proverb)

There is a time to love, and a time to hate.

(Romanian Proverb)

There is nothing worse than an old lover.
(Romanian Proverb)

When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out of the window.(Romanian Proverb)

Love makes the owl seem prettier than a white falcon.(Russian Proverb)

Cold cools the love that kindles over hot.
(Scottish Proverb)

Love and faith are seen in their works.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Love is paid with love.(Portuguese Proverb)

Love should be paid with love.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Unlucky in gambling, lucky in love.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Eat the bread of the man you hate and also of him you love.(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Love is deed and not fine phrases.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Love rules without a sword and binds without a cord.(Puritan Proverb)

Dogs wag their tails, not so much in love to you as to your bread.(Romanian Proverb)

Fear is stronger than love.(Romanian Proverb)
Love one another and do not strive for another's undoing.

(Native American Seneca Proverb)

Love yourself; get outside yourself and take action. Focus on the solution; be at peace.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

Every kind of love is love, but self-love is supreme among them.(Nigerian Proverb)

Love is better than a whip.(Nigerian Proverb)

Stupidity is the lover of ignorance.

(Nigerian Proverb)

When an only kolanut is presented with love, it carries with it more value than might otherwise be associated with a whole pod of several kolanuts.(Nigerian Proverb)

You know who you love, but you can't know who loves you.(Nigerian Proverb)

A righteous man by praise will render the firm in favor and love.(Norse Proverb)

If haply a fool should find for himself wealth or
a woman's love, pride waxes in him but
wisdom never and onward he fares in his folly.
(Norse Proverb)

Let him speak soft words and offer wealth who
longs for a woman's love.(Norse Proverb)

Love looks through spectacles that make
copper look like gold, poverty like riches, and
tears like pearls.(Peruvian Proverb)

When hunger comes through the door, love
jumps out the window.(Mexican Proverb)

Works, and not words, are the proofs of love.
(Mexican Proverb)

Love truth even if it harms you, and hate lies
even if they serve you.(Moroccan Proverb)

One who pervades the great universe is seen
by none unless a man knows the unfolding of
love.(Moroccan Proverb)

Love is a despot who spares no one.
(Namibian Proverb)

Tell me who you love, and I'll tell you who you
are.(Native American Creole Proverb)

When you have learned about love, you have learned about god.

(Native American Fox Proverb)

Inner peace and love are the greatest of God's gifts.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Love is like a rice plant; transplanted, it can grow elsewhere.(Malagasy Proverb)

Love and a cough cannot be hid.
(Latin Proverb)

No folly like being in love.(Latin Proverb)

Love overlooks defects; hatred magnifies them.
(Lebanese Proverb)

Love is always smelled.(Klingon Proverb)

A man in love mistakes a harelip for a dimple.
(Japanese Proverb)

Love and a cough cannot be hidden.
(Japanese Proverb)

Love lives in palaces as well as in thatched cottages.(Japanese Proverb)

The extreme form of passionate love is secret love.(Japanese Proverb)

To the partial eyes of a lover, pockmarks seem like dimples. (Japanese Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; out of sight out of mind. (Italian Proverb)

In a thousand pounds of law there is not one ounce of love. (Italian Proverb)

Love rules without law. (Italian Proverb)

Love, should I escape your snares, I doubt that I can be trapped by any other means. (Italian Proverb)

The more physical the love, the more sublime. (Italian Proverb)

There is no love like the first love. (Italian Proverb)

Love conceals ugliness, and hate sees many faults. (Irish Proverb)

Love is blind to blemishes and faults. (Irish Proverb)

The only cure for love is marriage. (Irish Proverb)

A mother's love is never ending. (Indonesian Proverb)

A long dispute has been forgotten by love, or sometimes a long time of goodness has been forgotten by one badness. (Indonesian Proverb)

As the best wine makes the sharpest vinegar, the truest lover may turn into the worst enemy. (Iranian Proverb)

Love blinds the eyes to faults, and hatred blinds the eyes to virtues. (Hebrew Proverb)

Love forgets dignity. (Hebrew Proverb)

Man was born for love. if he hates, he was born in vain. (Hebrew Proverb)

Three things have a flavor of the world to come: sabbath, the sun, and married love. (Hebrew Proverb)

The adult looks to deeds, the child to love. (Hindustani Proverb)

Being in love is like feeling the sun from both sides. (Finnish Proverb)

Love blinds your eyes, marriage opens them wide. (Finnish Proverb)

Love came in a paper bag, said the maiden when she got a letter from her sweetheart. (Finnish Proverb)

To be in love is to feel the sun from both sides.
(Finnish Proverb)

It is overdoing the thing to die of love.
(French Proverb)

Love makes time pass away, and time makes
love pass away.(French Proverb)

Love, a cough, and smoke will not remain
secret.(French Proverb)

The pleasure of love lasts but a moment, the
pain of love lasts a lifetime.(French Proverb)

What! No star and you are going out to sea?
Marching and you have no music? Traveling
and you have no book? What! No love, and you
are going out to live?(French Proverb)

Choose thy love. Love thy choice.
(German Proverb)

Love your neighbor, but keep your fence.
(German Proverb)

Love your neighbor, but don't pull down the
fence.(German Proverb)

Be one in love.(Hawaiian Proverb)

In the end...we will take care of only what we love; we will love only what we understand; we will understand only what we are taught.

(Hawaiian Proverb)

Love is worn like a wreath through the summers and the winters.(Hawaiian Proverb)

The growth of love is the essence within the soul.(Hawaiian Proverb)

When love is given, love should be returned, anger gives no life.(Hawaiian Proverb)

Romeo must die in order to save the love.
(English Proverb)

The love of money and the love of learning rarely meet.(English Proverb)

The measure of our sacrifice is the measure of our love.(English Proverb)

Where there's marriage without love, there will be love without marriage.(English Proverb)

Love comes after marriage.(Eskimo Proverb)

In the eyes of the lover, pock-marks are dimples.(English Proverb)

Love covers many infirmities. (English Proverb)

Love is full of busy fear. (English Proverb)

Love is full of fear. (English Proverb)

Love is the true reward of love.
(English Proverb)

Love lasts as long as money endures.
(English Proverb)

Love lives in cottages as well as in court.
(English Proverb)

Love makes a good eye squint.
(English Proverb)

Make love like war. (English Proverb)

A man has a choice to begin love, but not to end it. (English Proverb)

A penny-weight of love is worth a pound of law. (English Proverb)

Cold pudding settles love. (English Proverb)

Don't trudge mud into the house of love.
(English Proverb)

If a caged bird isn't singing for love, it's singing in a rage. (Corsican Proverb)

There isn't a Saturday without sun, nor a woman without love. (Corsican Proverb)

When it rains and the sun comes out, foxes make love. (Corsican Proverb)

Love is partner of blindness. (Czech Proverb)

Love is sweet captivity. (Czech Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love; as the distance is from the eyes, so it is from the heart. (Dominican Proverb)

Open rebuke is better than secret love. (Biblical Proverb)

Love and prudence are absolutely incompatible. (Bolivian Proverb)

Love flies away and the pain remains. (Bolivian Proverb)

Where distrust enters, love is no more than a boy. (Chilean Proverb)

A life with love is happy; a life for love is foolish. (Chinese Proverb)

Happiness is something to do, something to love, something to hope for. (Chinese Proverb)

Love and attention make all things grow. (Chinese Proverb)

Love for a person must extend to the crows on his roof. (Chinese Proverb)

Love itself is calm; turbulence arrives from individuals. (Chinese Proverb)

Love my house, love the crow on it. (Chinese Proverb)

You can't tell the cost of food and fuel without being the head of a household; you can't appreciate the love of your parents without having children of your own. (Chinese Proverb)

Our purpose here is to observe, to learn, to grow, to love; and then we return home. (Australian Proverb)

They wooed her and she resisted; they neglected her and she fell in love. (Arabic Proverb)

A handful of love is better than an oven full of bread. (Bengali Proverb)

To be successful in love, one must know how to begin and when to stop. (Albanian Proverb)

The best chaperon a girl can have is to be in love with another fellow. (Albanian Proverb)

Marrying for love is risky, but god smiles on it. (Albanian Proverb)

Love your neighbor, but do not pull down the fence. (Albanian Proverb)

Love of dress is sure the very curse. (Albanian Proverb)

He that falls in love with himself will have no rivals. (Albanian Proverb)

Choose your love, and then love your choice. (Albanian Proverb)

Business is business, and love is love. (Albanian Proverb)

Why take away something by force which you can obtain by love. (African Proverb)

What you help a child to love can be more important than what you help him to learn. (African Proverb)

She is beautiful; she has love, understands;
she respects herself and others; everyone
likes, loves and honors her; she is a goddess.
(African Proverb)

Many hens may be in love with one cock, but
none will be jealous of the other.
(African Proverb)

Love never gets lost it's only kept.
(African Proverb)

Love is like cough you can't hold it back.
(African Proverb)

Love is in blood not in talking. (African Proverb)

Love is a painkiller. (African Proverb)

It's much easier to fall in love than to stay in
love. (African Proverb)

It's better to fall from a tree and a break your
back than to fall in love and break your heart.
(African Proverb)

He who doesn't feel jealousy is not in love.
(African Proverb)

Don't look into the eyes of your lover, or you
will see what he has told many women before.
(African Proverb)

A fish and bird may fall in love but the two cannot build a home together. (African Proverb)

Love is sometimes difficult but death even more so. (Albanian Proverb)

Brotherly love for brotherly love, but cheese for money. (Albanian Proverb)

There is no physician who can cure the disease of love. (African Proverb)

Love is blind, so you have to feel your way. (Brazilian Proverb)

Children's love is like water in a basket. (Argentine Proverb)

Whoever lives within himself is burning with love. (Arab Proverb)

Love sees clearly, hate even more so, but jealousy sees the most clear, because it is equal to love plus hate. (Arab Proverb)

Love lasts as long as does the reproach. (Arab Proverb)

Conversation is like making love; the man is the question, the woman the answer, and the union of both will bear fruit. (Arab Proverb)

Love many, trust few and always paddle your own canoe. (American Proverb)

Don't marry without love, but don't love without reason. (American Proverb)

A flower cannot blossom without sunshine nor a garden without love. (Chinese Proverb)

If love is a sickness, patience is the remedy. (Cameroonian Proverb)

Don't shoot people you hate; don't lend to those you love. (Cambodian Proverb)

Cultivate a heart of love that knows no anger. (Cambodian Proverb)

Love is an eye that doesn't see anything. (Chinese Proverb)

Love has its tides; before ebb tide you must take advantage of the flood. (Chinese Proverb)

Whoever tastes from the head of a poppy will not expect anything from love. (Chinese Proverb)

Love is like a baby: it needs to be treated tenderly. (Congolese Proverb)

When a man is not a lover in his twenties, not strong in his thirties, not rich in his forties and not wise in his fifties he will never be so.
(Czech Proverb)

Love's plant must be watered with tears, and tended with care.(Danish Proverb)

Love is blind and thinks that others don't see either.(Danish Proverb)

Love has produced some heroes but many idiots too.(Danish Proverb)

Love others well, but love thyself the most; give good for good, but not to thine own cost.
(Dutch Proverb)

It's good to be off wi' the old love, before ye be on wi' the new.(Dutch Proverb)

Forbear a quarrel with a friend to move: anger breeds hatred; concord sweetens love.
(Dutch Proverb)

Love is love no matter whence it comes or in what form.(Darkovan Proverb)

Can a mouse fall in love with a cat?
(Darkovan Proverb)

Do when ye may, or suffer ye the nay, in love
'tis the way. (English Proverb)

Dead news, like dead love, has no phoenix in
its ashes. (English Proverb)

Absence, and a friendly neighbor, washed
away love. (English Proverb)

The woman who does not covet the
possessions of her husband is in love with
another man. (Egyptian Proverb)

Love and let the world know, hate in silence.
(Egyptian Proverb)

If you love, love the moon; if you steal, steal a
camel. (Egyptian Proverb)

When Want comes in at the door, Love flies
out at the window. (Dutch Proverb)

One does it for love, another for honor, a third
for money. (Dutch Proverb)

Love your neighbor, yet pull not down your
hedge. (English Proverb)

Love is a garden full of flowers and marriage is
a field of stinging nettles. (Finnish Proverb)

He who cannot light a fire knows nothing about love.(Finnish Proverb)

When one is in love, a cliff becomes a meadow.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Try to reason about love, and you will lose your reason.(French Proverb)

The greatest hate springs from the greatest love.(French Proverb)

Small gifts maintain friendship, big ones maintain love.(French Proverb)

Self -- love is the worst of all flattery.
(French Proverb)

Real love is when you don't have to tell each other.(French Proverb)

Love, a cough, smoke, and money, cannot long be hid.(French Proverb)

Love never dies of starvation, but often of indigestion.(French Proverb)

Love makes time pass; time makes love pass.
(French Proverb)

It is loving too much to die of love.
(French Proverb)

In love, there is always one who kisses and one who offers the cheek.(French Proverb)

In hawks, hounds, arms, and love, for one pleasure a thousand pains.(French Proverb)

Coffee and love are best when they are hot.
(German Proverb)

April weather, woman's love, rose-leaves, dice, and card-luck, change every moment.
(German Proverb)

When we cannot get what we love, we must love what is within our reach.(French Proverb)

Love your neighbor, but don't tear down your fence.(German Proverb)

Love, fire, a cough, the itch, and gout are not to be concealed.(German Proverb)

Love without return is like a question without an answer.(German Proverb)

Love can turn a cottage into a golden palace.
(German Proverb)

Love can do much, money can do all.
(German Proverb)

Never listen to these three advisers: wine, the night, and love. (German Proverb)

When misfortune comes in at the door, love flies out of the window. (German Proverb)

To call war the soil of courage and virtue is like calling debauchery the soil of love. (German Proverb)

Where there's no love, all faults are seen. (German Proverb)

Love is like fog -- there is no mountain on which it does not rest. (Hawaiian Proverb)

Three diseases without shame: love, itch, and thirst. (Irish Proverb)

Love is a crocodile in the river of desire. (Indian Proverb)

Love from someone who is bad is worse than his hatred. (Indian Proverb)

He who is not impatient is not in love. (Italian Proverb)

Happy is she who is in love with an old dotard. (Italian Proverb)

Choose neither a lover nor linen by candle light. (Italian Proverb)

As is the lover so is the beloved.
(Italian Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; away from the eyes,
away from the heart. (Italian Proverb)

Love, a cough, and smoke, are hard to hide.
(Italian Proverb)

Love rules without rules. (Italian Proverb)

Love is the true price at which love is bought.
(Italian Proverb)

Love is an excuse for its own faults.
(Italian Proverb)

Love begins with song and music and ends in
a sea of tears. (Italian Proverb)

Let him not be a lover who has not courage.
(Italian Proverb)

It is all one whether you die of sickness or of
love. (Italian Proverb)

In the war of love that flies conquers.
(Italian Proverb)

If you want to buy love, love itself is the price you'll have to pay.(Italian Proverb)

Love is like butter -- it's good with bread.
(Jewish Proverb)

Love him who tells you your faults in private.
(Jewish Proverb)

It is easier to guard a sack full of fleas than a girl in love.(Jewish Proverb)

A woman prefers poverty with love to wealth without love.(Jewish Proverb)

When someone offends you, you haven't given him enough love.(Japanese Proverb)

Love without friendship is like a shadow without the sun.(Japanese Proverb)

In the eyes of a lover a pock-marked face is one with pretty dimples.(Japanese Proverb)

He who treads the path of love walks a thousand meters as if it were only one.
(Japanese Proverb)

A man in love mistakes a pimple for a dimple.
(Japanese Proverb)

Where there is equality there never can be perfect love. (Italian Proverb)

A lover should be regarded as a person demented. (Latin Proverb)

Every lover is a slave: he follows captive at his mistress's heels. (Latin Proverb)

Even Jupiter himself cannot be in love and wise at the same time. (Latin Proverb)

No herb can remedy the anguish of love. (Latin Proverb)

May he love tomorrow who has never loved before; And may he who has loved, love tomorrow as well. (Latin Proverb)

Love would soon perish, unless nourished by Ceres and Bacchus. (Latin Proverb)

Love or hate there is no third course. (Latin Proverb)

Love for those too easily won does not last long. (Latin Proverb)

Love conquers all things; let us own her dominion. (Latin Proverb)

It flies at our approach but follows us as we retire. [A Shadow, Glory, or Love.]

(Latin Proverb)

If a man falls in love with a frog, he thinks his frog a very Diana. (Latin Proverb)

He who is in love with himself need fear no rival. (Latin Proverb)

If you fall in love let her be a beauty; if you should steal, let it be a camel.

(Lebanese Proverb)

Where the love is, thither turns the eye.

(Latin Proverb)

To be in love and act wisely is scarcely granted to a god. (Latin Proverb)

The pleasures of love are enhanced by injuries. (Latin Proverb)

Perhaps you will soon find another, and a fairer, lover. (Latin Proverb)

The quarrel of lovers is the renewal of love.

(Moroccan Proverb)

No fate is worse than a life without a love.

(Mexican Proverb)

Love is too rare to be lost on jealousy.

(Mexican Proverb)

Love is blind -- but not the neighbors.

(Mexican Proverb)

The betrothed of good is evil; the betrothed of life is death; the betrothed of love is divorce.

(Malawian Proverb)

Sadness is a valuable treasure -- only discovered in people you love.

(Malagasy Proverb)

Love is like young rice: transplanted, still it grows. (Malagasy Proverb)

Love is just like rice -- plant it elsewhere and it grows. (Malagasy Proverb)

If love is torn apart you cannot stitch the pieces together again. (Malagasy Proverb)

Friendship reminds us of fathers, love of mothers. (Malagasy Proverb)

Don't be so much in love that you can't tell when it's raining. (Malagasy Proverb)

Of soup and love, the first is the best. (Portuguese Proverb)

In war, hunting, and love, for one pleasure a hundred pains. (Portuguese Proverb)

An old man in love is like a flower in winter. (Portuguese Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's; then a dog's; then a sweetheart's. (Polish Proverb)

The greater love is a mother's; then comes a dog's; then a sweetheart's. (Polish Proverb)

Love without jealousy is like a Pole with no moustache. (Polish Proverb)

Love one another said Christ, but he didn't mention anything about preferences. (Polish Proverb)

Love enters a man through his eyes, woman through her ears. (Polish Proverb)

It is not from the love of God that the cat catches mice. (Persian Proverb)

A man in love schemes more than a hundred lawyers. (Spanish Proverb)

A father's love, for all other is air. (Spanish Proverb)

A boy's love is water in a sieve.

(Spanish Proverb)

Mistrust is an axe in the tree of love.

(Russian Proverb)

Love is like a glass that breaks if handled clumsily.

(Russian Proverb)

Love has its own language, but marriage falls back on the local dialect.

(Russian Proverb)

Love and eggs are best when they are fresh.

(Russian Proverb)

Love, pain, and money cannot be kept secret; they soon betray themselves.

(Spanish Proverb)

Love one that does not love you, answer one that does not call you, and you will run a fruitless race.

(Spanish Proverb)

Love is like war: you begin when you like and leave off when you can.

(Spanish Proverb)

Love is like a mousetrap: you go in when you want, but you don't get out when you like.

(Spanish Proverb)

Love can do much, money can do more.

(Spanish Proverb)

In the face of love and death, courage is useless. (Spanish Proverb)

In hunting and in love you begin when you like and leave off when you can.
(Spanish Proverb)

He who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love.
(Spanish Proverb)

Fire and love do not say "Go to your work."
(Spanish Proverb)

Blue eyes say, Love me or I die; black eyes say, Love me or I kill thee. (Spanish Proverb)

To offer friendship to one who is looking for love, is like giving bread to someone dying of thirst. (Spanish Proverb)

To give is honor, to love is grief.
(Spanish Proverb)

There are eyes that fall in love with bleared ones. (Spanish Proverb)

The fox knows a lot, but a woman in love knows even more. (Spanish Proverb)

Out of love for the ox, the wolf licks the yoke.
(Spanish Proverb)

Take hold lightly; let go lightly. This is one of the great secrets of felicity in love.

(Spanish Proverb)

Absence and a friendly neighbor washes away love. (Traditional Proverb)

Love is like dew that falls on both nettles and lilies. (Swedish Proverb)

Love has produced some heroes but even more idiots. (Swedish Proverb)

Fear less, hope more, eat less, chew more, whine less, breathe more, talk less, say more, hate less, love more, and all good things will be yours. (Swedish Proverb)

A life without love is like a year without summer. (Swedish Proverb)

With lightning and with love, the clothes sound, the heart burned. (Spanish Proverb)

When two are in love, only one needs to eat. (Spanish Proverb)

When love is not madness, it is not love. (Spanish Proverb)

If it is given with love, a mere handful is enough. (Traditional Proverb)

I love you because you love the things I love.
(Traditional Proverb)

How does one measure time No, not in day, months, or years. It is measured by the most precious of all things Love. Without which all beings and things whether brave and or beautiful would perish.(Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is a prodigal, but love is a miser.
(Traditional Proverb)

For stern as death is love, relentless as the nether world is devotion its flames are a blazing fire. Deep waters cannot quench love, nor do floods sweep it away.
(Traditional Proverb)

Do not cease to drink beer, to eat, to intoxicate thyself, to make love, and to celebrate the good days.(Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as night, hot as hell, and strong as love.(Traditional Proverb)

Bright but hidden, the Self dwells in the heart. Everything that moves, breathes, opens, and closes Lives in the Self. He is the source of love and may be known through love but not through thought. He is the goal of life. Attain this goal.(Traditional Proverb)

Perhaps they are not stars, but rather openings in heaven where the love of our lost ones pours through and shines down upon us to let us know they are happy.

(Traditional Proverb)

Our love is like the misty rain that falls softly, but floods the river. (Traditional Proverb)

No rose without a thorn, or a love without a rival. (Traditional Proverb)

Love this Earth as if you won't be here tomorrow show reverence for your Garden as if you will be here forever. (Traditional Proverb)

Love sees sharply, hatred sees even more sharp, but Jealousy sees the sharpest for it is love and hate at the same time.

(Traditional Proverb)

Love me when I least deserve it, because that's when I really need it. (Traditional Proverb)

Love is like seaweed even if you have pushed it away, you will not prevent it from coming back. (Traditional Proverb)

Love is a sweet tyranny, because the lover endureth his torments willingly.

(Traditional Proverb)

Let those that love us, love us. And those that don't, May God turn their hearts. And, if He cannot turn their hearts, May He turns their ankles so we may know them by their limping.
(Traditional Proverb)

It's much easier to turn a friendship into love, than love into friendship. (Traditional Proverb)

It's easy to halve the potato where there's love.
(Traditional Proverb)

Coffee should be black as Hell, strong as death, and sweet as love. (Turkish Proverb)

Before you love, learn to run through snow without leaving footprints. (Turkish Proverb)

A heart in love with beauty never grows old.
(Turkish Proverb)

Where there is no trust there is no love.
(Traditional Proverb)

The fool sings a love song to his wife, the wise man will talk about his dog. (Turkish Proverb)

For those in love, Baghdad is near Istanbul.
(Turkish Proverb)

Love will find a way. Indifference will find an excuse.(Ukranian Proverb)

Love thy neighbor, but pull not down thy hedge.(Ukranian Proverb)

Love tells us many things that are not so.
(Ukranian Proverb)

Too much prudishness makes the lover sick.
(Turkish Proverb)

Love well whip well.(Ukranian Proverb)

Love will find a way.(Ukranian Proverb)

Plant kindness and gather love.
(Traditional Proverb)

Salt water and absence wash away love.
(Traditional Proverb)

The eyes are leaders in love.
(Traditional Proverb)

No love like the first love.(Traditional Proverb)

Lonely is a man without love.
(Traditional Proverb)

Love doesn't love anybody.(Traditional Proverb)

Love cannot be commanded.

(Traditional Proverb)

Love is a many splintered thing.

(Traditional Proverb)

Love is one thing, knowledge is another.

(Traditional Proverb)

Love sees no faults. (Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is love with understanding.

(Traditional Proverb)

Wrinkles are the gravestones of love.

(Spanish Proverb)

True love suffers no concealment.

(Spanish Proverb)

All is fair in love and war. (Spanish Proverb)

Love kills with golden arrows.

(Spanish Proverb)

One love drives out another. (Spanish Proverb)

Don't just take love, experience it.

(Persian Proverb)

Where there is love, there is happiness.

(Polish Proverb)

All the world loves a lover. (Portuguese Proverb)

Deeds are love, and not sweet words.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Love has no law. (Portuguese Proverb)

Love knows no law. (Portuguese Proverb)

Lovers' quarrels are love redoubled.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Poverty never sped well in love.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Love understands all languages.
(Romanian Proverb)

Short love, long sighs. (Romanian Proverb)

All ages are submissive to love.
(Russian Proverb)

Quarrels enhance the pleasures of love.
(Latin Proverb)

What limit is there in love? (Latin Proverb)

Fear and love do not go together.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Never confuse gratitude with love.
(Mexican Proverb)

Feigned love is worse than hatred.
(Latin Proverb)

Habit causes love.(Latin Proverb)

Jove but laughs at lover's perjury.
(Latin Proverb)

Love brooks no delay.(Latin Proverb)

Love conquers all.(Latin Proverb)

Love is a kind of military service.
(Latin Proverb)

Love is like a shuttlecock.(Latin Proverb)

Love is the fruit of love.(Latin Proverb)

Love steals on us imperceptibly.(Latin Proverb)

Lovers' quarrels are the renewal of love.
(Latin Proverb)

Music provokes love.(Latin Proverb)

Love and hate always exaggerate.
(Jewish Proverb)

Love does not pay attention to dignity.
(Jewish Proverb)

Love me a little but long.(Jewish Proverb)

Love tastes sweet, but only with bread.
(Jewish Proverb)

Likeness is the mother of love.(Italian Proverb)

Love demands faith, and faith firmness.
(Italian Proverb)

Love is blind but sees afar.(Italian Proverb)

Love is master of all arts.(Italian Proverb)

Love kills time and time kills love.
(Italian Proverb)

Love knows not labor.(Italian Proverb)

Love levels all inequalities.(Italian Proverb)

Love me, love my dog.(Italian Proverb)

Love rules his kingdom without a sword.
(Italian Proverb)

Love rules without rules.(Italian Proverb)

Love your friend with his faults.

(Italian Proverb)

Love's merchandise is jealousy and broken faith.

(Italian Proverb)

True love never grows old.

(Italian Proverb)

Where love is there the eye is.

(Italian Proverb)

Who suffers from love, feels no pain.

(Italian Proverb)

Eat before falling in love.

(Japanese Proverb)

Where there's no love, there's no honour.

(German Proverb)

Where there's no jealousy, there's no love.

(German Proverb)

The name of Love's fiancée is Divorce.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Great hate follows great love.

(Irish Proverb)

Absence is the enemy of love.

(Italian Proverb)

Anger increases love.

(Italian Proverb)

Counsel is nothing against love.

(Italian Proverb)

Friendship is love with intelligence.

(German Proverb)

Love begins at home. (German Proverb)

Love grows with obstacles. (German Proverb)

Love knows hidden paths. (German Proverb)

Love sees roses without thorns.

(German Proverb)

Love talks, even with closed lips.

(German Proverb)

Love, thieves, and fear, make ghosts.

(German Proverb)

Love's anger is fuel to love. (German Proverb)

No jealousy, no love. (German Proverb)

Scratch a lover and find an enemy.

(German Proverb)

The only victory over love is flight.

(French Proverb)

Time makes love pass. (French Proverb)

To love is to choose. (French Proverb)

What you love is always beautiful.

(French Proverb)

Whoever I love is the most beautiful.

(Georgian Proverb)

A wall between increases love.

(German Proverb)

Early marriage, long love. (German Proverb)

Love and lordship like no fellowship.

(French Proverb)

Love Bertrand love his dog. (French Proverb)

Love does wonders, but money makes marriages. (French Proverb)

Love expels jealousy. (French Proverb)

Love is often the fruit of marriage.

(French Proverb)

Love makes the time pass. (French Proverb)

Love me little and love me long.

(French Proverb)

Love subdues everything except the recreant's heart. (French Proverb)

Love teaches asses to dance.(French Proverb)

Love teaches even asses to dance.
(French Proverb)

Marriage is the sunset of love.(French Proverb)

Mother's love is ever in its spring.
(French Proverb)

One always returns to one's first love.
(French Proverb)

Pity is akin to love.(French Proverb)

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Forced love does not last. (Dutch Proverb)

Love makes labor light. (Dutch Proverb)

Love makes the world go round.

(Dutch Proverb)

Self-love nobody else's love. (Dutch Proverb)

Absence sharpens love; presence strengthens it. (English Proverb)

Love laughs at locksmiths. (English Proverb)

Old love does not rust. (Estonian Proverb)

Love did not grow any garlic.

(Armenian Proverb)

Where there is love, there is peace.

(Burmese Proverb)

Love does much, money does all.

(Catalonian Proverb)

Love is blind, and greed insatiable.

(Chinese Proverb)

Love is blind, friendship closes its eyes.

(Chinese Proverb)

Love is blind.(Chinese Proverb)

Love is incompatible with fear.

(Chinese Proverb)

Faults are thick where love is thin.

(Danish Proverb)

Kisses are the messengers of love.

(Danish Proverb)

Love and poverty are hard to conceal.

(Danish Proverb)

Love begets love.(Danish Proverb)

Love is one-eyed, hate is blind.

(Danish Proverb)

Love's quarrels oft in pleasing concord end.
(Danish Proverb)

Lucky at cards, unlucky in love.
(Danish Proverb)

When mistrust enters, love departs.
(Danish Proverb)

Love is the art of making exceptions.
(Darkovan Proverb)

Debt severs love.(Afghan Proverb)

All is fair in love and golf.(American Proverb)

Make love, not war.(American Proverb)

LOYALTY:

When there is poverty, loyalty is suspect.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Give a traitor good words and you make him loyal.(Spanish Proverb)

Masters who sacrifice for servants will receive the gift of loyalty.(Traditional Proverb)

Great villainy is often called loyalty.

(Japanese Proverb)

Loyalty is more valuable than diamonds.

(Filipino Proverb)

M CATEGORY

MADNESS:

Who insists on running up a slope, is confused and crazy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

If you prune in March you're either a jackass or crazy.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Luck is the friend of jackasses and the crazy; it's a mortal enemy of the virtuous.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Whom fortune wishes to destroy, she first makes mad.

(Romanian Proverb)

Much learning makes men mad.

(Romanian Proverb)

Oppression makes a wise man mad.

(Romanian Proverb)

Of doctor and crazy, we all have a little.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Children when they are little make parents fools, when they are great they make them mad. (Romanian Proverb)

Seven women in their right senses are surpassed by a mad man. (Maltese Proverb)

If you never climb Mt. Fuji, you're a fool, and if you climb it more than once, you're a crazy fool. (Japanese Proverb)

When a drunk meets a mad man, he learns the difference between being merely drunk and truly mad. (Igbo Proverb)

When a drunken man meets a mad man, he learns the difference between being merely drunk and being truly mad. (Igbo Proverb)

If a dog is to be killed, it is said to be mad. (Hungarian Proverb)

Where there are many masters the servant becomes mad. (Hungarian Proverb)

One mad man makes many madmen: many madmen make madness. (Gypsy Proverb)

One madman makes many madmen and many madmen make madness.(Gypsy Proverb)

Too much money makes one mad.
(English Proverb)

Mad dogs get their skin torn.(Faroese Proverb)

What can a cat do if its master is crazy.
(Corsican Proverb)

You cannot distinguish between a drunken man and a mad man until they have slept.
(Cuban Proverb)

The First glass is for health, the second - for joy, the third - for fun, the fourth - for madness.(Bulgarian Proverb)

A fox distances itself from a crazy pup.
(Corsican Proverb)

Earth is old, but it is not mad.
(Bengali Proverb)

The drunken ones will sober up, but the mad ones will not clever up.(Bengali Proverb)

May the crazy not die to make people laugh?
(Amharic Proverb)

A man in passion rides a mad horse.

(Albanian Proverb)

The madman, who throws a stone into a crowded market, forgets that his own mother could be hit by his madness.(African Proverb)

Not all men who walk in the street naked are crazy.(African Proverb)

A lazy man plants on a mad bark as an excuse for not planting.(African Proverb)

By the time you tell a secret to a mad person then a normal person you cannot see.

(African Proverb)

At that particular time a mad person gives you something take it immediately before he changes his mind.(African Proverb)

Almost everyone is mad but some people can control there madness.(African Proverb)

Not all men who walk in the street naked are crazy.(African Proverb)

A lazy man plants on a mad bark as an excuse for not planting.(African Proverb)

It is only a mad dog that barks at a flying bird.
(African Proverb)

If you choose to make friendship with a pig
you must be prepared to live in the mad.

(African Proverb)

A man is as big as the things that made him
mad.(American Proverb)

Wrath begins in madness and ends in
repentance.(Arab Proverb)

He who loves thinks that the others are blind;
the others think that he is crazy.

(Arab Proverb)

When the healthy dog fights with a mad dog, it
is the ears of the healthy one that are bitten
off.(Burmese Proverb)

Those who hear not the music think the
dancers mad.(Chinese Proverb)

To marry one is a duty; twice a folly; thrice is
madness.(Dutch Proverb)

To marry once is a duty, twice a folly, and
three times -- madness.(Dutch Proverb)

A man who wants to drown his dog says he is
mad.(French Proverb)

He that would hang his dog, gives out first,
that he is mad.(French Proverb)

He who wants his dog killed has only to say he's mad. (Italian Proverb)

To a crazy ship every wind is contrary. (Italian Proverb)

A man of gladness seldom falls into madness. (Latin Proverb)

All flute-players are mad; when once they begin to blow, away goes reason. (Latin Proverb)

Mad desire, when it has the most, longs for more. (Latin Proverb)

Too much wine will make a sane man mad. (Latin Proverb)

He made me mad. To see him shine so brisk and smell so sweet. (Portuguese Proverb)

Mad love--I for you, and you for another. (Spanish Proverb)

He who wants to kill his dog only has to say he is mad. (Spanish Proverb)

Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad. (Spanish Proverb)

When love is not madness, it is not love.

(Spanish Proverb)

Pretend that you are crazy, you will live.

(Tunisian Proverb)

Whom God wishes to destroy, he first makes mad.

(Traditional Proverb)

To mad words deaf ears.

(Spanish Proverb)

Mad as a wet hen.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Choleric men are blind and mad.

(Portuguese Proverb)

The madness of one makes many mad.

(Latin Proverb)

Every madman thinks all other men mad.

(Latin Proverb)

Mad drunkenness discloses every secret.

(Latin Proverb)

Anger is a transient madness.

(Latin Proverb)

A mad parish, a mad priest.

(Italian Proverb)

Crazy wheels run longest.

(German Proverb)

Don't get mad, get even.

(German Proverb)

A hungry clown is half mad. (French Proverb)

Anger is a short madness. (Dutch Proverb)

Mad dogs get their coats torn.
(Danish Proverb)

The different sorts of madness are
innumerable. (Arab Proverb)

God is good, but not crazy. (Basque Proverb)

A deaf auditor makes a crazy answerer.
(Danish Proverb)

MAJORITY:

The Torah can be interpreted in 49 different
ways. God told Moses, 'decide according to the
majority.' (Hebrew Proverb)

When a life is at stake, don't follow the
majority. (Hebrew Proverb)

One man with courage is a majority.
(Albanian Proverb)

It is better to be right than in the majority.
(Albanian Proverb)

Studies indicate that the majority of US currency has traces of cocaine.

(Traditional Proverb)

Beware the tyranny of the minority.

(Latin Proverb)

MAN:

A man without a wife is a man without a house.

(Zanzibar Proverb)

Without a woman's help, a man cannot set up a tent.

(Tibetan Proverb)

Three things drive a man outdoors; smoke, a leaking roof and a scolding wife.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is because of man we wear swords.

(Tshi Proverb)

Men and women towards each other are for the eyes and the heart, and not only for the bed.

(Tuareg Proverb)

What a man is at seven is also what he is at seventy.

(Turkish Proverb)

When a man is in trouble he smokes.

(Ugandan Proverb)

Polygamy makes a husband a double-tongued man.(Ugandan Proverb)

The ideal is a four year old dog, an eight year old horse, an eighteen year old woman and a twenty eight year old man.(Sicilian Proverb)

Women, fire, and the sea are perilous for man.(Sicilian Proverb)

Men for tea, women for talk.(Somali Proverb)

The most dangerous thing a man needs is woman.(Somali Proverb)

It is hunger that killed the man with many wives.(South African Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow; the devil comes with a bellows.(Spanish Proverb)

The man who does not love a horse cannot love a woman.(Spanish Proverb)

Every man can rule an ill wife, but he that has her.(Scottish Proverb)

Quhen a man is full of lust; his wemb is full of leasing. (Scottish Proverb)

Don't despise a man under a cape nor a woman in tatters. (Sicilian Proverb)

For the man a great sweat, for the woman a great physical pain. (Sicilian Proverb)

God protect you from the man who looks down at the ground and the woman who looks up to heaven. (Sicilian Proverb)

Good land and a good wife bring a man well-being. (Sicilian Proverb)

Inexperienced young men are better off not marrying: Stay away from women! You'll be better off. (Sicilian Proverb)

Man is like the sea: if he doesn't produce today, he'll produce tomorrow. (Sicilian Proverb)

Man loses his good judgment over women and wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

Three things drive a man out of his house - smoke, rain and a scolding wife. (Romanian Proverb)

A Scots man is ay wife behind band.

(Scottish Proverb)

Beware of a man that does not talk, and of a dog that does not bark.(Portuguese Proverb)

A bad woman is worse than a bad man.

(Romanian Proverb)

A woman is flax, man is fire, and the devil comes and blows the bellows.

(Romanian Proverb)

Between promising and performing a man may marry his daughter.(Romanian Proverb)

If my aunt had been a man, she'd have been my uncle.(Romanian Proverb)

If my aunt had a beard, this man would be my uncle.(Persian Proverb)

A knife does not fear thorns, a woman fears man.(Mongo Proverb)

Instruct a man, you instruct an individual.
Instruct a woman, you instruct a nation.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Believe not a swearing man and a weeping woman.(Maltese Proverb)

If the man lets a woman know what he has got in his saving box, she will marry him for his money. (Maltese Proverb)

Marry a man older than you and not a younger man, who will tire of you. (Maltese Proverb)

Seven women in their right senses are surpassed by a mad man. (Maltese Proverb)

Man has his own will, but woman has her own way. (Manx Proverb)

When a man wants a wife, he wants but a wife; But when he has got a wife, he wants a great deal. (Manx Proverb)

I am not a merry man. (Klingon Proverb)

A shy woman is worth a city, a shy man is worth a goat. (Kurdish Proverb)

Man and wife are one flesh. (Japanese Proverb)

A woman who cries, a man who swears, a horse that sweats, all imposture. (Italian Proverb)

Men are as old as they feel, women as old as they look. (Italian Proverb)

Woman, impromptu; man, on reflection.
(Italian Proverb)

Women are stronger than men; they do not die of wisdom.(Irish Proverb)

You cannot tell from a man's clothes how much he is making, but you must look at his wife's.(Irish Proverb)

If a man and his wife deserve, god's presence is with them; if they do not deserve, fire consumes them.(Hebrew Proverb)

Men like guests more than women do.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Three things please a man: a lovely home, a lovely wife, and lovely possessions.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Three things show a man's character: his drinking, his pocket, and his anger.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A woman without a man is like a garden without a fence.(German Proverb)

A man with a skinny wife is a deceitful man.
(Greek Proverb)

A hairy man's a Geary man, but a hairy wife's a witch. (Gypsy Proverb)

If a man looks upon your wife pluck out his eye and cook it in a goodly stew. If he eats the stew his manhood will wither and fall off in the next moon. (Gypsy Proverb)

Adam was the luckiest of men: he had no mother-in-law. (Hebrew Proverb)

A stupidly devout man, the slyly evil, and the sanctimonious woman - these will destroy the world. (Hebrew Proverb)

Old men, when they marry young women, make much of death. (English Proverb)

Women in mischief are wiser than men. (English Proverb)

A girl who cannot patch man's trousers in between the legs, must not marry at all, because what use does a man have of such a stupid wife. (Estonian Proverb)

A man is who knows to marry a woman and buy a horse. (Estonian Proverb)

A man without a knife is a man without a life. (Faroese Proverb)

When there are many women, the cabbage will be spoiled. The slimming of an elephant and the losses of a rich man are not noticeable.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Man, woman, and devil, is the three degrees of comparison.

(English Proverb)

Men get wealth and women keep it.

(English Proverb)

Men make houses, women make homes.

(English Proverb)

A man among children will long be a child; a child among men will soon be a man.

(English Proverb)

A man is as old as he feels, a woman as old as she looks.

(English Proverb)

A man may woo where he will, but he will wed where his luck lies.

(English Proverb)

A man without a wife is but half a man.

(English Proverb)

The woman makes the man.

(Corsican Proverb)

Money tempts women, women tempt men.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day.
(Chinese Proverb)

Give a man a fish, and he'll eat for a day.
(Chinese Proverb)

If a man does only what is required of him, he is a slave.(Chinese Proverb)

No man is a hero to his woman.
(Chinese Proverb)

The man and his woman is like the grave and its dead.(Arabic Proverb)

Women are like books: too much gilding makes men suspicious that the binding is the most important part.(Albanian Proverb)

Thrift is to a man what chastity is to a woman.
(Albanian Proverb)

Men build houses; women build homes.
(Albanian Proverb)

A diplomat is a man who always remembers a woman's birthday but never her age.
(Albanian Proverb)

The death of a man doesn't make his wives men.(African Proverb)

No matter how often a man quarrels with his wife he doesn't do so during the hours leading to bedtime. (African Proverb)

No matter how kind a man might be he cannot accept to share his wife. (African Proverb)

Every old man was once a young man but not every young man will become an old man. (African Proverb)

A woman who pursues a man for sex loses her spiritual beauty. (African Proverb)

A lady is a woman who makes it easy for a man to be a gentleman. (American Proverb)

The success of a man is through the soles of his feet, that of a woman is from her legs. (African Proverb)

If you are threatened by a man, sleep at night, if it is by a woman then stay awake. (African Proverb)

The woman who loves her husband corrects his faults; the man that loves his wife exaggerates them. (Armenian Proverb)

Men laugh with their heart, women only with their mouth. (Arab Proverb)

No woman can make a wise man out of a fool, but every woman can change a wise man into a fool. (Argentine Proverb)

If you want to take revenge on a man, send him a really beautiful woman. (Arab Proverb)

Conversation is like making love; the man is the question, the woman the answer, and the union of both will bear fruit. (Arab Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women. Wisdom is the beauty of men. (Chinese Proverb)

A young woman with an old man is really someone else's woman. (Chinese Proverb)

A woman that always laughs is everybody's wife; a man that is always laughing is an idiot. (Chinese Proverb)

A good dog does not bite a chicken and a good man does not hit his wife. (Chinese Proverb)

Women and cats in the house, men and dogs in the street. (Catalonian Proverb)

The folly of a man is not broadcast like that of a woman. (Cameroonian Proverb)

It's not the beauty of a woman that blinds the man, the man blinds himself. (Chinese)

If the dog leads the man, the man is blind. If the man leads the dog, the man is married.
(Chinese Proverb)

When a man is crazy about a woman only she can cure him.(Chinese Proverb)

A little dog, a cow without horns, and a short man, are generally proud.(Danish Proverb)

A man without a woman is a tree without leaves and branches.(Corsican Proverb)

We must bear our cross with patience, said the man when he took his wife on his back.
(Danish Proverb)

A hundred men can make an encampment, but it requires a woman to make a home.
(Dutch Proverb)

If you lie down with a man, you may rise up as a woman.(Darkovan Proverb)

A man is as old as he feels, and a woman as old as she looks.(English Proverb)

The woman who does not covet the possessions of her husband is in love with another man.(Egyptian Proverb)

Pride and dignity would belong to women if only men would leave them alone.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Wisdom in the man, patience in the wife, brings peace to the house and a happy life.

(Dutch Proverb)

Six hours for a man, seven for a woman, and eight for a fool.

(English Proverb)

Between promising and giving a man should marry his daughter.

(French Proverb)

A good burgundy does a lot for women, especially when men drink it.

(French Proverb)

Woman without man is like a field without seed.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Men fear danger, women only the sight of it.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

The cart ruins the road, the woman the man, the water the wine.

(French Proverb)

The beauty of a woman does not make a man richer.

(French Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow, and the devil comes and blows.

(French Proverb)

If you want to understand men, study women.
(French Proverb)

Happy is the man who has a handsome wife
close to an abbey.(French Proverb)

Thousands of men were murdered because of
their beautiful wives.(Georgian Proverb)

Men prefer the wife of another but love their
own sons more.(Georgian Proverb)

Man without woman, is head without body;
woman without man, is body without head.
(German Proverb)

A woman prefers a man without money to
money without a man.(Greek Proverb)

If a woman gets rich she changes into a man.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

A woman's appetite is twice that of a man's;
her sexual desire, four times; her intelligence,
eight times.(Indian Proverb)

A woman talks to one man, looks at another,
and thinks about a third.(Indian Proverb)

A man without a woman is only half a man.
(Indian Proverb)

The woman of a man without sorrows is almost a widow. (Hungarian Proverb)

The wife of a careless man is almost a widow. (Hungarian Proverb)

If women were not vain, men could teach them how to be. (Hungarian Proverb)

Without men in the neighborhood all the women are chaste. (Indian Proverb)

The spouse of a woman is a man, the spouse of a man is his livelihood. (Indian Proverb)

Handsome women generally fall to the lot of ugly men. (Italian Proverb)

Three things drive a man out of doors: smoke, dropping water, and a shrew. (Italian Proverb)

Six hours sleep for a man, seven for a woman, and eight for a fool. (Italian Proverb)

Men were born with bread in their hands
women were born with empty hands.
(Jewish Proverb)

An old man in the house is a burden, but an old woman is a treasure. (Jewish Proverb)

A man is not old until his regrets take the place of his dreams.(Jewish Proverb)

Men and women are never placed too far apart to be near.(Japanese Proverb)

The man is a river, the woman a lake.
(Kurdish Proverb)

After dinner a Kuru kills a man or kidnaps a woman.(Kurdish Proverb)

A woman is a fortress, a man her prisoner.
(Kurdish Proverb)

When a divorced man marries a divorced woman, there are four people in that marital bed.(Jewish Proverb)

The best horse needs a whip, intelligent men need advice, and devout women need a man.
(Jewish Proverb)

But now I was a rich man, three things have left me bare; dice, wine, and women, these three have made me poor.(Latin Proverb)

A wise man should never give his wife too much reign.(Latin Proverb)

A whistling woman and a crowing hen are neither fit for God nor men. (Latin Proverb)

If a man falls in love with a frog, he thinks his frog a very Diana. (Latin Proverb)

Better to be guilty in the eyes of men than in the eyes of God. (Malagasy Proverb)

The son of an old man is an orphan, and his wife is a widow. (Lebanese Proverb)

Wherever a man dwells, he shall be sure to have a thorn-bush near his door. (Latin Proverb)

As soon as a man gets new trousers, he thinks about a new wife. (Persian Proverb)

Men have thought about their marriage a whole year long -- and it lasts but one night. (Moorish Proverb)

Men and women sleep on the same pillow, but they have different dreams. (Mongolian Proverb)

As a child, is a man wrapped in his mother's womb; as an adult, in tradition; comes death, and he is wrapped in earth. (Malawian Proverb)

Trust not tows with firebrands, not a woman with men. (Portuguese Proverb)

The woman cries before the wedding and the man after. (Polish Proverb)

Love enters a man through his eyes, woman through her ears. (Polish Proverb)

Love enters a man through his eyes, woman through her ears. (Polish Proverb)

He has not married a woman for she is the equal of a man. (South African Proverb)

Man is the head and woman is the crown upon it. (Slovak Proverb)

The man is the flame, the woman the glow. (Russian Proverb)

After all, every man is the son of a woman. (Russian Proverb)

A wise man sees only water in the tears of a woman. (Russian Proverb)

A man without a wife is like a man in winter without a fur cap. (Russian Proverb)

Four things put a man beside himself-- women, tobacco, cards, and wine. (Spanish)

At twenty a man will be a peacock, at thirty a lion, at forty a camel, at fifty a serpent, at sixty a dog, at seventy a monkey, and at eighty nothing. (Spanish Proverb)

Three things kill a man: a scorching son, suppers, and cares. (Spanish Proverb)

Though you are a prudent old man, do not despise counsel. (Spanish Proverb)

The best or the worst for a man is his wife. (Spanish Proverb)

Smoke, a dripping roof, and a scolding wife, are enough to drive a man out of his life. (Spanish Proverb)

Never advise a man to go to the wars, or to marry. (Spanish Proverb)

A lion sleeps in the heart of every brave man. (Traditional Proverb)

A hundred men may make an encampment, but it takes a woman to make a home. (Traditional Proverb)

A good wife and health are a man's best wealth. (Traditional Proverb)

When the blind man carries the lame man,
both go forward. (Swedish Proverb)

An old man is there to talk. (Nigerian Proverb)

Man and woman, fire and chaff. (Latin Proverb)

A prospering man should remain at home.
(Latin Proverb)

A wealthy man can err with impunity.
(Latin Proverb)

Women's quarrels cause the men's wars.
(Japanese Proverb)

Men make wealth, and women preserve it.
(Italian Proverb)

Woman decides impromptu; man, on
reflection. (Italian Proverb)

A loving man, a jealous man. (Italian Proverb)

A married man is a caged bird. (Italian Proverb)

Man loves but once. (German Proverb)

Prudent men choose frugal wives.
(German Proverb)

Prudent men woo thrifty women.

(German Proverb)

A wise man, a strong man.(German Proverb)

If you would understand men, study women.

(French Proverb)

Men make laws; women make morals.

(French Proverb)

A healthy man is a successful man.

(French Proverb)

A litigious man, a liar.(French Proverb)

A miserly father makes a prodigal man.

(French Proverb)

Adversity makes a man wise.(French Proverb)

All clever men are birds of prey.

(English Proverb)

Fear not the man who fears God.

(Arab Proverb)

MANAGEMENT:

Good management is better than good income. (Portuguese Proverb)

MANKIND:

Mankind bestows more applause on her destroyer than on her benefactor. (Albanian Proverb)

All mankind is divided into three classes: those that are immovable, those that are moveable, and those that move. (Arab Proverb)

Mankind scorns a virtuous man, but heaven does not. (Chinese Proverb)

Mankind fears an evil man but heaven does not. (Chinese Proverb)

The best of mankind is a farmer the best food is fruit. (Ethiopian Proverb)

God wanted to chastise mankind, so he sent lawyers. (Russian Proverb)

God wanted to punish mankind, so he created lawyers. (Russian Proverb)

Mankind is made out of forgetfulness.

(Arab Proverb)

MANNERS:

The highest art is the art of living an ordinary life in an extraordinary manner.

(Tibetan Proverb)

Lordships changes manners.

(Scottish Proverb)

Manners mek di man.(Jamaican Proverb)

Manners tek yu thru' di worl'.

(Jamaican Proverb)

No rearing, no manners.(Irish Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life in such a manner that when you die, the world cries and you rejoice.

(Indian Proverb)

When you're in a strange city, adopt its manners.(Hebrew Proverb)

Poverty is an enemy to good manners.

(English Proverb)

Manners make often fortunes.

(English Proverb)

Meat is much, but manners are better.

(English Proverb)

The purest people are the ones with good manners. (Arabic Proverb)

Good manners are the greatest friend.

(Arabic Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life in a manner so that when you die the world cries and you rejoice.

(American Proverb)

Good manners can be paid for with compliments, but only the sound of money will pay your debts. (Chinese Proverb)

A devil with fine manners can still carry you only to hell. (Darkovan Proverb)

A country can be conquered from the back of a horse but may not be ruled in the same manner. (Japanese Proverb)

After the manner of Mandrabulus [i.e., going from worse to worse]. (Latin Proverb)

If ye had as little money as ye have manners,
ye would be the poorest man of all your kin.

(Scottish Proverb)

A bird in the hand is bad table manners.

(Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite
manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them
from whatever source offers.

(Traditional Proverb)

Resolutely in action, gently in manner.

(Latin Proverb)

Success alters our manners.

(Latin Proverb)

Different times different manners.

(Italian Proverb)

Evil communications corrupt good
manners.

(Italian Proverb)

Honors change manners.

(French Proverb)

Other times, other manners.

(French Proverb)

Evil words corrupt good manners.

(Dutch Proverb)

Manners maketh man.

(Chinese Proverb)

MARKETING:

A want of pence stops all your marketing.
(Latin Proverb)

MARRIAGE:

My daughter, as long as you keep quiet, much money will pay for your marriage.
(Yemeni Proverb)

The most dangerous food to eat is a wedding cake. (Traditional Proverb)

If they say there is a wedding in the sky, women would try to put up a ladder.
(Turkish Proverb)

Winnowing is with the wind, wedding is with the people. (Turkish Proverb)

Like the marriage feast of Mapassa.
(Xhosa Proverb)

A thousand assignations, one marriage.
(Somali Proverb)

At her wedding, the bride eats the least.
(Spanish Proverb)

Like blood, like good, and like age, make the happiest marriage. (Spanish Proverb)

Borrowing is like a wedding, repaying is like mourning. (Swahili Proverb)

The death of not a relative is a wedding.
Compared to a death of a relative.
(Swahili Proverb)

Nobility follows the man's line at a wedding.
(Swedish Proverb)

There are many fair words in the marriage making, but few in the tocher good paying.
(Scottish Proverb)

Late marriages, premature orphans.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Marriage and maids don't suggest them
because you'll be cursed. (Sicilian Proverb)

Marriage must occur early or it will never happen. (Sicilian Proverb)

Marriage would be beautiful if it weren't for cradle rocking. (Sicilian Proverb)

Marriages and bishoprics are arranged in heaven. (Sicilian Proverb)

It will heal well before your wedding.

(Russian Proverb)

The first snow does not mean winter, nor the first love marriage. (Russian Proverb)

Will heal before wedding? (Russian Proverb)

Dead and marriage makes Term-day.

(Scottish Proverb)

From Spain can come neither good winds nor good marriages? (Portuguese Proverb)

If marriage were a good thing, it wouldn't need witnesses. (Portuguese Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? "Child, it is spinning, having children, making money, and weeping. (Portuguese Proverb)

It is the habit that a child forms at home, that follows them to their marriage.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Marriage and shroud, from heaven will come. (Mexican Proverb)

Marriage is a lick of honey and a barrel of bitter. (Maltese Proverb)

Marriage without lovemaking means sad consequences and sorrow.

(Maltese Proverb)

Once you put on the wedding ring you must submit to all that is necessary.

(Maltese Proverb)

He is like a deaf man at a wedding procession. (Lebanese Proverb)

Marriage has teeth and it bites hard.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Anything is better than a bad marriage.

(Irish Proverb)

Death and marriages make changes.

(Irish Proverb)

The only cure for love is marriage.

(Irish Proverb)

There is no feast till a roast and no torment till a marriage. (Irish Proverb)

Love is the dawn of marriage, and marriage is the sunset of love. (French Proverb)

Getting married with a woman is nothing; it's assuming the responsibility of marriage that counts. (Haitian Proverb)

Love blinds your eyes, marriage opens them wide. **(Finnish Proverb)**

Where there's marriage without love, there will be love without marriage. **(English Proverb)**

Love comes after marriage. **(Eskimo Proverb)**

Who can tie an oven brush, weave sackcloth and turn over chitterlings is ready for marriage. **(Estonian Proverb)**

Marriage halves our grieves, doubles our joys, and quadruples our expenses. **(English Proverb)**

Always sample a maidens charm before the wedding. **(English Proverb)**

You monk, do you want us to give you in marriage? **(Bulgarian Proverb)**

Marriage is like a besieged castle; those who are on the outside wish to get in; and those who are on the inside wish to get out. **(Arabic Proverb)**

He was entrapped by the evening; it has cost him his marriage. **(Bantu Proverb)**

Keep your eyes wide open before marriage, half shut afterwards. **(Albanian Proverb)**

If someone says if someone says "There is a wedding ceremony in the clouds," then the women would soon arrive with their ladders.
(Arabic Proverb)

Having beauty doesn't mean understanding the perseverance of marriage.(African Proverb)

The land of marriage has this peculiarity: the strangers are desirous of inhabiting it, while its natural inhabitants would gladly be exiled.
(Afghan Proverb)

Marriage is a snake to slip into your handbag.
(African Proverb)

If someone says "There is a wedding ceremony in the clouds," then the women would soon arrive with their ladders.(Arab Proverb)

The most dangerous food is a wedding cake.
(American Proverb)

Many a good hanging prevents a bad marriage. (American Proverb)

When the ass was invited to the wedding feast he said, "They need more wood and water."
(Bosnian Proverb)

A marriage is a procession in which the cross goes first.(Austrian Proverb)

Marriage is like a besieged fortress: those who are outside want to come in, and those already in want to be out. (Arab Proverb)

Dream of a funeral and you hear of a marriage. (Chinese Proverb)

At a wedding a bride eats the least. (Catalonian Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine.
Pleasure for one year a marriage; but pleasure for a lifetime, a garden. (Chinese Proverb)

It is difficult to repay the gifts you get at a wedding or a funeral. (Chinese Proverb)

To have beautiful servant girls is a threat to good marriages. (Chinese Proverb)

A hawk's marriage: the hen is the better bird. (French Proverb)

Love is a garden full of flowers and marriage is a field of stinging nettles. (Finnish Proverb)

Marriage is not just a porridge that you spit out if it's too hot. (Filipino Proverb)

Marriages sealed with rings end with drawn knives. (French Proverb)

If the bread in the oven is a failure you lose a week; if the harvest is a failure you lose a year; if marriage is a failure then you lose a life.

(Estonian Proverb)

Happy the marriage where the husband is the head and the wife the heart.

(Estonian Proverb)

One for sorrow; two for mirth; three for a wedding; four for a birth.

(French Proverb)

Wedlock rides in the saddle and repentance on the crupper.

(French Proverb)

Marriages sealed with rings end with drawn knives.

(French Proverb)

Better a good hanging than a bad marriage.

(German Proverb)

Like blood, like means, and like age, make the happiest marriage.

(German Proverb)

One marriage is never celebrated but another grows out of it.

(German Proverb)

Marriage is the opposite of a fever attack; it begins very hot and ends very cold.

(German Proverb)

Marriages are all happy. It's having breakfast together that causes all the trouble.

(Irish Proverb)

Marriages are not as they are made, but as they turn out. (Italian Proverb)

Marriage has teeth, and him bite very hot. (Jamaican Proverb)

A wedding is like a funeral, but with musicians. (Jewish Proverb)

Beat your wife on the wedding day, and your married life will be happy. (Japanese Proverb)

Who dances at the wedding, weeps at the funeral. (Jewish Proverb)

The wife cries before the wedding, the husband after. (Luxembourgan Proverb)

They attend a funeral robed in white, and a wedding in mourning. (Latin Proverb)

Marriage is the only war in which you sleep with the enemy. (Mexican Proverb)

Marriage is not a tight knot, but a slip knot. (Malagasy Proverb)

Now the marriage begins, says the woman who has been beaten with thorns.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Marriage is like a groundnut, you have to crack it to see what is inside.

(Nigerian Proverb)

A second marriage is like a warmed-up meal. (Romanian Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? Daughter, it is spinning, bearing children, and weeping.

(Portuguese Proverb)

There's no handsome woman on the wedding day, except the bride. (Portuguese Proverb)

The woman cries before the wedding and the man after. (Polish Proverb)

There are three things that have to be done quickly: burying the dead, opening the door for a stranger, and fixing your daughter's wedding. (Persian Proverb)

The first marriage is a plate of honey, the second a glass of wine, and the third is a cup of poison. (Serbian Proverb)

Marriage is a sack full of ninety-nine snakes and one eel. (Spanish Proverb)

Marriage is a little bit like buying melons, you need a little luck. (Spanish Proverb)

How shall the enemy of the bride speak well of the wedding? (Spanish Proverb)

He who dances well goes from wedding to wedding. (Spanish Proverb)

Carry bread in your hood to Don Garcia's wedding. (Spanish Proverb)

Were you at the wedding, Molly? No, mother, but the bride was very fine. (Spanish Proverb)

When you are talking about marriage, think about your mother. (Spanish Proverb)

Have one's ears pierced only before the wedding ceremony starts. (Traditional Proverb)

Marriage is like a beleaguered fortress those who are outside want to get in, and those inside want to get out. (Traditional Proverb)

There is no perfect marriage, for there are no perfect men. (Traditional Proverb)

Marriages are made in heaven. (Traditional Proverb)

The ritual of marriage is not simply a social event it is a crossing of threads in the fabric of fate. Many strands bring the couple and their families together and spin their lives into a fabric that is woven on their children.

(Traditional Proverb)

You should have done it on the wedding night, you fool!(Tunisian Proverb)

Marriage is a covered dish.(Swiss Proverb)

One wedding brings another.

(Spanish Proverb)

Not all who make love make marriages.

(Russian Proverb)

Marriage is a lottery.(Latin Proverb)

Marriage is heaven and hell.(German Proverb)

Early marriage, long love.(German Proverb)

In marriage cheat who can.(French Proverb)

Love does wonders, but money makes marriages.(French Proverb)

Love is often the fruit of marriage.
(French Proverb)

Marriage is the sunset of love.

(French Proverb)

Marriage teaches you to live alone.

(French Proverb)

Marriages are written in heaven.

(French Proverb)

Wedlock is a padlock. (Chinese Proverb)

MASTERY AND EXPERTISE:

The suffering patient knows more than the expert doctor. (Sicilian Proverb)

Use makes mastery. (Romanian Proverb)

Because of lack of talent in dancing, the floor is blamed. (Malay Proverb)

Even a fool has one talent. (Japanese Proverb)

The greatest and rarest talent is to love everything good. (Hebrew Proverb)

Express yourself earnestly, and you have no reason for shame even if you lack talent. (Finnish Proverb)

No one can be expected to be an expert at something before they have got the chance to practice it. (Finnish Proverb)

All fear has much imagination and little talent. (Colombian Proverb)

You don't become an expert in five days. (African Proverb)

Talent without skill is like a desert without an oasis. (Arab Proverb)

Talent and poverty, wealth and stupidity generally dwell together. (Latin Proverb)

Intense motivation is a more important commodity than talent. (Traditional Proverb)

What is an expert someone who is twenty miles from home. (Traditional Proverb)

Without perseverance talent is a barren bed. (Welsh Proverb)

Two experts never agree. (Zimbabwean)

Competition is the whetstone of talent. (Traditional Proverb)

Immortal glory waits on talent. (Latin Proverb)

Emulation is the whetstone of talent.

(Latin Proverb)

Great talents mature late.(Japanese Proverb)

Power often goes before talent.

(Danish Proverb)

MEMORY:

Memory slips, letters remain.(Welsh Proverb)

Childhood memories last long.(Swedish)

Liars have need of good memories.

(Romanian Proverb)

A Liar should have a good memory.

(Scottish Proverb)

When young, it's all dreams; when old, all memories.(Mexican Proverb)

While young, it's all dreams; when old, all memories.(Irish Proverb)

Your memory can let you down like it did to a Finn who was carving a wooden spoon.

(Finnish Proverb)

When glory comes, loss of memory follows.
(French Proverb)

Fortune has a fickle heart and a short memory. (Chinese Proverb)

The faintest ink is more powerful than the strongest memory. (Chinese Proverb)

if you're a liar, then have a good memory.
(Arabic Proverb)

All complain for want of memory, but none for want of judgment. (Albanian Proverb)

If you want to improve your memory, lend someone money. (African Proverb)

A good memory is not so good as a little ink.
(Chinese Proverb)

The palest ink is better than the best memory.
(Chinese Proverb)

The best memory is not so firm as faded ink.
(Chinese Proverb)

A liar ought to have a good memory.
(Dutch Proverb)

Everyone blames his memory, but never his judgment. (French Proverb)

A beautiful maxim in the memory is like a piece of gold in the purse. (French Proverb)

I hate a jovial table companion with a good memory. (Greek Proverb)

A great liar has need of good memory. (Italian Proverb)

Let the ignorant learn, and the learned delight in refreshing the memory. (Latin Proverb)

The best memory is that which forgets nothing but injuries. Write kindness in marble and write injuries in the dust. (Persian Proverb)

Memory is everyone's friend -- it leaves you when you need it most. (Spanish Proverb)

Acts of kindness may soon be forgotten, but the memory of an offense remains. (Traditional Proverb)

Every goodbye is the birth of a memory. (Traditional Proverb)

Memory is the power to gather roses in winter. (Traditional Proverb)

The palest ink lasts longer than the most retentive memory. (Traditional Proverb)

A happy memory is a joy forever.

(Traditional Proverb)

Memory is life's clock.

(Spanish Proverb)

Sweet is the memory of past labor.

(Greek Proverb)

Gratitude is the memory of the heart.

(Italian Proverb)

Liars should have good memories.

(German Proverb)

When glory comes, memory departs.

(French Proverb)

Gratitude is the heart's memory.

(French Proverb)

Liars need good memories.

(French Proverb)

Loaning money causes loss of memory.

(French Proverb)

Much memory and little judgment.

(French Proverb)

A liar must have a good memory.

(Dutch Proverb)

MILITARY:

War is much too serious a matter to be entrusted to the military. (French Proverb)

Love is a kind of military service.
(Latin Proverb)

MIND:

If the inner mind is not deluded, the outer actions will not be wrong. (Tibetan Proverb)

Rebellious thoughts are like an abandoned house overtaken by robbers. (Tibetan Proverb)

Young people talk of what they are doing; old people of what they have done; and fools of what they have a mind to do.
(Traditional Proverb)

Everyone put up his mind for sale on the market, and liked his own mind.
(Turkish Proverb)

They put up minds for sale on the market, everyone liked his own mind.
(Turkish Proverb)

Whatever the thoughts of the dervish, so are his formulas. (Turkish Proverb)

The older the man, the weaker his mind. (Welsh Proverb)

Ask advice from everyone, but act with your own mind. (Yiddish Proverb)

Your looks betray your thoughts. (Sicilian Proverb)

Where there is breast there can be no brain. (Somali Proverb)

A big heart is better than a big brain. (Swahili Proverb)

Are you a duck your mind is with your children? (Swahili Proverb)

It's the thought that counts. (Swedish Proverb)

When you work with anxiety during the day, you'll sit up at night with your thoughts. (Sicilian Proverb)

Your looks betray your thoughts. (Sicilian)

Where there is breast there can be no brain. (Somali Proverb)

When a man says him does not mind, then
him mind. (American Proverb)

As Maguni the Carthaginian used to say: work
to the vineyard, mind the store.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Many men have many minds.
(Romanian Proverb)

The face is the index of the mind.
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Thoughts are free from toll.
(Romanian Proverb)

An icon for the mind is like raw vodka for the
stomach. (Russian Proverb)

Lenin's science strengthens the mind and the
hands. (Russian Proverb)

Who drinks till bottom, lives without mind.
(Russian Proverb)

Tell her she is handsome, and you will turn her brain. (Portuguese Proverb)

A faithful friend is hard to find, remember man and keep in mind. (Romanian Proverb)

Guard your tongue in youth, and in age you may mature a thought that will be of service to your people. (Native American Sioux Proverb)

It is one word of advice that one needs to give to a wise man, and that word keeps multiplying in his mind. (Nigerian Proverb)

Thoughts and dreams are the foundation of our being. (Nigerian Proverb)

Let no man glory in the greatness of his mind, but rather keep watch o'er his wits. (Norse Proverb)

Many a sweet maid when one knows her mind is fickle found towards men. (Norse Proverb)

We speak them fairest when thoughts are falsest and while the wisest of hearts. (Norse Proverb)

Ask for advice, and then use your brain. (Norwegian Proverb)

Don't be afraid to cry. It will free your mind of sorrowful thoughts.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Never be afraid to cry. It will free your mind of sorrowful thoughts.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Thoughts are like arrows: once released, they strike their mark. Guard them well or one day you may be your own victim.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

If mind is clean, fate is good.

(Mongolian Proverb)

The mind is free and the slightest thought has great influence. It is therefore important that you think enlightened thoughts.

(Moroccan Proverb)

Thoughts are like arrows: once released, they strike their mark. Guard them well or one day you may be your own victim.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

The brain is not in the pocket, but in the head. (Macedonian Proverb)

When the cock is euphoric, the brain is amnesic. (Maltese Proverb)

An idle mind is the devil's playground.
(Mexican Proverb)

No gain satisfies a greedy mind.(Latin)

Speaking, though speechless, it exercises
dominion over the mind.(Latin Proverb)

Ten men, ten minds.(Japanese Proverb)

Clean your heart and mind of negative
thoughts.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Books are preserved parts of minds.
(Japanese Proverb)

How can swallows and sparrows know the
thoughts of a great swan?(Japanese Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; out of sight out of
mind.(Italian Proverb)

Three things you cannot comprehend: the
mind of a woman, the working of the bees, and
the ebb and flow of the tide.(Irish Proverb)

You will never plough a field by turning it over
in your mind.(Irish Proverb)

A wise person sometimes changes his mind,
but a fool never does.(Italian Proverb)

The mind is like a bag; everyone has one.

(Igbo Proverb)

One man differs from another in three things:
his voice, his appearance, and his mind.

(Hebrew Proverb)

The worst kind of person is one whose power
of speech is greater than his power of thought.

(Hebrew Proverb)

There are people who deserve paradise for
their thoughts, and hell for their deeds.

(Hebrew Proverb)

God never says no to grand thoughts.

(Finnish Proverb)

You don't get anywhere if you run in your
thoughts. (Finnish Proverb)

A woman has the form of an angel, the heart
of a serpent, and the mind of an ass.

(German Proverb)

The village slatternly wench has the form of a
dove, the heart of a fox, and the mind of a
toad. (English Proverb)

What is a man but his mind? (English Proverb)

Who is out of sight is out of mind.

(Estonian Proverb)

The beauty of things lies in the mind that contemplates it. (English Proverb)

The riches of the mind may make a man rich and happy. (English Proverb)

Mind other men, but most yourself.

(English Proverb)

Mind what you must live by. (English Proverb)

Money spent on brain is never spent in vain.

(English Proverb)

Mouth is in gear, brain is in neutral.

(English Proverb)

Anger of the mind is poison to the soul

. (Ecuadorian Proverb)

A man can't be hanged for his thoughts.

(English Proverb)

Brain is better than brawn. (English Proverb)

Chance favors the prepared mind.

(English Proverb)

A mind can make a heaven out of hell, or a hell out of heaven. (Costa Rican Proverb)

Seven sons of one mother, and each one of a different mind. (Cuban Proverb)

Little things please little minds. (Dutch)

The desire is the father of the thought. (Dutch Proverb)

An image of a bamboo has already been formed in mind before it is committed to the painting canvas. (Chinese Proverb)

Any book you open will benefit your mind. (Chinese Proverb)

Train equally the mind and body. (Confucian Proverb)

An image of a bamboo has already been formed in mind before it is committed to the painting canvas. (Chinese Proverb)

Any book you open will benefit your mind. (Chinese Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart, heaven to the soul, all else to the ears. (Chinese Proverb)

Thought he was a great catch, turns out he is a shackle. (Arabic Proverb)

When you sleep in a house your thoughts are as high as the ceiling, when you sleep outside they are as high as the stars. (Bedouin)

The heart has eyes that the brain knows nothing of. (Albanian Proverb)

The face is the index of the mind, but appearances are deceitful. (Albanian Proverb)

The best part of a book is not the thought it contains but the thought it suggests. (Albanian Proverb)

Faster than thoughts. (Arabic Proverb)

Benefits turn poison in bad minds. (Albanian Proverb)

An idle brain is the devil's workshop. (Albanian Proverb)

Your mind is like a parachute; it only works when it's open. (African Proverb)

At that particular time a mad person gives you something take it immediately before he changes his mind. (African Proverb)

Roots do not know what a leaf has in mind.
(African Proverb)

Minds are like parachutes; they only function when they are open.(African Proverb)

Everyone thinks his own thoughts are best.
(Afghan Proverb)

When a man says he does not mind, then he really does.(African Proverb)

God conceals himself from the mind of man, but reveals himself to his heart.
(African Proverb)

A needle cannot hold two threads or a mind two thoughts.(African Proverb)

Every man thinks his own thoughts are best.
(Afghan Proverb)

The sickness of the body is the cure of the mind.(Basque Proverb)

The mind is for seeing, the heart is for hearing.(Arab Proverb)

The eyes are of little use if the mind be blind.
(Arab Proverb)

If you don't have a brain, join the army; if you don't have rice, use beans instead.

(Burmese Proverb)

A vacant mind is open to all suggestions, as a hollow mountain returns all sounds.

(Chinese Proverb)

A thousand cups of wine do not suffice when true friends meet, but half a sentence is too much when there is no meeting of minds.

(Chinese Proverb)

A man's conversation is the mirror of his thoughts.(Chinese Proverb)

A closed mind is like a closed book; just a block of wood.(Chinese Proverb)

The mind is the emperor of the body.

(Chinese Proverb)

Present to the eye, present to the mind.

(Chinese Proverb)

Many books do not use up words; many words do not use up thoughts.(Chinese Proverb)

If you wish to know what most occupies a man's thoughts, you have only to listen to his conversation.(Chinese Proverb)

If you wish to know the mind of a man, listen to his words.(Chinese Proverb)

Unplowed fields make hollow bellies; unread books make hollow minds.(Chinese Proverb)

A gross belly does not produce a refined mind.(Danish Proverb)

A fair skin often covers a crooked mind.(Danish Proverb)

The crow may be caged, but its thoughts are in the cornfield.(Native American Creole Proverb)

If thoughts were legal witnesses, many an honest man would be proved a rogue.(Danish Proverb)

There is nothing so evil as the mind of a virtuous woman.(Darkovan Proverb)

When the belly is full the mind is amongst the maids.(Danish Proverb)

A brain is worth little without a tongue.(French Proverb)

The memories of one's youth make for long, long thoughts.(Finnish Proverb)

As the wound inflames the finger, so the thought inflames the mind.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Laughing is not always the proof of a mind at ease.(French Proverb)

In the forehead and the eye, the lecture of the mind doth lie.(French Proverb)

He who pays is fairly entitled to speak his mind.(French Proverb)

He who has two women loses his soul; he who has two houses loses his mind.

(French Proverb)

If the brain sows not corn, it plants thistles.

(German Proverb)

Everyone thinks that all the bells echo his own thoughts.(German Proverb)

A library is a repository of medicine for the mind.(Greek Proverb)

Better a sick body than an ignorant mind.

(Greek Proverb)

A hundred wagon loads of thoughts will not pay a single ounce of debt.(Italian Proverb)

A drunken man's words are a sober man's thoughts. (Italian Proverb)

You'll never plow a field by turning it over in your mind. (Irish Proverb)

The eyes do not see what the mind does not want. (Indian Proverb)

He who has a mind to beat a dog will easily find a stick. (Italian Proverb)

Have an open face, but conceal your thoughts. (Italian Proverb)

Half a brain is enough for him who says little. (Italian Proverb)

The eye is blind if the mind is absent. (Italian Proverb)

Never let people see the bottom of your purse or of your mind. (Italian Proverb)

Let not your shirt know all your thoughts. (Italian Proverb)

The eye is blind if the mind is absent. (Italian Proverb)

A bath refreshes the body, tea refreshes the mind. (Japanese Proverb)

A greedy mind is satisfied with no amount of gain. (Latin Proverb)

See with your mind, hear with your heart. (Kurdish Proverb)

Do not say the first thing that comes to your mind. (Kenyan Proverb)

Anxious about the shoe, but disregarding the foot. [Careful about external appearances, but regardless of the culture of the mind.] (Latin Proverb)

All things come not to pass which the mind has conceived. (Latin Proverb)

Again and again I beg and pray of you to live merrily: should aught distress you, dismiss it from your minds. (Latin Proverb)

Music is the best cure for a sorrowing mind. (Latin Proverb)

Mirth must be indulged in to prepare the mind for more serious matters. (Latin Proverb)

He utters in his language something different from what he ponders in his mind. (Latin Proverb)

The face is the index to the mind.

(Latin Proverb)

The diseases of the mind are either caused or cured by the power of music. (Latin Proverb)

Speech both conceals and reveals the thoughts of men. (Latin Proverb)

Speaking, though speechless, it exercises dominion over the mind. [The power of music.] (Latin Proverb)

Rest strengthens the body, the mind too is thus supported; but unremitting toil destroys both. (Latin Proverb)

Prepared in mind and resources.

(Latin Proverb)

Pain of mind is worse than pain of body.

(Latin Proverb)

What though his hair is gray, his mind is no less vigorous than ever. (Latin Proverb)

To relax the mind is to lose it. (Latin Proverb)

The mind is best taught with a sharp whip.

(Latin Proverb)

The face is the portrait of the mind; the eyes,
its informers. (Latin Proverb)

Away from the eye, away from the mind.
(Palestinian Proverb)

It is the mind that wins or loses.
(Nepalese Proverb)

The distance between heaven and earth is no
greater than one thought. (Mongolian Proverb)

The lion believes that everyone shares his
state of mind. (Mexican Proverb)

Just as a bamboo cane forms a round jet of
water, so taking counsel together makes men
of one mind. (Malawian Proverb)

A fool is not afraid to lose his mind.
(Russian Proverb)

Taking the first step with the good thought,
the second with the good word, and the third
with the good deed, I enter paradise.
(Persian Proverb)

I like not fair terms and a villain's mind.
(Spanish Proverb)

A wise man changes his mind, a fool never.
(Spanish Proverb)

To change one's mind is rather a sign of
prudence than ignorance. (Spanish Proverb)

The brain, that sows not corn, plants thistles.
(Spanish Proverb)

Action without thought is like shooting
without aim. (Traditional Proverb)

A mind is like a parachute it only functions
when it is open. (Traditional Proverb)

A man's faults all conform to his type of mind.
Observe his faults and you may know his
virtues. (Traditional Proverb)

I just got lost in thought. It was unfamiliar
territory. (Traditional Proverb)

I can alter my life by altering the attitude of
my mind. (Traditional Proverb)

As is the human body, so is the cosmic body.
As is the human mind, so is the cosmic mind.
As is the microcosm, so is the macrocosm. As
is the atom, so is the universe.
(Traditional Proverb)

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He does not live in vain who employs his wealth, his thought, and his speech to advance the good of others.
(Traditional Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence.(Traditional Proverb)

Every thought is a seed. If you plant Crab apples don't count on harvesting Golden Delicious.(Traditional Proverb)

Duty is a matter of the mind. Commitment is a matter of the heart.(Traditional Proverb)

Scientific hypotheses are free creations of our own minds, the result of an almost poetic intuition.(Traditional Proverb)

Popular beliefs on essential matters must be examined in order to discover the original thought.(Traditional Proverb)

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Money spent on the mind is never spent in vain. (Traditional Proverb)

Man was given a tongue with which to speak and words to hide his thoughts. (Traditional Proverb)

When saving for old age, be sure to put away a few pleasant thoughts. (Traditional Proverb)

Whatever you teach, is brief; what is quickly said the mind readily receives and faithfully retains, while everything superfluous runs over as from a full container. Who knows much says least. (Traditional Proverb)

We bow to all beings with great reverence in the thought and knowledge that God enters into them through fractioning Himself as living creatures. (Traditional Proverb)

Those who labor with their minds, rule those who labor with their bodies, are ruled.

(Traditional Proverb)

The root of all health is in the brain. The trunk of it is in emotion. The branches and leaves are the body. The flower of health blooms when all parts work together.

(Traditional Proverb)

The mind can only stand what the seat can endure.

(Traditional Proverb)

When saving for old age, be sure to put away a few pleasant thoughts.

(Traditional Proverb)

With the three means of punishment, words, thoughts and acts, ye shall not injure living things.

(Traditional Proverb)

Be master of mind rather than mastered by mind.

(Zen Proverb)

Man's mind is a watch that needs winding daily.

(Welsh Proverb)

Spring to mind.

(Traditional Proverb)

Out of sight, out of mind.

(Traditional Proverb)

Hold on to a good thought.

(Traditional Proverb)

The wish is father to the thought.

(Tibetan Proverb)

All wealth begins in mind.

(Traditional Proverb)

An open countenance often conceals close thoughts.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Women have long skirts and short minds.

(Romanian Proverb)

Prepared in minds and resources.

(Latin Proverb)

Small minds are captivated by trifles.

(Latin Proverb)

Wine is the mirror of the mind.

(Latin Proverb)

Conversation ministers to a mind diseased.

(Latin Proverb)

A contented mind is a continual feast.

(Latin Proverb)

Three years will eradicate even murderous thoughts.

(Korean Proverb)

Loneliness is a nest for the thoughts.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Nothing is difficult to a willing mind.

(Italian Proverb)

Second thoughts are best.(Italian Proverb)

The second thought is always the best.

(Italian Proverb)

Travel broadens the mind.(Italian Proverb)

Wise men change their minds, fools never.

(Italian Proverb)

Thought when sober, said when drunk.

(German Proverb)

Thoughts are toll-free, but not hell-free.

(German Proverb)

Tis the mind ennobles, not the blood.

(German Proverb)

Great minds think alike.(German Proverb)

Mind over matter.(German Proverb)

Mind your own business.(German Proverb)

Sickly body, sickly mind.(German Proverb)

So many men, so many minds.(French)

Nothing is impossible to a willing mind.

(French Proverb)

Darkness and night are mothers of thought.

(Dutch Proverb)

Good drink drives out bad thoughts.

(Dutch Proverb)

Little things attract light minds.

(Dutch Proverb)

Pleasures steal away the mind.

(Dutch Proverb)

All happiness is in the mind.

(English Proverb)

An idle mind is the devil's workshop.

(English Proverb)

Mind your p's and q's. (English Proverb)

Thought breaks the heart.

(Cameroonian Proverb)

Thought is free. (Cameroonian Proverb)

So many heads, so many minds.

(Danish Proverb)

MIRACLE:

A sheik's miracles are of his own telling.
(Turkish Proverb)

Home saints don't make miracles.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Nobody sees a miracle from this shrine.
(Persian Proverb)

Hope for miracles, but don't rely on one
happening.(Finnish Proverb)

Do not stand in a place of danger trusting in
miracles.(Arabic Proverb)

Do not stand in a dangerous place trusting in
miracles.(Arab Proverb)

Only believe in the faith of a woman as you
would believe in miracles.(German Proverb)

Don't believe in the saint unless he works
miracles.(Italian Proverb)

The saint has no believers unless he works
miracles.(Italian Proverb)

Hope for miracles, but don't rely on one.
(Jewish Proverb)

Hope for a miracle, but don't rely on it.
(Jewish Proverb)

Let the miracle be wrought, though it be by
the devil.(Spanish Proverb)

Dung is no saint, but where it falls it works
miracles.(Spanish Proverb)

The miracle is not to fly in the air or to walk
on the water but to walk on the earth.
(Traditional Proverb)

The sheik's miracles are those of his own
telling.(Turkish Proverb)

You only know saints by their miracles.
(Walloon Proverb)

The age of miracles is past.
(Norwegian Proverb)

A good religion does not need miracles.
(Japanese Proverb)

All saints do not work miracles.
(Italian Proverb)

Small saints too work miracles.
(German Proverb)

You recognize the saint by his miracle.

(French Proverb)

At home saints never perform miracles.

(Brazilian Proverb)

Little saints also perform miracles.

(Danish Proverb)

MONARCH:

Killing a bad monarch is not to be considered murder but justice. (Traditional Proverb)

MORALITY:

Moral people sleep well at night, but the immoral seem to get pleasure from the waking hours much more. (Namibian Proverb)

Wisdom without morality is like a ring without a gem. (Hebrew Proverb)

The stingy has a big porch and little morality. (Arabic Proverb)

A man may have no religion, and yet be moral. (Traditional Proverb)

Qualities of a moral order are measured by deeds. (Traditional Proverb)

Mercy to living beings, self restraint, truth, honesty, chastity and contentment, right faith and knowledge, and austerity are but the entourage of morality. (Traditional Proverb)

MORNING:

A good day becomes evident in the morning. (Swahili Proverb)

When it rains in the morning, take the plow and start sowing; when it rains between Vespers and nightfall, put on your boots. (Sicilian Proverb)

When you see a sheep's wool sky you know, if it doesn't rain today, it will rain in the morning. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who goes out in the morning finds a carline. (Sicilian Proverb)

An evening rainbow means good weather in the morning, a rainbow in the morning fills wells and fountains. (Sicilian Proverb)

Morning makes the day. (Sicilian Proverb)

The Muses love the morning.

(Romanian Proverb)

One is wiser in the morning than in the evening.

(Russian Proverb)

The foolish man lies awake all night thinking of his many problems; when the morning comes he is worn out and his trouble is just as it was.

(Norse Proverb)

You will not dare mistreating the face you see in the morning.

(Palestinian Proverb)

A pipe of kef in the morning gives one more strength than a 100 camels in the courtyard.

(Moroccan Proverb)

See a sheaf of corn in the morning and a young woman in the evening.

(Maltese Proverb)

A rosy face in the morning, white bones in the evening.

(Japanese Proverb)

I'll go there tonight for evening is speedier than morning.

(Irish Proverb)

The morning of the race is not the morning to feed your horse.

(Irish Proverb)

The three faults of drinking are: a sorrowful morning, a dirty coat, and an empty pocket.

(Irish Proverb)

Radish is poison in the morning, food at noon and medicine in the evening.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Wise in the morning is wiser in the evening.

(Finnish Proverb)

Red sky at night, sailor's delight. Red sky at morning, sailors take warning.

(German Proverb)

She, who laughs not in the morning, laughs not at noon.

(Greek Proverb)

Being hospitable is more important than attending synagogue service early in the morning.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Who is stupid in the morning will be stupid in the evening.

(Estonian Proverb)

For a morning rain leaves not your journey.

(English Proverb)

Butter is gold in the morning, silver at noon, and lead at night.

(English Proverb)

An hour in the morning is worth two at night.
(Dutch Proverb)

Drinks down your sorrow, but your sorrow
returns the morning after.(Chinese Proverb)

When yuh leave home pon a morning, yuh
don't know who gine feed yuh.(Bajan Proverb)

When you wake up in the morning you see the
other person's butt.(African Proverb)

The time you wake up is your morning.
(African Proverb)

A man should not be too happy in the
morning.(African Proverb)

No matter how long the night is, the morning
is sure to come.(African Proverb)

Morning is the start of a day's work.
(African Proverb)

A good day shows itself early in the morning.
(African Proverb)

If a bachelor who uses firewood for cooking
runs away in the morning to avoid removing
the ash; he will have to deal with it when he
comes back.(African Proverb)

He who wakes up early in the morning
receives a bundle of blessings.

(African Proverb)

He who talks to you while travelling at night is
thanked in the morning.(African Proverb)

Even when there is no rooster, the morning
will still start.(African Proverb)

That you eat in the morning passes you
through the day.(African Proverb)

A strong person doesn't rush to wake up early
morning.(African Proverb)

If you eat a live toad first thing in the morning,
nothing worse will happen all day long.

(American Proverb)

Choose your lodging before dark and leave
before the morning dew.(Chinese Proverb)

The darkness of night cannot stop the light of
morning.(Cameroonian Proverb)

Morning rain and women's tears dry as fast as
each other.(Czech Proverb)

If you wake up in the morning and feel no pain
it is to be feared that you died in the night.

(Czech Proverb)

A joyous evening often leads to a sorrowful morning.(Danish Proverb)

He who has a good neighbor has a good morning.(Danish Proverb)

Heaviness may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.(Dutch Proverb)

An hour in the morning is worth two in the evening.(Dutch Proverb)

In the morning be first up, and in the evening last to go to bed, for they that sleep catch no fish.(English Proverb)

A joyful evening may follow a sorrowful morning.(English Proverb)

A glaring sunny morning, a woman that talks Latin, and a child reared on wine, never come to a good end.(French Proverb)

The fox that sleeps in the morning has not his tongue feathered.(French Proverb)

It is in vain for a man to rise early who has the repute of lying in bed all the morning.
(French Proverb)

In the morning of life, work; in the mid day give council; in the evening, pray.(German)

He, who has good neighbors, gets a good morning. (German Proverb)

Cheese is gold in the morning, silver at noon, and lead at night. (German Proverb)

Brandy is as lead in the morning, silver at noon, and gold at night. (German Proverb)

Red sky at night, shepherd's delight; red sky in the morning, shepherd's warning. (German Proverb)

The chicken also knows when it's morning, but still watches the mouth of the cock. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A good well-lived today makes every yesterday a dream of a good future, and every morning is a vision of hope. (Indian Proverb)

The person who doesn't scatter the morning dew will not comb gray hairs. (Irish Proverb)

Lose an hour in the morning, chase it all day. (Jewish Proverb)

Never rely on the glory of the morning nor the smiles of your mother-in-law. (Japanese Proverb)

You will not dare mistreat the face you see in the morning. (Palestinian Proverb)

The world is nonsense: what looks beautiful in the morning looks ugly in the evening. (Maltese Proverb)

You must decide where you are going in the evening, if you intend to leave early in the morning. (Malian Proverb)

The hen that cackles in the evening lays no eggs in the morning. (Romanian Proverb)

A decision made at night may be changed in the morning. (Samoan Proverb)

Take thy thoughts to bed with thee, for the morning is wiser than the evening. (Russian Proverb)

To be like the esquire of Guadalaxara, who knew nothing in the morning of what he said at night. (Spanish Proverb)

A misty morning does not signify a cloudy day. (Traditional Proverb)

The afternoon knows what the morning never suspected. (Swedish Proverb)

Like a shadow in the morning, the friendship of the ignoble man is great at first, then gradually decreases and disappears. Like a shadow in the afternoon, the friendship of the noble man is small at first, and then gradually increases. (Traditional Proverb)

Do not leave to the morning the business of the evening. (Turkish Proverb)

He who spends a night with a chicken will cackle in the morning. (Tunisian Proverb)

Top of the morning. (Traditional Proverb)

A Monday morning quarterback.
(Traditional Proverb)

No lamp burns till morning. (Persian Proverb)

The morning is wiser than the evening.
(Russian Proverb)

Morning dreams come true. (Latin Proverb)

Gather flowers while the morning sun lasts.
(Latin Proverb)

A drunken night makes a cloudy morning.
(Danish Proverb)

MOTHER:

You can trust your brother, your father, your mother, but never your wife.

(Zambian Proverb)

The mother is she who catches the knife by the blade.(Tswana Proverb)

To kiss the child is to kiss the mother.

(Tswana Proverb)

Look at the mother before marrying the daughter.(Turkish Proverb)

He who has not traveled thinks that his mother is the best cook in the world.

(Ugandan Proverb)

'My mother is indeed the best baby carrier,' says the baby.(Ugandan Proverb)

Patience is the mother of all wisdom.

(Welsh Proverb)

I rejoice that Kolomba's mother is dead.

(Xhosa Proverb)

No one cries for losing money but the one who earned the money, no one cries for losing the child but his mother.(Syrian Proverb)

Writing is the mother of eloquence and the father of artists.(Syrian Proverb)

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A man's work is from sun to sun, but a mother's work is never done.
(Traditional Proverb)

An ounce of mother is worth a pound of priests.(Spanish Proverb)

A husband of a mother is a father.
(Swahili Proverb)

The Labor of childbirth is known to the mother.(Swahili Proverb)

Trot mother, trot father, how should the foal amble?(Scottish Proverb)

A dog for the mother, a horse for the father.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Poverty is the mother of all arts.
(Romanian Proverb)

Trade is the mother of money.
(Romanian Proverb)

For some people war is war, for others - dear mother. (Russian Proverb)

What is marriage, mother? "Child, it is spinning, having children, making money, and weeping. (Portuguese Proverb)

When a rich man's dog died, everyone commiserated. When a poor man lost his mother, no one noticed. (Punjabi Proverb)

Distrust is the mother of safety.
(Romanian Proverb)

A child does not die because the mother's breasts are dry. (Nigerian Proverb)

If a child is not well-behaved, she is not sent by the mother to go alone to the market to buy things for her. (Nigerian Proverb)

Mother's soup is always the best in the world.
(Nigerian Proverb)

A mother is always a mother.
(Namibian Proverb)

A child's lie is like a dead fish in a pond that in the end, always comes to the surface, explains his mother. (Luo Proverb)

Never make fun of a Ferengi's mother... insult something he cares about instead.

(Klingon Proverb)

It is not the mother's will to have a bad offspring.(Kikuyu Proverb)

The person who has not traveled thinks his or her mother is the best cook.(Kamba Proverb)

Summer is the mother of the poor.

(Italian Proverb)

A good mother is worth a hundred teachers.

(Italian Proverb)

The piglet has the same type of snout as her mother.(Igbo Proverb)

When the mother goat breaks into the yam store her kid watches her.(Igbo Proverb)

A person who loves about their mother is doing the best deed.(Indonesian Proverb)

Even the mother cannot understand the words of a dumb child.(Hungarian Proverb)

Have a close look at the mother and then marry her daughter.(Hungarian Proverb)

Since god could not be everywhere, he created mothers. (Hebrew Proverb)

The young crow is wiser than its mother.
(Hindi Proverb)

A child does not laugh at the ugliness of his mother. (Ghanaian Proverb)

The goat says: "They bought my mother, not I." (Ghanaian Proverb)

When you curse your stepmother, your mother will be the victim. (Haitian Proverb)

A wise son makes his father happy; a foolish one grieves his mother. (Hebrew Proverb)

A home without a mother is a desert.
(Eritrean Proverb)

The calves do not fear the horns of their mother. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Ignorance is the mother of superstition.
(English Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of all invention.
(English Proverb)

Experience is the mother of knowledge.
(English Proverb)

The man who marries my mother, I call him
uncle. (Egyptian Proverb)

Absence is the mother of disillusion.
(English Proverb)

Care is the mother of the porcelain cabinet.
(Dutch Proverb)

Flatter the mother to get the girl.
(Corsican Proverb)

Mother sets aside and the cat eats.
(Corsican Proverb)

Seven sons of one mother, and each one of a
different mind. (Cuban Proverb)

The Meek lamb sucks from two mothers.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Calling out for mother, only when you
stumble. (Burmese Proverb)

Failure is the mother of success.
(Chinese Proverb)

When buying a house, check the beams; when
choosing a wife; check the mother.
(Chinese Proverb)

A father and mother can raise ten children.
(Corsican Proverb)

Three daughters and a mother are four devils
for a father.(Argentine Proverb)

Mother carries me, and I tomorrow will carry
you.(Bantu Proverb)

Paradise is under mothers' feet.
(Arabic Proverb)

Only a mother can understand the suffering of
a son.(Arabic Proverb)

O! Mother, the moon is at the door.
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More kindhearted than a mother to her
children.(Arabic Proverb)

A mother is a school, preparing her is like
preparing a good nation.(Arabic Proverb)

A lot got the crow to his mother.

(Arabic Proverb)

The one who persists in asking question he learn the death of his Mother.

(Amharic Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom and memory the mother.(Albanian Proverb)

Accident is the mother of invention.

(Albanian Proverb)

Honor your father and your mother.

(Albanian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom and memory the mother.(Albanian Proverb)

Where your mother is born, you can't call anyone a child.(African Proverb)

When the mother monkey leaves her baby to fall, one must not blame the dried branch.

(African Proverb)

When a mother has twins she must sleep on her back.(African Proverb)

When a child is asleep a mother's attention is on the child's stomach.(African Proverb)

A foolish man despises his mother.

(Albanian Proverb)

A babe is a mother's anchor; she cannot swing from her moorings.(Albanian Proverb)

Your mother is the bodyguard of your father.

(African Proverb)

You cannot hear a baby cry in the mother's womb.(African Proverb)

The madman, who throws a stone into a crowded market, forgets that his own mother could be hit by his madness.(African Proverb)

Every frog is a gazelle in the eyes of its mother.

(African Proverb)

A lamb takes after its mother.

(African Proverb)

If a mother steals with a child stripped in the back what do you expect of the child.

(African Proverb)

It takes a breast for a child to know its mother and it takes a mother for a child to know its father.(African Proverb)

The eggshell cannot be a mother of its resultant offspring.(African Proverb)

He who has not traveled widely thinks that his mother is the best cook.(African Proverb)

A father voodooes with his son and a mother voodooes with her daughter.(African Proverb)

A child's hand is not burned by hot yam which is placed into his palm by his mother.
(African Proverb)

A child who protested when being stripped on the back by its mother, it's humbled by the scorching sun when left to walk.
(African Proverb)

A child doesn't breast-feed from a stepmother if its mother is still alive.(African Proverb)

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A child doesn't belong to the father or mother; a child belongs to the ancestors.
(African Proverb)

The calf is not afraid of the mother's horns.
(African Proverb)

He whose mother is naked is not likely to clothe his aunt.(African Proverb)

A child without a mother is like a fish in shallow water. (Burmese Proverb)

Mother Nature, time and patience are the three best doctors. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Give me, mother, luck at my birth, then throw me if you will on the rubbish heap. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Patience is the mother of a beautiful child. (Bantu Proverb)

There is no mother like your own mother. (Bambara Proverb)

The mother of someone who is killed can sleep; the mother of the murderer cannot. (Arab Proverb)

Mothers raise their daughters and let their sons grow up. (American Proverb)

If all else fails, sleep with your mother. (Catalonian Proverb)

Karma is the mother and karma is the father. (Burmese Proverb)

Whoever buys a house must examine the beams; whoever wants a wife must look at her mother. (Chinese Proverb)

Father and mother are kind, but God is kinder. (Danish Proverb)

Better the child cry, than the mother sigh. (Danish Proverb)

Praise the child, and you make love to the mother. (Danish Proverb)

Idleness is hunger's mother, and of theft it is bull brother. (Dutch Proverb)

From the father comes honor, from the mother comfort. (Dutch Proverb)

He that would the daughter win must with the mother first begin. (English Proverb)

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A mother can more easily feed seven children than seven children can feed one mother. (French Proverb)

Six things have no business in the world: a fighting priest, a coward knight, a covetous judge, a stinking barber, a soft-hearted mother, and an itchy baker. (French Proverb)

I give a present to the mother but I think of the daughter. (German Proverb)

He who would the daughter win, with the mother must begin. (German Proverb)

He who wipes the child's nose, means to kiss the mother's cheek. (German Proverb)

An ounce of a mother's wit is worth a pound of schoolgirl's wit. (German Proverb)

One kisses the child for the mother's sake, and the mother for the child's sake. (German Proverb)

Mother, I must have a husband, or I shall set fire to the house. (German Proverb)

Who takes the child by the hand, takes the mother by the heart. (German Proverb)

Few are like father, no one is like mother. (Icelandic Proverb)

Do not insult the mother alligator until after you have crossed the river. (Haitian Proverb)

A beetle is a beauty in the eyes of his mother. (Italian Proverb)

You can buy everything, except a father and a mother. (Indian Proverb)

When the mother dies the father becomes an uncle. **(Indian Proverb)**

Sorrow for the death of a father lasts six months; sorrow for a mother, a year; sorrow for a wife, until another wife; sorrow for a son, forever. **(Indian Proverb)**

If you want the daughter, you must kiss the mother. **(Italian Proverb)**

God could not be everywhere, that's why he made mothers. **(Jewish Proverb)**

God could not be everywhere and therefore He made mothers. **(Jewish Proverb)**

The goodness of the father reaches higher than a mountain; that of the mother goes deeper than the ocean. **(Japanese Proverb)**

Judge a man not by the words of his mother, but from the comments of his neighbors. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Your son can be a prince; your daughter will be a mother. **(Kurdish Proverb)**

A girl without a mother is like a mountain with no paths; a girl without a father is like a mountain with no streams. **(Kurdish Proverb)**

When a mother calls her child bastard, you can take her word for it.(Jewish Proverb)

Fortune to one is mother, to another step-mother.(Latin Proverb)

If the mother had never been in the oven, she would not have looked for her daughter there.(Latin Proverb)

If summer had a mother, she would weep at summer's passing.(Lebanese Proverb)

The passing hour is sometimes a mother, sometimes a stepmother.(Latin Proverb)

Children of the same mother do not always agree.(Nigerian Proverb)

A mother is gold, a father is a mirror.(Nigerian Proverb)

More than one mother can make tasty soup.(Nigerian Proverb)

Children of the same mother do not always agree.(Nigerian Proverb)

A mother is gold, a father is a mirror.(Nigerian Proverb)

The land is a mother that never dies.
(New Zealander Proverb)

Every beetle is a gazelle in the eyes of its mother.(Moroccan Proverb)

It's easy to say "May Allah roast the lion's mother," when the lion isn't there.
(Moorish Proverb)

The sin for which you repent is the father of virtue; but a virtue that you talk about, is the mother of sin.(Malagasy Proverb)

Friendship reminds us of fathers, love of mothers.(Malagasy Proverb)

What reaches the mother's heart will only reach the father's knees.(Polish Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's; then a dog's; then a sweetheart's.(Polish Proverb)

What reaches the mother's heart will only reach the father's knees.(Polish Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's; then a dog's; then a sweetheart's.(Polish Proverb)

The greater love is a mother's; then comes a dog's; then a sweetheart's.(Polish Proverb)

Look first at the mother and then the daughter. (Romanian Proverb)

A fair day in winter is the mother of a storm. (Romanian Proverb)

A hundred aunts is not the same as one mother. (Sierra Leonean Proverb)

Mother earth promised to tell her secrets to heaven. (Serbian Proverb)

When the child falls the mother weeps; when the mother falls the child laughs. (Rwandan Proverb)

There are many fathers, but only one mother. (Russian Proverb)

If you flatter the mother, you will embrace the daughter. (Russian Proverb)

If the child does not cry, the mother knows not its wants. (Russian Proverb)

Clever father, clever daughter; clever mother, clever son. (Russian Proverb)

Beauty is the sister of idleness and the mother of luxury. (Russian Proverb)

It's enough to make a parson swear, or a quaker kick his mother. (Spanish Proverb)

If the child cries let the mother hush it and if it will not be hushed let it cry.
(Spanish Proverb)

An ounce of mother is worth a ton of priest.
(Spanish Proverb)

Were you at the wedding, Molly? No, mother, but the bride was very fine. (Spanish Proverb)

Three daughters and their mother, four devils for the father. (Spanish Proverb)

There is no mother like the mother that bore us. (Spanish Proverb)

The servant wench that has a mother in town swoons seven times a day. (Spanish Proverb)

The land a man knows is his mother.
(Spanish Proverb)

The gentle lamb sucks any ewe as well as its mother; the surly lamb sucks neither its own nor another. (Spanish Proverb)

Mother, what is marrying? Spinning, bearing children, and crying, daughter.
(Spanish Proverb)

Mother, marry me, marry me, or the gull will fly away with me. (Spanish Proverb)

All you under the heaven Regard heaven as your father, earth as your mother, and all things as your brothers and sisters. (Traditional Proverb)

A man who does not respect his own mother is absolutely no good. (Traditional Proverb)

It is hard work to be the mother of many pigs. (Tibetan Proverb)

When you are talking about marriage, think about your mother. (Spanish Proverb)

He who takes a child by the hand takes a mother by the heart. (Traditional Proverb)

One can never repay ones debt to ones mother. (Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is the mother of all virtue; all vice proceeds from ignorance. (Traditional Proverb)

One can never repay ones debt to ones mother. (Traditional Proverb)

Whatsoever was the father of disease, an ill diet was the mother. (Traditional Proverb)

Who kisses the feet of his mother, kisses the step of Paradise. (Turkish Proverb)

The person who has not traveled widely thinks his or her mother is the best cook. (Ugandan Proverb)

Anger is the mother of treachery. (Welsh Proverb)

Want is the mother of industry. (Traditional Proverb)

Mom and apple pie. (Traditional Proverb)

Mother's baby, Father's maybe. (Traditional Proverb)

Earth Mother. (Traditional Proverb)

Experience is the mother of science. (Traditional Proverb)

Experience is the mother of wisdom. (Traditional Proverb)

Idleness is the mother of all vices. (Traditional Proverb)

Sloth is the mother of poverty. (Spanish Proverb)

Prosperity forgets father and mother.

(Spanish Proverb)

Heaven is at the feet of mothers.

(Persian Proverb)

Obedience is the mother of happiness.

(Latin Proverb)

Hypocrisy is the mother of peace.

(Moorish Proverb)

Judge of the daughter by the mother.

(Latin Proverb)

Like mother, like daughter. (Latin Proverb)

Nature is our mother. (Latin Proverb)

Likeness is the mother of love. (Italian Proverb)

Advertising is the mother of trade.

(Japanese Proverb)

Look at the mother, marry the daughter.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Garlic is as good as ten mothers.

(Indian Proverb)

Mother's truth keeps constant youth.

(German Proverb)

The husband's mother is the wife's devil.
(German Proverb)

The fool's mother is always pregnant.
(French Proverb)

Trust is the mother of exasperation.
(French Proverb)

Mistrust is the mother of certainty.
(French Proverb)

Night is the mother of councils.
(French Proverb)

Ingratitude is the mother of every vice.
(French Proverb)

Mistrust is the mother of certainty.
(French Proverb)

A merry life forgets father and mother.
(French Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of invention.
(English Proverb)

The grave is our mother.(Arab Proverb)

The liar's mother is a virgin.(Arab Proverb)

Haste is the mother of imperfection.

(Brazilian Proverb)

Night is the mother of advice.

(Corsican Proverb)

Repetition is the mother of knowledge.

(African Proverb)

Haste is the mother of inaccuracy.

(American Proverb)

Diligence is the mother of good luck.

(Arab Proverb)

MOTIVATIONAL:

If the young had the motivation and the old had the strength, there'd be nothing that couldn't be accomplished. (Sicilian Proverb)

Intense motivation is a more important commodity than talent. (Traditional Proverb)

MOVIES:

Spectators see well than actors.

(Persian Proverb)

There are no small parts, only small actors.
(English Proverb)

Think before acting and whilst acting still think.(Dutch Proverb)

Those who have free tickets to the theater have the most criticism to make.
(Chinese Proverb)

Acting is the forte of their entire race.
(Latin Proverb)

Acting in concert, like the oil-merchants in the Vela rum.(Latin Proverb)

MUSIC:

When the music changes, then the rhythm of the dance must change also.(Tuareg Proverb)

When the music stops, a deaf person continues to dance.(Igbo Proverb)

If we pay for the music we will join in the dance.(French Proverb)

Hope is grief's best music.(English Proverb)

What! No star and you are going out to sea?
Marching and you have no music? Traveling
and you have no book? What! No love and you
are going out to live?(French Proverb)

A single tree makes no forest; one string
makes no music.(Chinese Proverb)

Music speaks louder than words.
(African Proverb)

Music and women should not be dated.
(African Proverb)

Those who hear not the music think the
dancers mad.(Chinese Proverb)

To heaven for the music but to hell for a good
conversation.(French Proverb)

It is the tone that makes the music.
(French Proverb)

If we pay for the music we will take part in the
dance.(German Proverb)

From a broken violin do not expect fine music.
(Greek Proverb)

Those who can't dance say the music is no
good.(Jamaican Proverb)

Those who can't dance blame it on the music.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Even the fear of death is dispelled by music.
(Latin Proverb)

Music is the best cure for a sorrowing mind.
(Latin Proverb)

Music induces more madness in many than wine. (Latin Proverb)

The diseases of the mind are either caused or cured by the power of music. (Latin Proverb)

Speaking, though speechless, it exercises dominion over the mind. [The power of music.] (Latin Proverb)

How wonderful, O Lord, are the works of your hands, the sun and the stars, the valleys and the hills, the rivers and lakes all disclose your presence. The beasts of the field, the birds of the air bespeak your wondrous will. In your goodness you have made us able to hear the music of the world, a divine voice sings through all creations. (Traditional Proverb)

When the music changes, so does the dance.
(West African Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence. (Traditional Proverb)

The mouth is not sweetened by saying "Honey, honey." So the music, so the people. (Turkish Proverb)

Music helps not the toothache. (Traditional Proverb)

The show has been greeted with music. (Latin Proverb)

Music is the handmaid of divinity. (Latin Proverb)

Music provokes love. (Latin Proverb)

Poor is the church without music. (Irish Proverb)

Move your neck according to the music. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Heavenly music is interpreted differently by everyone. (Chinese Proverb)

MUSICIAN:

Those who dances poorly, blames the musician. (Thai Proverb)

Party over, musicians by foot.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Of doctor and poet, musician and madman,
we each have a trace. (Mexican Proverb)

Don't ask the singer to sing until he wishes to
sing by himself. (Arabic Proverb)

If you've enjoyed the dance, pay the
musicians. (German Proverb)

These three take crooked ways: carts, boats,
and musicians. (Indian Proverb)

If the bride can't dance, she blames the
musicians. (Jewish Proverb)

A wedding is like a funeral, but with
musicians. (Jewish Proverb)

A cough assists a musician when he hesitates.
(Latin Proverb)

One string is good enough to a good musician.
(Mexican Proverb)

When a musician hath forgotten his note, He makes as though a crumb stuck in his throat.
(Senegalese Proverb)

Spanish is the language of lovers; Italian is for the singer, French for diplomats, and German for horses. (Spanish Proverb)

Singers, lovers, and poets are privileged liars.
(German Proverb)

MYSTERY:

Nobody knows the mysteries which lie at the bottom of the ocean. (Yoruban Proverb)

You only understand the joys of parenthood when you have your first child; you only understand the mystery of death when in mourning. (Bahaya Proverb)

We work on the surface, the depths are a mystery. (Bahaya Proverb)

One of life's greatest mysteries is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry your daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world. (Jewish Proverb)

Our native land attracts us with some mysterious charm, never to be forgotten.
(Latin Proverb)

Affinity is a mysterious thing, but it is spicy!
(Japanese Proverb)

N CATEGORY:

NATURE:

No one can uproot the tree which God has planted.(Yoruban Proverb)

You can find no pomegranates on a willow tree, no shame in the wicked.
(Turkish Proverb)

Old men sit in the shade because they planted a tree many years before.(Ugandan Proverb)

A bird in hand is worth ten in a tree.
(Yemeni Proverb)

Sow good and you'll reap good; sow bad and you'll reap bad. You don't have to cut down a tree to get its fruit.(Tibetan Proverb)

Without an ax no tree can be cut down.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Fruit of a tree falls near its roots.

(Turkish Proverb)

It is worms which destroy a tree; it is worry which destroys a man.(Turkish Proverb)

They throw stones at a tree with fruit.

(Turkish Proverb)

Use fertilizer to change the course of nature.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Never take a quiet person for granted. He might have great qualities underneath his quiet nature.(Singaporean Proverb)

The wind does not break a tree that bends.

(Sokhumi Proverb)

The best time to plant a tree is 20 years ago; the next best time is now.

(South African Proverb)

Not all the trees in the forest make good firewood.(Sudanese Proverb)

Where there are plenty of trees there are no builders.(Swahili Proverb)

Where there trees, there are no builders.

(Swahili Proverb)

You may climb a thorn tree, and be unable to come down. (Swahili Proverb)

Everyone runs to cut wood from the fallen tree. (Sicilian Proverb)

If the tree doesn't bear fruit, cut it off at the base. (Sicilian Proverb)

The ancient motto says: When you can eat the figs, prune the fig trees. (Sicilian Proverb)

Nature passes Nurture. (Scottish Proverb)

Put not your hand betwixt the rind and the Tree. (Scottish Proverb)

When the branches of trees in the forest are fighting, the roots are kissing.
(Senegalese Proverb)

It is mysterious if a baboon falls from a tree.
(Shona Proverb)

The chakata fruit on the ground belongs to all, but the one on the tree is for she who can climb. (Shona Proverb)

Nature does nothing in vain.
(Romanian Proverb)

Nurture passes nature. (Romanian Proverb)

The wolf may lose his teeth, but never his nature. (Romanian Proverb)

You cannot see the wood for the trees. (Romanian Proverb)

Like the cat in the tree, getting caught up in the chase can leave us in an awkward place. (Rosicrucian Proverb)

Do not plant a tree with its root upward. (Russian Proverb)

Everyone loves the tree that gives him shelter. (Russian Proverb)

It takes all kinds of trees to make a forest. (Russian Proverb)

A shored Tree stands long. (Scottish Proverb)

Airly crooks the Tree that good Lammock should be. (Scottish Proverb)

In the place where the tree falleth, there it shall be. (Romanian Proverb)

By its fruits one knows the tree. (Portuguese Proverb)

Money doesn't sprout on trees. (Portuguese Proverb)

Custom is a second nature.

(Romanian Proverb)

A lizard that fell from the top of a tree wastes its time looking back to where it fell from; if there was anything good the lizard deserved, it could not have missed it while it was there on top of the tree.(Nigerian Proverb)

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If a child shoots an arrow that reaches the top of a tall palm tree, then it must be that an elderly person carved the arrow for him.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is the toothless animal that arrives first at the base of the fruit tree, to eat his fill before others arrive.(Nigerian Proverb)

Sometimes the rain might force a man more than once to seek shelter under the same tree.

(Nigerian Proverb)

When a sickle is drawn, it in turn draws the tree to which it is hooked.(Nigerian Proverb)

When the roots of a tree begin to decay, it spreads death to the branches.

(Nigerian Proverb)

A village without elderly is like a tree without roots.

(Nilotic Proverb)

Who listens to the voice of the elderly is like a strong tree; who turns a deaf ear is like a twig in the wind.

(Nilotic Proverb)

Two heads cut off and thrown high into the tree have only the winds with which to scheme..

(Norse Proverb)

A youth that does not cultivate friendship with the elderly is like a tree without roots.

(Ntomba Proverb)

When a man moves from nature, his heart becomes hard.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

To touch the earth is to have harmony with nature.

(Native American Oglala Proverb)

Tree that grows crooked will never be straightened - bad habits learned early in life are hard to get rid of later.

(Mexican Proverb)

Three things cause sorrow to flee; water, green trees, and a beautiful face.

(Moroccan Proverb)

An old monkey never forgets how to climb trees. (Namibian Proverb)

As soon as the monkey has climbed a tree, it will start abusing from its elevated position. (Namibian Proverb)

Listen to the voice of nature, for it holds treasures for you. (Native American Huron Proverb)

Touching the earth equates to having harmony with nature. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

A rich man without liberality is like a tree without fruit. (Manx Proverb)

Not all the flowers of a tree produce fruit. (Mauritanian Proverb)

Everyone stones the tree that bears fruit. (Mexican Proverb)

The wolf changes his coat but not his nature. (Latin Proverb)

When the tree is fallen, every one goeth to it with his hatchet. (Latin Proverb)

Wind makes more noise among the trees. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Nature decays, but latinum lasts forever.

(Klingon Proverb)

Wood can only be split with a wedge that is cut from its own tree. (Kurdish Proverb)

The forest of an unpleasant person is the one that has trees. (Kikuyu Proverb)

A fruit-bearing tree is known by its flowers. (Japanese Proverb)

Even if you hide yourself from the world, don't lose sight of your real nature.

(Japanese Proverb)

Even monkeys fall from trees.

(Japanese Proverb)

A confused man is like the drowning man who asks for pears from the willow tree.

(Kashmiri Proverb)

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Mountains are not esteemed because they are high, but because they have trees.

(Japanese Proverb)

Bend the tree while it is young.

(Italian Proverb)

Lilly axe can cut down big tree.

(Jamaican Proverb)

Bend with the tree that will bend with you.

(Irish Proverb)

Nature shines through the cat's eyes.

(Irish Proverb)

There is not a tree in Heaven that is higher than the tree of patience.

(Irish Proverb)

Never take for granted a quiet person, for he may have qualities that belie his quiet nature.

(Indonesian Proverb)

Never underestimate a quiet person, for he may have qualities that belie his quiet nature.

(Indonesian Proverb)

When a durian tree is already ripe and sweet, many of the durians will fall to the ground.

(Indonesian Proverb)

A wedge from itself splits the oak tree.

(Irish Proverb)

A person who underneath the tall palm tree is best positioned to tell on which side the ripe head is.(Igbo Proverb)

A wayward woman is like the weaver bird. She uses her perch on one tree to scout other trees.(Igbo Proverb)

Like tree, like fruit.(Hungarian Proverb)

The trees do not grow up to the sky.
(Hungarian Proverb)

In a treeless country, the castor-oil plant is a big tree.(Hindi Proverb)

A poor man is pulled even by the branch of a tree.(Hungarian Proverb)

A tree is not felled at one stroke.
(Hungarian Proverb)

As the tree falls, it will lie.(Hungarian Proverb)

Bend the tree while is a twig.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He cannot see the wood for the trees.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He cut his axe into a big tree.

(Hungarian Proverb)

He cuts the tree under himself.

(Hungarian Proverb)

The army of the palm tree is its branches.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

The prickly branches of the palm tree do not show preference even to friends.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

The strength of the palm tree is in its branches.(Ghanaian Proverb)

When a deceiving man tells you to climb a tree, tell him to climb it first. If he finds a comfortable spot you can follow him.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

Whatever the tree, so is the fruit.

(Filipino Proverb)

An adult squatting sees farther than a child on top of tree.(Gambian Proverb)

If the building of a nest were easy, would the little "apatipers" bird roost in the fork of a tree?(Ghanaian Proverb)

If the young palm tree wants to stay alive, it grows next to the odum tree.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

Little palm tree, stop crying, you child is the tall palm tree.(Ghanaian Proverb)

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Put not thy hand between the bark and the tree.(English Proverb)

Evil penetrates like a needle and then becomes like an oak tree.(Ethiopian Proverb)

His mouth talks about Sheik Hussein but his hands are stretched up to the tree.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

It is pride, not nature that craves much.
(English Proverb)

Nature abhors a vacuum.(English Proverb)

Nature is the true law.(English Proverb)

Green leaves and brown leaves fall from the same tree.(English Proverb)

Habbit is a second nature.(English Proverb)

The apple doesn't fall far from the tree.
(Dutch Proverb)

The strength of a tree lies in its roots -- not in its branches.(Dutch Proverb)

Trees that are frequently transplanted rarely thrive.(Dutch Proverb)

If someone isn't handsome by nature, it's useless for them to wash over and over again.
(Corsican Proverb)

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A tree does not grow from the sky.
(Bosnian Proverb)

The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago.(Chinese Proverb)

The pear does not fall far from the tree.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

To cultivate trees, you need 10 years.
(Chinese Proverb)

An axe does not cut down a tree by itself.
(Burkina Faso Proverb)

Trees have already been made into a boat.
(Chinese Proverb)

By trying repeatedly, the monkey learns how to jump from the tree.(Cameroonian Proverb)

Patience is a tree whose root is bitter, but its fruit is very sweet.(Canadian Proverb)

A flower you plant may not necessarily bloom; but the seed of a tree you happen to drop may grow into a forest.(Chinese Proverb)

Even for a tree of 10000 feet, its leaves return to the root when they fall.(Chinese Proverb)

If you are planning for a year, sow rice; if you are planning for a decade, plant trees; if you are planning for a lifetime, educate people.
(Chinese Proverb)

Patience is a tree whose root is bitter, but its fruit is very sweet.(Canadian Proverb)

Trees often transplanted never prosper.
(Arabic Proverb)

It is good to know the truth, but it is better to speak of palm trees.(Arabic Proverb)

The vulture perches on the trees because it does not feel sure on the ground.
(Bajan Proverb)

Anyone who plants a tree before they die has not lived in vain.(Beninese Proverb)

De berry don' drop too far from de tree.
(Bajan Proverb)

Tree would bend when it bears fruit.
(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Whatever nature does least, man does most.
(Albanian Proverb)

There are many kinds of fruit that grow on the tree of life, but none so sweet as friendship.
(Albanian Proverb)

The fruit doesn't fall far from the tree.
(Albanian Proverb)

Our crosses are hewn from different trees.
(Albanian Proverb)

One tree can make a million matches, and one match can destroy a million trees.

(Albanian Proverb)

Whatever nature does least, man does most.

(Albanian Proverb)

Art is the right hand of nature.

(Albanian Proverb)

In nature, there is no such thing as a lawn.

(Albanian Proverb)

Human nature is the same all the world over.

(Albanian Proverb)

Custom surpasses nature. (Albanian Proverb)

Only birds of the same clan or species play together on the same tree. (Akan Proverb)

The squirrel can beat the rabbit climbing a tree, but then the rabbit makes the best stew that sort of equalizes the thing.

(African American Proverb)

When there is a big tree, small ones climb on its back to reach the sun. (African Proverb)

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The fruits of a tree on the roadside are never eaten ripe.

(African Proverb)

There are no short cuts to the top of a palm tree.

(African Proverb)

The roughness of a cotton tree is not known until you get close to it.

(African Proverb)

The predator lands on an unknown tree.

(African Proverb)

The one who went to the in-laws got trapped in a thorn tree.

(African Proverb)

The mouse says: I dig a hole without a hoe; the snake says: climb a tree without arms.

(African Proverb)

If your vision is for a year plant wheat, if your vision is for a decade plant trees, and if your vision is for a lifetime plant people.

(African Proverb)

A strong tree shall always grow from the roots and not the seeds.

(African Proverb)

Being in the forest and failing to see trees is a curse. (African Proverb)

On the day a monkey dies, all the trees are slippery. (African Proverb)

No matter how tall a tree might grow it will always shed its leaves on the ground. (African Proverb)

Monkeys don't advise their young ones to be careful on trees they just remind them of the distance to the ground. (African Proverb)

If money were to be found up in the trees, most people would be married to monkeys. (African Proverb)

It's not the monkey on top that makes a tree fall but it's the work and effort of numerous small insects and ants. (African Proverb)

If a tree is cursed even its shade is unclean. (African Proverb)

A wind can move the branches of trees but it will never move the head of a man. (African Proverb)

A palm wine tapper does not stop tapping palm wine because he once fell from the top of a palm wine tree. (African Proverb)

It's better to fall from a tree and break your back than to fall in love and break your heart.
(African Proverb)

He is a fool who praises the fruit of a tree and forgets its roots.(African Proverb)

A river doesn't flow through the forest without felling the trees.(African Proverb)

If you don't eat mangos that fall on the ground, be sure to be strong enough to pick ones on the tree.(African Proverb)

Only when a tree has grown can you tie your cow to it.(African Proverb)

If you debark a tree doesn't expect it to live again; you can only plant another of its kind.
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He who isn't around is never beaten by the falling tree. (African Proverb)

During a storm you seek shelter under a tree and not the clouds. (African Proverb)

The axe forgets; the tree remembers. (African Proverb)

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If you don't eat mangos that fall on the ground, be sure to be strong enough to pick ones on the tree. (African Proverb)

As long as there is no wind, the tree won't blow. (Afghan Proverb)

When you see a palm tree, the palm tree has seen you. (African Proverb)

The day the monkey is destined to die, all the trees get slippery. (African Proverb)

Don't show me the palm tree, show me the dates. (Afghan Proverb)

Mother Nature, time and patience are the three best doctors. (Bulgarian Proverb)

If you want apples, you have to shake the trees. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Grapes do not grow in a willow tree. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Where blood has been shed the tree of forgiveness cannot grow. (Brazilian Proverb)

Where is there a tree not shaken by the wind? (Armenian Proverb)

You are like a tree, giving your shade to the outside. (Arab Proverb)

It is good to know the truth and to speak the truth. It is even better to know the truth and speak about palm trees. (Arab Proverb)

God gave the giraffe a long neck so that He would not have to bend the palm tree. (Arab Proverb)

Do not cut down the tree that gives you shade. (Arab Proverb)

If you cut down the trees you will find the wolf. (American Proverb)

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By trying often, the monkey learns to jump from the tree. (Cameroonian Proverb)

You don't have to cut a tree down to get at the fruit. (Cambodian Proverb)

The elephant that is stuck in the mud will tear down the tree with it. (Cambodian Proverb)

Often a branch is broken off the tree by the one who has rested in its shadow. (Burmese Proverb)

Don't climb a tree to catch a fish. (Chinese Proverb)

Nature, time and patience are the three great physicians. (Chinese Proverb)

Just as tall trees are known by their shadows, so are good men known by their enemies. (Chinese Proverb)

If you are planning for one year, grow rice. If you are planning for 20 years grow trees. If you are planning for centuries, grow men.
(Chinese Proverb)

He who sees heaven in the water sees the fishes in the trees.(Chinese Proverb)

One generation plants the trees; another gets the shade.(Chinese Proverb)

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To climb a tree to catch a fish is talking much and doing nothing.(Chinese Proverb)

To forget one's ancestors is to be a brook without a source, a tree without a root.

(Chinese Proverb)

When the tree dies, the grass underneath withers.

(Chinese Proverb)

Waiting for a rabbit to hit upon a tree and be killed in order to catch it.

(Chinese Proverb)

To talk much and arrive nowhere is the same as climbing a tree to catch a fish.

(Chinese Proverb)

As the virtue in the tree, such is the fruit.

(Danish Proverb)

A bad tree does not yield good apples.

(Danish Proverb)

A man without a woman is a tree without leaves and branches.

(Corsican Proverb)

To love someone who does not love you, is like shaking a tree to make the dew drops fall.

(Congolese Proverb)

The tree is sure to be pruned before it reaches the skies.

(Danish Proverb)

It is easy to stride a tree when it is down.

(Danish Proverb)

When the tree falls every one runs to gather sticks. (Danish Proverb)

He thinks to catch shell-fish in the trees. (Dutch Proverb)

A man must eat, though every tree was a gallows. (Dutch Proverb)

A hawk kills because it is his nature; a man because it is his pleasure. (Darkovan Proverb)

When the tree falls every one runs to gather sticks. (Danish Proverb)

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If you want to be happy for a year, plant a garden; if you want to be happy for life, plant a tree. (English Proverb)

An apple never falls far from the tree. (English Proverb)

You've got to stare the cat down out of the tree. (Dutch Proverb)

Young twigs may be bent, but not old trees. (Dutch Proverb)

When the tree falls everyone runs to cut the branches. (Dutch Proverb)

When the tree falls every one runs to cut boughs. (Dutch Proverb)

The nobler the tree, the more pliant the twig. (Dutch Proverb)

An apple never falls far from the tree. (English Proverb)

You've got to stare the cat down out of the tree. (Dutch Proverb)

A spaniel, a wife, and a walnut tree, the more you beat 'em the better they be. (French Proverb)

A father is a banker provided by nature. (French Proverb)

No one can climb a tree with no branches. (Finnish Proverb)

Evil enters like a needle and spreads like an oak tree. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Not until the tree is felled can you see how tall it was. (French Proverb)

Never put your finger between the tree and the bark. (French Proverb)

Men will only throw stones at trees that are laden with fruit. (French Proverb)

It is only at the tree loaded with fruit that people throw stones. (French Proverb)

I never saw an oft-removed tree, nor yet an oft-removed family that throve so well as one that settled be. (French Proverb)

As a tree falls, so shall it lie. (German Proverb)

A woman, a dog, and a walnut tree, the more you beat them the better they be. (German Proverb)

Words are the leaves of the tree of language, of which, if some fall away, a new succession takes their place. (French Proverb)

When the tree is down everybody runs to the branches. (French Proverb)

If the prince wants an apple, his servants take the tree. (German Proverb)

He that would eat the fruit must climb the tree. (German Proverb)

Everyone must pay his debt to nature.

(German Proverb)

As the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined.

(German Proverb)

As the tree, so the fruit; as the mistress, so the maid.

(German Proverb)

Nature teaches us to love our friends, but religion our enemies.

(German Proverb)

The thief cannot find any tree that suits him for a gallows.

(German Proverb)

We must eat and drink though every tree was a gallows.

(German Proverb)

Nature gave us two cheeks instead of one to make it easier to eat hot food.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

When the root is worthless, so is the tree.

(German Proverb)

Blaming your faults on your nature does not change the nature of your faults.

(Indian Proverb)

You can count the apples on a tree but you can't count the trees from one apple.

(Gypsy Proverb)

Around a flowering tree, there are many insects. (Guinean Proverb)

They throw stones at the walnut trees, but not at the maple. (Greek Proverb)

Nature has given us two ears, two eyes, and but one tongue; to the end we should hear and see more than we speak. (Greek Proverb)

Nature will come through the claws, and the hound will follow the hare. (Irish Proverb)

Nature breaks through the eyes of the cat. (Irish Proverb)

The firm tree does not fear the storm. (Indonesian Proverb)

When you drink milk under the palm tree, people will say that it is palm wine. (Indian Proverb)

In a tree that you can't climb, there are always a thousand fruits. (Indian Proverb)

If you have planted a tree you must water it too. (Indian Proverb)

He that would have the fruit must climb the tree. (Italian Proverb)

Crooked by nature is never made straight by education. (Italian Proverb)

When a tree is falling, every one cries, down with it. (Italian Proverb)

The tree is not to be judged of by its bark. (Italian Proverb)

The tree does not fall at the first stroke. (Italian Proverb)

The apple does not fall far from the tree. (Italian Proverb)

Soon crooks the tree that good gambrel would be. (Italian Proverb)

Many desire the tree that pretends to refuse the fruit. (Italian Proverb)

When a tree is falling, every one cries, down with it. (Italian Proverb)

When the heat has passed, you forget about the shade of trees. (Japanese Proverb)

He who sits in the shade won't take an axe to the tree. (Japanese Proverb)

A little axe can cut down a big tree. (Jamaican Proverb)

Disgrace is like the grain of a tree trunk --
time makes it bigger instead of erasing it.
(Japanese Proverb)

When the tree is down, everyone runs to it
with a hatchet to cut wood.(Italian Proverb)

God and nature do not work together in
vain.(Latin Proverb)

As the tree is known by its fruit, so is the
wicked man by his deeds.(Latin Proverb)

According to the nature of his sin shall a man
be punished.(Latin Proverb)

He, who gets close to a good tree, will have a
good shade.(Latin Proverb)

It is the tree that gives its nature to the fruit.
(Latin Proverb)

It is difficult to teach a cow to climb a tree.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Only when the tree is big and strong can you
tether a cow to it.(Liberian Proverb)

You are his father by nature, I by counsel.
(Latin Proverb)

When the tree is fallen every one runs to it with his axe. (Latin Proverb)

The wolf changes his hair, but not his nature. (Latin Proverb)

No sane person sharpens his machete to cut a banana tree. (Nigerian Proverb)

If all seeds that fall were to grow, then no one could follow the path under the trees. (Nigerian Proverb)

A tree is best measured when it's down. (Nigerian Proverb)

A tree does not move unless there is wind. (Nigerian Proverb)

In a very old tree, you may be certain that the sapwood is on the outside, while the heartwood is in the middle. (New Zealander Proverb)

A brave man who climbs trees is food for their roots. (New Zealander Proverb)

There are men who walk through the woods and see no trees. (Mongolian Proverb)

Not all the tree's blossoms will bear fruit. (Mauritanian Proverb)

Malta would be a nice place, if every Knight were a tree. (Maltese Proverb)

Though a tree grows ever so high, the falling leaves return to its roots. (Malay Proverb)

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Do not measure up the wood before the tree is cut down. (Malagasy Proverb)

It is the nature of the greyhound to carry a long tail. (Portuguese Proverb)

Good fruit never comes from a bad tree. (Portuguese Proverb)

Even the goats will jump on a slanted tree. (Polish Proverb)

You must chop down the tree that gives too much or too little shade. (Russian Proverb)

With a piece of bread in your hand you'll find paradise under a pine tree. (Russian Proverb)

The tallest tree is rooted in the ground. (Russian Proverb)

Mistrust is an axe in the tree of love. (Russian Proverb)

Looking at a tree sees its fruit; looking at a man sees his deeds.(Russian Proverb)

Mistrust is an axe in the tree of love.
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Looking at a tree sees its fruit; looking at a man sees his deeds.(Russian Proverb)

Cut down the tree that you are able to.
(Russian Proverb)

He who shelters under a tree gets twice as wet.(Spanish Proverb)

All is within yourself. Know your most inward self and look for what corresponds with it in nature.(Traditional Proverb)

A tree does not fall at its first cut.
(Traditional Proverb)

Wait until the tree has fallen before you jump over it.(Thai Proverb)

Don't spoil a cool place under the hospitable tree.(Thai Proverb)

A little shrub may grow into a tree.
(Sudanese Proverb)

He can't see the forest for the trees.

(Traditional Proverb)

He that will eat the fruit must climb the tree.

(Traditional Proverb)

He that followeth Nature is never out of his way.

(Traditional Proverb)

He can't see the forest for the trees.

(Traditional Proverb)

Don't shake the tree when the pears fall off themselves.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is only the tree loaded with fruit that the people throw stones at.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is not the last blow of the ax that fells the tree.

(Traditional Proverb)

If you want 1 year of prosperity, grow grain. If you want 10 years of prosperity, grow trees. If you want 100 years of prosperity, grow people.

(Traditional Proverb)

Rivers do not drink their own water. Trees do not eat their own fruit. Clouds do not swallow their own rain. What great ones have is always for the benefit of others.

(Traditional Proverb)

It is the nature of the ego to take, and the nature of the spirit to share.

(Traditional Proverb)

To teach one must know the nature of those whom one is teaching.

(Traditional Proverb)

To cultivate trees, you need 10 years. To cultivate people, you need 100 years.

(Traditional Proverb)

Though a tree grows so high, the falling leaves return to the root.

(Traditional Proverb)

Thorns and roses grow on the same tree.

(Traditional Proverb)

There is not a tree in heaven higher than the tree of patience.

(Traditional Proverb)

The tree may be cut back, but it grows again. The moon may wane, but it shines anew. Good men go on despite calamities.

(Traditional Proverb)

The stronger the breeze the stronger the trees.

(Traditional Proverb)

The seed includes all the possibilities of the tree. The seed will develop these possibilities, however, only if it receives corresponding energies from the sky.

(Traditional Proverb)

The plum tree, dwindling, contains less of the spring
But the garden is wider, and holds more of the moon.
(Traditional Proverb)

The nut doesn't reveal the tree it contains.
(Traditional Proverb)

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return to the root.
(Traditional Proverb)

When the tree falls, any child can climb it.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

When eating the fruit, think of the person who
planted the tree.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

You are barking up the wrong tree.
(Traditional Proverb)

Young bamboo trees are easy to bend.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

From the withered tree, a flower blooms.
(Zen Proverb)

Tall as a tree.(Traditional Proverb)

Up a tree.(Traditional Proverb)

Noble natures are calm and content.
(Traditional Proverb)

One recognizes a tree from its fruits.
(Traditional Proverb)

Lose yourself in nature and find peace.
(Traditional Proverb)

Make like a tree and leave.
(Traditional Proverb)

Nature passes art.(Traditional Proverb)

Nature surpasses nurture.
(Traditional Proverb)

Nature's first green is gold.
(Traditional Proverb)

Can't see the forest for the trees.
(Traditional Proverb)

Can't see the wood for the trees.
(Traditional Proverb)

Charm the birds out of trees.
(Traditional Proverb)

Go climb a tree.(Traditional Proverb)

Art improves Nature.(Traditional Proverb)

Where man is not, nature is barren.
(Spanish Proverb)

From a fallen tree, all make kindling.
(Spanish Proverb)

You need sharp axes for knotty trees.
(Russian Proverb)

The monkey knows the tree it climbs.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

No apple tree is immune from worms.
(Russian Proverb)

The axe forgets what the tree remembers.
(Latin Proverb)

In dense woods the trees grow straight.
(Latvian Proverb)

Everyone makes firewood of a fallen tree.
(Mexican Proverb)

Habit is second nature.(Latin Proverb)

Nature is our mother.(Latin Proverb)

Nature without an effort surpasses art.

(Latin Proverb)

Build but one nest in one tree.(Latin Proverb)

Money doesn't grow on trees.(Jewish Proverb)

Talking comes by nature, silence by wisdom.

(Jewish Proverb)

Remember, even monkeys fall out of trees.

(Korean Proverb)

Useful trees are cut down first.

(Korean Proverb)

Habit becomes second nature.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Large trees are envied by the wind

.(Japanese Proverb)

The tree is known by its fruit.(Italian Proverb)

To the fallen tree, hatchets! Hatchets!

(Italian Proverb)

Who loves the tree loves the branch.

(Italian Proverb)

Great trees are envied by the wind.

(Japanese Proverb)

Large trees are envied by the wind.

(Japanese Proverb)

Money grows on the tree of persistence.

(Japanese Proverb)

When it blows, the trees shake.

(German Proverb)

Where Nature stops folly begins.

(German Proverb)

Speaking comes by nature, silence by understanding.

(German Proverb)

Nature and love cannot be hid.

(German Proverb)

Nature draws stronger than seven oxen.

(German Proverb)

Nature hangs out her sign everywhere.

(German Proverb)

Nature requires little, fancy much.

(German Proverb)

Old trees are not to be bent.

(German Proverb)

Self-preservation is the first law of nature.

(German Proverb)

The leaves fall before the tree dies.

(French Proverb)

As the tree, so the fruit.(German Proverb)

Good tree, good fruit.(Dutch Proverb)

Tall trees catch much wind.(Dutch Proverb)

Trees often transplanted seldom prosper.

(Dutch Proverb)

When the tree waves, wind is stirring.

(Chinese Proverb)

Honor the tree that gives you shelter.

(Danish Proverb)

The tree is felled...(Burmese Proverb)

Looking for fish? Don't climb a tree.

(Chinese Proverb)

Nature is better than a middling doctor.

(Chinese Proverb)

When the tree falls, the shadow flies.

(Chinese Proverb)

NECESSITY:

Whoever buys useless things will soon be selling his necessities. (Sicilian Proverb)

When necessity speaks, it demands. (Russian Proverb)

Necessity makes the frog jump. (Portuguese Proverb)

Necessity is mother of every invention. (Mexican Proverb)

Make a virtue of necessity. (Latin Proverb)

A wife is a luxury... a smart accountant a necessity. (Klingon Proverb)

Necessities never end. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Necessity can change a lion into a fox. (Iranian Proverb)

Necessity breaks the law. (Hungarian Proverb)

He forges a virtue on necessity. (Hungarian Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of all invention. (English Proverb)

He who wants to have arms and necessities
can take them himself. (Corsican Proverb)

Necessity teaches the naked woman to spin.
(Danish Proverb)

Necessity breaks iron. (Dutch Proverb)

Necessity never made a good bargain.
(Albanian Proverb)

Difficulties relate only to necessity.
(Albanian Proverb)

He who has the necessities has no shame.
(African Proverb)

God gives the will, necessity gives the
law. (Danish Proverb)

Necessity could make a thief.
(Darkovan Proverb)

Necessity seeks bread where it is to be found.
(German Proverb)

He that buys the office of magistrate must of
necessity sell justice. (Italian Proverb)

Necessity and opportunity may make a coward
valiant. (Italian Proverb)

Make a virtue of necessity. [Claim credit for compulsory rectitude.](Latin Proverb)

Spendthrifts are always of necessity greedy and covetous.(Latin Proverb)

While yearning for excess we lose the necessities.(Persian Proverb)

A true friend should be like a privy, open in necessity.(Traditional Proverb)

You can't escape necessity.
(Traditional Proverb)

Necessity turns lion into fox.(Persian Proverb)

Where necessity speaks it demands.
(Russian Proverb)

Necessity is a great teacher.(Mexican Proverb)

Necessity is a strong weapon.(Latin Proverb)

Necessity recognizes no law.(Latin Proverb)

Necessity requires no decision.(Latin Proverb)

Necessity becomes will.(Italian Proverb)

Necessity knows no law.(Irish Proverb)

Fancy requires much, necessity but little.
(German Proverb)

Necessity teaches all things.(German Proverb)

Necessity teaches arts.(German Proverb)

Necessity teaches even the lame to dance.
(German Proverb)

Necessity unites hearts.(German Proverb)

Necessity unites.(German Proverb)

Necessity has no law.(French Proverb)

Necessity is the mother of invention.
(English Proverb)

NIGHT:

A fat woman warms even the coldest the
night.(Zambian Proverb)

That which is done at night appears in the
day.(Uruguayan Proverb)

What you cannot see during the day, you will
not see at night.(West African Proverb)

The cat--moon eats the gray mice of night.
(Western European Proverb)

Who drinks at night, buys himself death, who
drinks in bed, buys himself a coffin.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Roasted locusts eaten at night bring
dangerous dreams.(South African Proverb)

A blustering night, a fair day follows.
(Spanish Proverb)

Timely rain cheers my soul; water and sun
during seeding, inspires hope; the rains of
April and May are late at night; then the good
mornings, will be the wealth of the houses.
(Sicilian Proverb)

When you work with anxiety during the day,
you'll sit up at night with your thoughts.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Night time sleep counsels man.
(Sicilian Proverb)

The bands in Messina play from morning until
night.(Sicilian Proverb)

When the night's darkest, the dawn's nearest.
(Romanian Proverb)

All cats are grey at night. (Russian Proverb)

God spends the day elsewhere, but he always spends the night in Rwanda.

(Rwandan Proverb)

A guest sticks a nail in the wall even if he stays but one night. (Polish Proverb)

The night is good counselor.

(Portuguese Proverb)

The glow-worms light the nights, but more so the night that their mother prepares porridge.

(Nigerian Proverb)

When a woman has ten children, there is nothing that happens in the night that she does not know about. (Nigerian Proverb)

Without knowing a way thoroughly at day time, never attempt to pass it at night.

(Nigerian Proverb)

You do not look for a black sheep at night.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Night is followed by day, famine by abundance. (Ovambo Proverb)

If at noon the King declares it is night, behold the stars. (Moroccan Proverb)

Moral people sleep well at night, but the immoral seem to get pleasure from the waking hours much more. (Namibian Proverb)

What is life? It is the flash of a firefly in the night. It is the breath of a buffalo in the wintertime. It is the little shadow which runs across the grass and loses itself in the sunset... (Native American Blackfoot Proverb)

The night has ears. (Maasai Proverb)

Daylight follows a dark night. (Maasai Proverb)

A running man can slit a thousand throats in one night. (Klingon Proverb)

Thieves conceal themselves in the night not in the day. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Di daakes' part a di night, a when diay soon light. (Jamaican Proverb)

What dog see him bark all night, ram goat see it no trouble him. (Jamaican Proverb)

The road to Heaven is well signposted, but it is badly lit at night. (Irish Proverb)

A fat woman warms the night.
(Icelandic Proverb)

There are seven different kind of weather in one autumn night. (Icelandic Proverb)

Under the mountains is silver and gold, But under the night sky, hunger and cold. (Indian Proverb)

Night was created so that we might consider what we did during the day. (Hebrew Proverb)

On the gallows, the first night is the worst. (Finnish Proverb)

Rather a man without a cow for the summer than without a wife for Christmas night. (Finnish Proverb)

Praise a fine day at night. (German Proverb)

Red sky at night, sailor's delight. Red sky at morning, sailors take warning. (German Proverb)

A lonely old crow, see someone you know, Fly to your right, sure to be right, And if you are hawking, money before night. (Gypsy Proverb)

Praise a fine day at night. (German Proverb)

Pleasures shorten tedious nights. (English Proverb)

Witches and harlots come out at night.

(English Proverb)

Don't spend the evening in a house where you can't spend the night. A good name is better than good perfume. After the hyena has gone, the dog barks. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Much bread grows in a winter night.

(English Proverb)

He that will be rich before night may be hanged before noon. (English Proverb)

He that woos a widow must woo her day and night. (English Proverb)

Butter is gold in the morning, silver at noon, and lead at night. (English Proverb)

Cheese and money should always sleep together one night. (English Proverb)

What was done at night is laughed about during the day. (Corsican Proverb)

An hour in the morning is worth two at night. (Dutch Proverb)

Concealing truth is like wearing embroidered clothes and traveling by night. (Chinese Proverb)

If you curse your wife in the evening, you will sleep alone at night. (Chinese Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night.
(Chinese Proverb)

Think about your own faults during the first half of the night, and the faults of others during the second half. (Chinese Proverb)

The Older one marries, the longer the nights. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Longer than the winter's night.
(Arabic Proverb)

The day is for working, the night is for resting.
(Bajan Proverb)

Wait for the night before saying that the day has been beautiful. (Bengali Proverb)

Who wakes and rises at the first cry of the songbird collects the best fruit of the night.
(Beti Proverb)

Darker than the night. (Arabic Proverb)

To be sure that your friend is a friend, you must go with him on a journey, travel with him day and night, go with him near and far.
(Angolan Proverb)

Don't pride over your wealth or beauty, one will be gone in a night and the other with a fever. (Arabic Proverb)

Night brings the cows home.
(Albanian Proverb)

Foresight is better than a night of terror.
(Albanian Proverb)

A day without work can yield a night without sleep. (Albanian Proverb)

There is a good reason why natural water never runs at night. (African Proverb)

The sun shines during the day, not at night.
(African Proverb)

The person you know during daytime should also be recognizable during night time.
(African Proverb)

Sunshine always follows a dark night.
(African Proverb)

If you befriend a mosquito it will still attack you at night. (African Proverb)

If the sun said it had power over the moon then let it come and shine at night.
(African Proverb)

No matter how long the night, the day is sure to come. (African Proverb)

He who talks to you while travelling at night is thanked in the morning. (African Proverb)

No matter how long the night is, the morning is sure to come. (African Proverb)

Lack of knowledge is darker than night. (African Proverb)

It is easier to catch a bird at night than day. (African Proverb)

The night may be dark, but the apples have been counted. (Afghan Proverb)

If you are threatened by a man, sleep at night, if it is by a woman then stay awake. (African Proverb)

However long the night, the dawn will break. (African Proverb)

A well educated man always has a kind word to say about the place where he spends the night. (Berber Proverb)

Who throws stones at night, kills his own brother. (Beninese Proverb)

If you sing before breakfast, you'll cry before night. (American Proverb)

Curse your wife at evening, sleep alone at night. (Chinese Proverb)

The darkness of night cannot stop the light of morning. (Cameroonian Proverb)

A mother's wrath does not survive the night. (Burundian Proverb)

The man who does not learn is dark, like one walking in the night. (Chinese Proverb)

The longer the night lasts, the more our dreams will be. (Chinese Proverb)

The first half of the night, think of your own faults; the second half, the faults of others. (Chinese Proverb)

Think of your own faults the first part of the night when you are awake, and of the faults of others the latter part of the night when you are asleep. (Chinese Proverb)

Every day hath its night, every weal its woe. (Danish Proverb)

No matter how long the night may be, the day is sure to come. (Congolese Proverb)

If you wake up in the morning and feel no pain
it is to be feared that you died in the night.

(Czech Proverb)

He, who puts by for the night, puts by for the
cat.(Danish Proverb)

Heaviness may endure for a night, but joy
cometh in the morning.(Dutch Proverb)

He was born upon St. Galtpert's night, three
days before luck.(Dutch Proverb)

You may preach ever so long to the wolf, he
will nevertheless call for the lamb before night.
(Danish Proverb)

He that's a wise man by day is no fool by
night.(English Proverb)

The day cuts off the promise of the night.
(Egyptian Proverb)

One who marries for love alone will have bad
days but good nights.(Egyptian Proverb)

Everything may be bought except day and
night.(French Proverb)

He that marries for love has good nights, but
sorry days.(German Proverb)

Except for the night, we could never know the stars.(German Proverb)

Cheese is gold in the morning, silver at noon, and lead at night.(German Proverb)

Brandy is as lead in the morning, silver at noon, and gold at night.(German Proverb)

Barnaby bright, Barnaby bright, the longest day and the shortest night.(German Proverb)

Do not blame the sun for the darkness of the night.(Georgian Proverb)

Never listen to these three advisers: wine, the night, and love.(German Proverb)

Red sky at night, shepherd's delight; red sky in the morning, shepherd's warning.
(German Proverb)

I fear the man who drinks water and so remembers this morning what the rest of us said last night.(Greek Proverb)

Since love departs at dawn, create, O God, a night that has no morn.(Indian Proverb)

It is hard for an ex-king to become a night watchman.(Indian Proverb)

Better a night full of anger than a night full of repentance. (Jewish Proverb)

Without women there is no day and no night. (Japanese Proverb)

When your companions get drunk and fight,
Take up your hat, and wish them good night. (Japanese Proverb)

If you carry treasure, don't travel at night. (Japanese Proverb)

Drink and sing: the dark night is ahead of us. (Japanese Proverb)

Day has its eyes, night has its ears. (Japanese Proverb)

You can make the dream bigger than the night. (Jewish Proverb)

The talk of the day is the dream of the night. (Jewish Proverb)

Morn with her rosy locks dispels the shades of night, and the sun puts to flight the stars, lighting up the world. (Latin Proverb)

Advice is a stranger; if he's welcome he stays for the night; if not, he leaves the same day. (Malagasy Proverb)

He, who led me in the night, will be thanked by me at daybreak. (Mozambican Proverb)

Men have thought about their marriage a whole year long -- and it lasts but one night. (Moorish Proverb)

If the owner of the goat is not afraid to travel by night, the owner of a hyena certainly will not be. (Nigerian Proverb)

Boast during the day; be humble at night. (New Zealander Proverb)

Make the night night, and the day day, and you will live pleasantly. (Portuguese Proverb)

A guest hammers a nail in the wall even if he stays only one night. (Polish Proverb)

A bad day never hath a good night. (Spanish Proverb)

To spend the night in anger is better than to spend it repenting. (Senegalese Proverb)

The night is the king of the shadows. (Senegalese Proverb)

The day has eyes, the night has ears. (Scottish Proverb)

A decision made at night may be changed in the morning. (Samoan Proverb)

The nights are short for him who married late in life. (Russian Proverb)

God deliver us from a gentleman by day and a friar by night. (Spanish Proverb)

For a bad night, a mattress of wine. (Spanish Proverb)

To be like the esquire of Guadalajara, who knew nothing in the morning of what he said at night. (Spanish Proverb)

Never praise life in front of death, nor the beautiful day in front of night. (Spanish Proverb)

A horse cannot gain weight if not fed with extra fodder during the night a man cannot become wealthy without earnings apart from his regular salaries. (Traditional Proverb)

Midsummer night is not long but it sets many cradles rocking. (Swedish Proverb)

Coffee should be black as night, hot as hell, and strong as love. (Traditional Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night. Fame: A gull floating on water. (Traditional Proverb)

Only the man who crosses the river at night knows the value of the light of day. (Traditional Proverb)

The anger of a good man lasts an instant that of a meddler two hours that of a base man a day and a night and that of a great sinner until death. (Traditional Proverb)

You should have done it on the wedding night, you fool! (Tunisian Proverb)

He who wants to be famous will have many a sleepless night. (Tunisian Proverb)

He who spends a night with a chicken will cackle in the morning. (Tunisian Proverb)

If you go out a lot at night, you will probably meet ghosts. (Vietnamese Proverb)

A woman's beauty cannot warm a winter's night. (Ukranian Proverb)

Worked night and day. (Traditional Proverb)

Night soil. (Traditional Proverb)

Even the night has ears. (Tanzanian Proverb)

They turn night into day. (Spanish Proverb)

Counterfeit coin passes current at night.
(Portuguese Proverb)

There is no day without its night.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Pondering over many things by night.
(Latin Proverb)

Praise a fair day at night. (Latin Proverb)

Sing before breakfast, cry before night.
(Latin Proverb)

Nights of pleasure are short.
(Lebanese Proverb)

Virginity can be lost in one night.
(Korean Proverb)

Every day has its night. (Italian Proverb)

Good counsel comes over night.
(German Proverb)

The night brings counsel. (French Proverb)

Night has no friend. (French Proverb)

Night is the mother of councils. (French)

All cats are alike grey at night.

(French Proverb)

Out before day, in before night.

(Dutch Proverb)

Darkness and night are mothers of thought.

(Dutch Proverb)

Night is the mother of advice.

(Corsican Proverb)

NOBILITY:

Nobility follows the man's line at a wedding.

(Swedish Proverb)

Nobility is less esteemed when it lacks wealth.

(Sicilian Proverb)

There is nothing noble in being superior to some other man. The true nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Hindu Proverb)

True nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Hindustani Proverb)

Nobility is what is earned by those who have no other earnings. (Chinese Proverb)

Nobility of soul is more honorable than nobility of birth. (Dutch Proverb)

Nobility is nothing but ancient riches, and money is the world's idol. (French Proverb)

Piety, prudence, wit, and civility, are the elements of true nobility. (German Proverb)

There is nothing noble in being superior to some other person. The true nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Indian Proverb)

Nobility without wealth is more worthless than the seaweed which the tide has left. (Latin Proverb)

Nobility of conduct is a greater recommendation than nobility of birth. (Latin Proverb)

True nobility is invulnerable. (French Proverb)

Nobility imposes obligations. (French Proverb)

NURSE:

When the child is weaned, they say goodbye to the nurse. (Swedish Proverb)

When the child is weaned, the nurse is fired.
(Swedish Proverb)

Many caress the child for the sake of the wet nurse. (Swedish Proverb)

Many who kiss the child mean the nurse.
(Swedish Proverb)

One kisses the child and means the nurse.
(Swedish Proverb)

Many kiss the child for the nurse's sake.
(Danish Proverb)

One kisses the nurse for the sake of the child.
(German Proverb)

A patient that can swallow food makes the nurse doubtful. (Malagasy Proverb)

Nurse, you are mistress whilst the child sucks, and after that nothing.
(Spanish Proverb)

Whilst the nurse suckles, we love her; when she is of no further use, she is forgotten.
(Spanish Proverb)

Solitude is the nurse of wisdom.
(German Proverb)

Hope is the nurse of misery.

(American Proverb)

NURTURE:

Nature passes Nurture.(Scottish Proverb)

Nurture passes nature.(Romanian Proverb)

Nurture and good manners makes man.

(English Proverb)

Nature surpasses nurture.(Traditional)

CATEGORY:

OBEDIENCE:

How gently glides the married life away, when
she who rules still seems but to obey.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Entering the village, obey the village.

(Japanese Proverb)

Obey the customs of the village you enter.

(Japanese Proverb)

They that are bound must obey.

(English Proverb)

Obedience is much more seen in little things than in great. (English Proverb)

To command one must learn to obey.

(Albanian Proverb)

A proof of faith is obedience.

(Albanian Proverb)

Without a green switch the ox and the donkey won't obey. (Afghan Proverb)

Where water is the boss, there must the land obey. (African Proverb)

Suffering and patience, obedience and application, help the lowly born to honor.

(Danish Proverb)

It is the raised stick that makes the dog obeys.

(Danish Proverb)

By learning to obey, you will know how to command. (Italian Proverb)

The first duty of a soldier is obedience.

(Spanish Proverb)

He who would command must first learn to obey. (Traditional Proverb)

Obedience is the mother of happiness.
(Latin Proverb)

Obey orders, if you break owners.
(Latin Proverb)

Obedience to a woman leads to hell.
(Arab Proverb)

OBSTACLES:

More the hurry, more the obstacles
(Welsh Proverb)

The honorable man lives in difficulty.
(Sicilian Proverb)

After hardship comes relief. (Swahili Proverb)

A wise man who knows proverbs can reconcile difficulties. (Nigerien Proverb)

Difficulties make you a jewel.
(Japanese Proverb)

Go to a man who is in difficulty and you'll get a bargain. (Irish Proverb)

In times of difficulty, friendship is on trial.
(Greek Proverb)

Patience makes all hardships light.
(Estonian Proverb)

One's true nature is revealed in time of difficulty. (Chinese Proverb)

It's a hardship that will go away.
(Arabic Proverb)

Difficulties relate only to necessity.
(Albanian Proverb)

If there is something one really wants to achieve, one is willing to go an extra mile and overcome the difficulties to achieve it.
(African Proverb)

All war follow a demonstrate failure of difficulty diplomacy. (African Proverb)

A wise man who knows proverbs, reconciles difficulties. (African Proverb)

As soon as you have finished a job, you start appreciating the difficulties. (Chinese Proverb)

The pine stays green in winter, wisdom in hardship. (Chinese Proverb)

When one is prepared, difficulties do not come. (Ethiopian Proverb)

A partner in the business will not put an obstacle to it. (Ethiopian Proverb)

When you are in difficulty, go to the house of your friend -- not your sister's.
(Indian Proverb)

Never trust the advice of a man in difficulty.
(Japanese Proverb)

It is easy to die -- the difficulty lies in living.
(Japanese Proverb)

If you like to have things easy, you'll have difficulties; if you like problems, you will succeed. (Laotian Proverb)

If you like things easy, you'll have difficulties; if you like problems, you'll succeed.
(Laotian Proverb)

Having mastered the lesser difficulties, you will more safely venture on greater achievements. (Latin Proverb)

He suffers from the same disease. [He is in the same difficulty.] (Latin Proverb)

To the stars through difficulties.

(Latin Proverb)

Remember to keep a calm mind in difficulties.

(Latin Proverb)

Little is spent with difficulty, much with ease.

(Thai Proverb)

Merit is often an obstacle to fortune; the reason is it produces two bad effects, envy and fear. (Traditional Proverb)

Inferior men do not begin undertakings for fear of difficulties. Average men begin, but desist once difficulties appear. Men of superior nature never give up until they achieve their ends, however many the difficulties that appear. (Traditional Proverb)

To turn an obstacle to one's advantage is a great step towards victory.

(Traditional Proverb)

When difficulties are overcome they begin blessing. (Traditional Proverb)

The obstacle is the path. (Zen Proverb)

An obstacle is often an unrecognized opportunity. (Traditional Proverb)

Beautiful things are secured with most difficulty. (Latin Proverb)

England's difficulty is Ireland's opportunity. (Latin Proverb)

Love grows with obstacles. (German Proverb)

The first step is all the difficulty. (French Proverb)

OPINION:

Ask ten brewers and you will get eleven opinions. (Swiss Proverb)

Every person is a fool in some person's opinion. (Spanish Proverb)

Strike a match above the sea of opinions and the fish all swim away. (Moroccan Proverb)

First learn, and then form opinions. (Jewish)

Where two Jews, three opinions. (Israeli Proverb)

The amount of people equals the amount of opinions. (Hungarian Proverb)

He that enquires all opinions comes ill speed.
(English Proverb)

His opinions are like water in the bottom of a canoe, going from side to side.(Efik Proverb)

Opinion comes before the bravery of the braves.(Arabic Proverb)

If you had an opinion you better be determined.(Arabic Proverb)

Advice sharpens a rusty opinion.
(Arabic Proverb)

Be sure to have a controversial opinion, and men will talk about you.(Arab Proverb)

Maternity is a matter of fact; paternity is a matter of opinion.(American Proverb)

A wise man makes his own decisions; an ignorant man follows the public opinion.
(Chinese Proverb)

Opinions are like nails: the more often you hit them the deeper they penetrate.
(Chinese Proverb)

As changeable is the moon so is the opinion of the woman.(French Proverb)

The beadle of the parish is always of the vicar's opinion. (French Proverb)

A fool finds no pleasure in understanding but delights in airing his own opinions. (Italian Proverb)

Different men have different opinions; some like apples, some onions. (Indonesian Proverb)

It is not for the blind to give an opinion on colors. (Italian Proverb)

Opinions founded on prejudice are always sustained with the greatest violence. (Jewish Proverb)

Do not give an opinion until it is asked for. (Latin Proverb)

Whilst standing he holds one opinion, whilst sitting another. (Latin Proverb)

Every man is a fool in some man's opinion. (Spanish Proverb)

A lawyer's opinion is worth nothing unless paid for. (Traditional Proverb)

Every man is rich in excuses to safeguard his prejudices, his instincts, and his opinions. (Traditional Proverb)

When I want your opinion, I'll give it to you.
(Traditional Proverb)

Do not seek the truth; only cease to cherish
your opinions. (Zen Proverb)

Three Spaniards, four opinions.
(Spanish Proverb)

Jesus Christ was crucified by public opinion.
(Russian Proverb)

A man's own opinion is never wrong.
(Italian Proverb)

So many men, so many opinions.
(German Proverb)

OPPORTUNITIES:

Opportunities may come but they never linger.
(Traditional Proverb)

He, who does not seize opportunity today, will
be unable to seize tomorrow's opportunity.
(Somali Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions, and roofed
with lost opportunities. (Portuguese Proverb)

Capture all opportunities.(Klingon Proverb)

Never allow family to stand in the way of opportunity.(Klingon Proverb)

Opportunity plus instinct equals profit.
(Klingon Proverb)

Rice tastes good when properly cooked, and talking is good when the opportunity is ripe.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Welcome an opportunity as it comes.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Opportunity bears the thief.
(Hungarian Proverb)

If an opportunity is not taken when it comes, it passes away.(Ghanaian Proverb)

By continually striving for the best, one may waste good opportunities.(English Proverb)

Every opportunity passed is lost.
(Corsican Proverb)

Opportunity makes desire.(Dutch Proverb)

Crisis brings opportunity and change.
(Chinese Proverb)

Life can never give security, it can only promise opportunity. (Chinese Proverb)

No one has an exclusive on opportunity. (Chinese Proverb)

The gods cannot help those who do not seize opportunities. (Chinese Proverb)

With carefulness you realize your opportunity. (Arabic Proverb)

Four things come not back -- the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity. (Arabic Proverb)

Weak men wait for opportunities, strong men make them. (Albanian Proverb)

Take opportunity by the forelock. (Albanian Proverb)

Keep yourself from the opportunity and god will keep you from the sin. (Albanian Proverb)

If you kill time, you'll bury opportunities. (African Proverb)

Seize the opportunity by the beard, for it is bald behind. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Opportunities, like eggs, come one at a time.
(American Proverb)

Four things come not back: the spoken word, the spent arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity. (Chinese Proverb)

A crisis is an opportunity riding the dangerous wind. (Chinese Proverb)

You may always find an opportunity in your sleeve, if you like. (Danish Proverb)

Time and opportunity are in no man's sleeve. (German Proverb)

Men never moan over the opportunities lost to do good, only the opportunities to be bad. (Greek Proverb)

Necessity and opportunity may make a coward valiant. (Italian Proverb)

Do not lengthen the quarrel while there is an opportunity of escaping. (Latin Proverb)

An opportunity is found with difficulty and easily lost. (Latin Proverb)

He who waits till an opportunity occurs may wait forever. (Latin Proverb)

While we discuss matters, the opportunity passes by. (Latin Proverb)

Opportunity never knocks twice at any man's door. (Latin Proverb)

Opportunity has hair in front, behind she is bald; if you seize her by the forelock, you may hold her, but, if suffered to escape, not Jupiter himself can catch her again. (Latin Proverb)

Hell is paved with good intentions, roofed in with lost opportunities. (Portuguese Proverb)

Never kiss an opportunity with a dirty mouth. (Russian Proverb)

A man who misses his opportunity, and monkey who misses his branch, cannot be saved. (Traditional Proverb)

Where there is no want of will, there will be no want of opportunity. (Spanish Proverb)

Learn to listen. Opportunity could be knocking at your door very softly. (Traditional Proverb)

Opportunities neglected can never be recovered. (Traditional Proverb)

Opportunity seldom knocks twice. (Traditional Proverb)

For every problem there is an opportunity.
(Traditional Proverb)

An obstacle is often an unrecognized opportunity. (Traditional Proverb)

The theater loses the opportunity of vengeance. (Spanish Proverb)

Opportunity makes a thief. (Latin Proverb)

Wickedness and malice only require an opportunity. (Latin Proverb)

Opportunities come but do not linger.
(Nepalese Proverb)

Catch the opportunity. (Latin Proverb)

England's difficulty is Ireland's opportunity.
(Latin Proverb)

Man's extremity, God's opportunity.
(Korean Proverb)

Opportunity only knocks once.
(German Proverb)

A thief makes opportunity. (Dutch Proverb)

Opportunity creates desire. (Dutch Proverb)

P CATEGORY

PAIN:

Greed will cause pain.(Taiwanese Proverb)

A mother has little love for a son who did not give her pain.(Venezuelan Proverb)

The rich have no pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Who rids himself of his own freedom, always finds himself with worry and pain.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Who suffers because of love, feels no pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Whoever marries for love will always live in pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Of all pains, the greatest pain is to love, but love in vain.(Spanish Proverb)

Plain oil cures every pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

It is a pain both to pay and pray.
(Scottish Proverb)

Death will cure all pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Grief for a husband is like a pain in the elbow, sharp and short.(Sicilian Proverb)

Keep your feet on the ground and you'll lessen the pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Love without pain is not to be found anywhere.(Sicilian Proverb)

Plain oil cures every pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

Short pleasure, long pain.(Romanian Proverb)

After pleasure comes pain.
(Romanian Proverb)

Death is nothing and pain is nothing, but cowardice is crime and disgrace, the greatest punishment.
(Native American Dakota Proverb)

Whichever hand is cut, the whole body feels the pain.(Malagasy Proverb)

We are content to forgo joy when pain is also lost.(Latin Proverb)

To understand life, endure pain.
(Klingon Proverb)

There is no pain greater than the pain of rejection.(Irish Proverb)

There is pain in prohibition. (Irish Proverb)

There's no rain without thunder, and no children born without pain. (Hebrew Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain which eagerly seeks what causes pain. (German Proverb)

What adds to knowledge, adds to pain. (Finnish Proverb)

The pleasure of love lasts but a moment, the pain of love lasts a lifetime. (French Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain that seeks what caused it. (German Proverb)

Who bites with a lie will swallow with pain. (Estonian Proverb)

No pain, no injury. (English Proverb)

When your finger is in pain, your sight is not lazy. (Ekonda Proverb)

If you return an ass's kick, most of the pain is yours. (Cuban Proverb)

Life has always been a mixture of joy and pain, wealth and poverty. (Dominican Proverb)

Love flies away and the pain remains.

(Bolivian Proverb)

Patient without any pain, the dog is lame when it wants to.(Bengali Proverb)

Someone else's pain is easy to carry.

(Bengali Proverb)

Hope of gain lessens pain.(Albanian Proverb)

Disappointment hurts more than pain.

(Albanian Proverb)

Pain is inevitable suffering is optional.

(African Proverb)

He who has the choice has the pain.

(African Proverb)

Don't admire the flying bird before you know the pain of flapping.(African Proverb)

A boy may cry; but a man as to conceal his pain.(African Proverb)

The ungrateful son is a wart on his father's face; to leave it is a blemish; to cut it off is pain.(Afghan Proverb)

A pain in the foot is soon forgotten -- a pain in the head is not.(Armenian Proverb)

He who looks up too much gets a pain in the neck. (Arab Proverb)

Pain is easier to endure than an itch. (Chinese Proverb)

When the wound is healed the pain is forgotten. (Danish Proverb)

Sorrow for a husband is like a pain in the elbow, sharp and short. (English Proverb)

The pain is sometimes preferable to the treatment. (Indian Proverb)

A woman's in pain, a woman's in woe, a woman is ill, when she likes to be so. (Italian Proverb)

Where there is great love there is great pain. (Italian Proverb)

Time heals old pain, while it creates new ones. (Jewish Proverb)

The hand often travels to the part where the pain is. (Latin Proverb)

Pain of mind is worse than pain of body. (Latin Proverb)

The hen lays an egg, and the cock feels the pain in his backside. (Moroccan Proverb)

Love, pain, and money cannot be kept secret; they soon betray themselves.
(Spanish Proverb)

If folly were a pain, there would be groaning in every house. (Spanish Proverb)

He that is uneasy at every little pain is never without some ache. (Traditional Proverb)

An hour of pain is as long as a day of pleasure. (Traditional Proverb)

Riches are gotten with pain, kept with care, and lost with grief. (Traditional Proverb)

Pain in the present is experienced as hurt; pain in the past is remembered as anger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Pain in the present is experienced as hurt; pain in the past is remembered as anger.
(Traditional Proverb)

When the pain has passed one forgets the medicine. (Vietnamese Proverb)

No pleasure without pain. (Traditional Proverb)

Pain is only weakness leaving the body.

(Traditional Proverb)

Another's misfortune does not cure my pain.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Pain mingles with pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Pain past is pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Pleasure is often the introduction to pain.

(Latin Proverb)

Pleasure often comes from pain.

(Latin Proverb)

Revenge is a confession of pain.

(Latin Proverb)

Who suffers from love, feels no pain.

(Italian Proverb)

Jealousy is a pain seeking its cause.

(German Proverb)

Pride feels no pain. (Egyptian Proverb)

Pain is forgotten where gain comes.

(American Proverb)

PARENTS:

Treat the earth well: it was not given to you by your parents; it was loaned to you by your children. (Kenian Proverb)

When sweethearts want each other, the parents must inevitably accede. (Sicilian)

Treat the world well. It was not given to you by your parents. It was willed to you by your children. (Kenyan Proverb)

Parents and children teach one another. (Japanese Proverb)

A bandicoot is lovely to his parents; a mule is pretty to its mate. (Indian Proverb)

If you do not honor your parents, your children will not honor you. (Hebrew Proverb)

No matter how misbehaved a child, the parents will accept. (Finnish Proverb)

Parents give birth to the body of their children, but not always to their characters. (Ganda Proverb)

Who disobeys his parents, disobeys God. (Estonian Proverb)

Who does not obey the parents' word will be taught by the world. (Estonian Proverb)

Parents are teeth. (Corsican Proverb)

Parents are the first teachers of the children. (Burmese Proverb)

You only understand the joys of parenthood when you have your first child; you only understand the mystery of death when in mourning. (Bahaya Proverb)

Distrust and caution are the parents of security. (Albanian Proverb)

Dancing depends on the parents. (African Proverb)

A parent should not give up modeling their children because the ancestors too never give up on us. (African Proverb)

Success has many parents, but failure is an orphan. (American Proverb)

Girls marry to please parents, widows to please themselves. (Chinese Proverb)

Respect for ones parents is the highest duty of civil life. (Chinese Proverb)

Parents who are afraid to put their foot down usually have children who step on their toes.

(Chinese Proverb)

Caution is the parent of delicate beer glasses.

(Dutch Proverb)

The virtue of parents is in itself a great legacy.

(Italian Proverb)

When you have children yourself, you begin to understand what you owe your parents.

(Japanese Proverb)

A king, a master, a parent, a judge, may fail to frighten us; but sickness coming brings with it successful reproof. (Latin Proverb)

Parents can give their children everything except good luck. (Jewish Proverb)

Once it was the parents who taught their children to talk; now the children teach their parents to keep quiet. (Jewish Proverb)

The best parents are both; purses for money and sacks for the corn. (Romanian Proverb)

Short lived pleasure is the parent of pain.

(Traditional Proverb)

Treat the earth well it was not given to you by your parents, it was loaned to you by your children. We do not inherit the Earth from our Ancestors; we borrow it from our Children.
(Traditional Proverb)

The best gifts parents can give their children are roots and wings. (Traditional Proverb)

Caution is the parent of safety.
(Traditional Proverb)

Revere your parents. (Latin Proverb)

Consideration is the parent of wisdom.
(Latin Proverb)

Parents can give everything but common sense. (Jewish Proverb)

Children grow up, with or without parents.
(Japanese Proverb)

Industry is the parent of fortune.
(German Proverb)

Bad children. Guilty parents!
(Burmese Proverb)

PARLIAMENT:

You cannot make people honest by an act of parliament. (English Proverb)

Money is more eloquent than a dozen members of parliament. (Danish Proverb)

PARTIES:

There is nary a feast or a party without a monk or a priest. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who wants to judge; needs to listen to the parties. (Sicilian Proverb)

Big processes make well dressed lawyers and naked parties. (Swedish Proverb)

Hear all parties. (Scottish Proverb)

Party over, musicians by foot.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A small but excellent party, said the man, he was drinking alone. (Norwegian Proverb)

Fools give parties, sensible people go to them. (Italian Proverb)

Suspicion always haunts the guilty party.

(French Proverb)

The absent party is always to blame.

(English Proverb)

He who cackled is the guilty party.

(Filipino Proverb)

Cockroach ain't have nuh right at hen party.

(Bajan Proverb)

Literal meaning: He left the party without having Hommos. (Arabic Proverb)

When a cock invites a cockroach for a birthday party, he has prepared dinner for himself.

(African Proverb)

When a cow is crying, a dog is making a party.

(African Proverb)

It's out of ignorance that a goat will attend a leopard's party. (African Proverb)

A fool and his money is one big party.

(African Proverb)

A party of one alone is not a party.

(French Proverb)

When both parties are right, it's a bad day for "right."(Jewish Proverb)

No injury can be complained of by a consenting party.(Latin Proverb)

Those who do a thing are consenting parties. (Latin Proverb)

After a trial one party is naked and the other without a shirt.(Serbian Proverb)

Seven is company, and nine confusion. (Alluding to a dinner party.)(Spanish Proverb)

A jack of both sides is before long, trusted by nobody, and abused by both parties. (Traditional Proverb)

As welcome as a skunk at a lawn party. (Traditional Proverb)

Life may not be the party we hoped for, but while we're here we should dance. (Traditional Proverb)

Bribery makes both parties happy. (Persian Proverb)

He gives a party with bath-water. (Persian Proverb)

Wrongdoers and assenting parties are equally punishable. (Latin Proverb)

PASSIONS:

Passion is of greater consequence than facts. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

Plant rice when the ground is ready; pursue women when you feel passion. (Tibetan Proverb)

Absence polishes passion, presence reinforces it. (Togolese Proverb)

Where passion is high, reason is low. (Italian Proverb)

Wine renews the passion of lovers, and the hatred of enemies. (Hebrew Proverb)

If you don't love yourself with passion, you'll love others with it. Passion is conserved. (English Proverb)

He who shows a passion tells his enemy where he may hit him. (Colombian Proverb)

Passion and hatred are children of intoxicating beverages. (Azande Proverb)

The passions are like fire and water: good servants but bad masters. (Albanian Proverb)

A man in passion rides a mad horse.
(Albanian Proverb)

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(Albanian Proverb)

The most useful holy war is the one fought against your own passions. (Arab Proverb)

The end of passion is the beginning of repentance. (Dutch Proverb)

It is not the greatest beauties that inspire the most profound passion. (French Proverb)

He that shows his passion tells his enemy where he may hit him. (Italian Proverb)

A man in a passion rides a horse that runs away with him. (Latin Proverb)

Govern your passions, or they will govern you.
(Latin Proverb)

Lust of power is the strongest of all passions.
(Latin Proverb)

A man without passion is no son of Adam.
(Persian Proverb)

Our passions are the winds that propel our vessel. Our reason is the pilot that steers her. Without winds the vessel would not move and without a pilot she would be lost.

(Traditional Proverb)

PAST:

The thousand brilliant accomplishments of the past cannot serve today's purpose.

(Tibetan Proverb)

The future emerges from the past.

(Senegalese Proverb)

A glorious past is the work of a glorious man.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Every river knows where its water would not be soaked up into the earth, and that is where it flows past. (Nigerian Proverb)

What is Past is Prologue. (Nigerian Proverb)

Youths look at the future, the elderly at the past; our ancestors live in the present.

(Nilotic Proverb)

Who has no past, has no future.

(Palestinian Proverb)

A man cannot undo his past. Can zebras wipe away their stripes?(**Namibian Proverb**)

Seek wisdom, not knowledge. Knowledge is of the past, Wisdom is of the future.
(**Native American Lumbee Proverb**)

Like the chameleon, one eye on the future, one eye on the past.(**Malagasy Proverb**)

Children yoke parents to the past, present and future.(**Japanese Proverb**)

Let the past drift away with the water.
(**Japanese Proverb**)

When the heat has past, you forget about the shade tree.(**Japanese Proverb**)

A person worries about the past, distresses about the present, and fears the future.
(**Jewish Proverb**)

May the saddest day of your future be no worse than the happiest day of your past.
(**Irish Proverb**)

Whosoever chooses to deny their past cannot expect to find a future.(**Hungarian Proverb**)

The cure for anxiety about the future is not nostalgia for the past.(**Hebrew Proverb**)

He who praises the past blames the present.
(Finnish Proverb)

The mill does not grind with water that is past.(French Proverb)

Look to the past to help us move forward in the future.(Ghanaian Proverb)

A person worries about the past, is upset about the present, and fears the future.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A house can't be built for the rainy season that is past.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Past shame, past grace.(English Proverb)

The remembrance of past sorrows is joyful.
(English Proverb)

Who reminds of the past and recall what has been will have his ear cut off.
(Estonian Proverb)

Consider the past and you shall know the future.(Chinese Proverb)

Everything in the past died yesterday, and everything in the future is born today.
(Chinese Proverb)

If you want to know your past, look into your present conditions. (Chinese Proverb)

You can be cautious of the future, but not of the past. (Chinese Proverb)

One favors him from whom one has in the past received a gift. (Bajan Proverb)

Four things come not back -- the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity. (Arabic Proverb)

Study the past if you would divine the future. (Albanian Proverb)

What is past is gone, what is hoped for is absent, for you is the hour in which you are. (African Proverb)

A spiritual leader is able to see the past, present and the future. (African Proverb)

Him with a clean future has a clean past. (African Proverb)

He who forgets his past is lost. (African Proverb)

Dreams are related to the past but connected to the future. (African Proverb)

Forget the past, but look out in the future.
(Afghan Proverb)

A sponge to wipe away the past; a rose to sweeten the present; a kiss to greet the future.
(Arab Proverb)

Four things come not back: the spoken word, the spent arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity.(Chinese Proverb)

Do not anxiously hope for that which is not yet come; do not vainly regret what is already past.(Chinese Proverb)

All the past died yesterday; the future is born today.(Chinese Proverb)

You can be cautious about the future but not the past.(Chinese Proverb)

Can a mill go with the water that's past?
(Darkovan Proverb)

Too late to grieve when the chance is past.
(French Proverb)

Long foretold, long last; short notice, soon past.(German Proverb)

A book is a good friend when it lays bare the errors of the past.(Indian Proverb)

Learn about the future by looking at the past.(Indian Proverb)

Speak not ill of the year until it is past.
(Italian Proverb)

The past is the future of the present.
(Japanese Proverb)

Examine the past, examine the present, and
examine the future.(Latin Proverb)

No matter her past, when a chambermaid
marries a lord she becomes a lady.
(Latin Proverb)

We judge of the present from the past.
(Latin Proverb)

The remembrance of past pleasures adds to
present sorrows.(Latin Proverb)

The mill cannot grind with the water that is
past.(Latin Proverb)

The past is for God, the future for the Tsars.
(Russian Proverb)

Regretting the past is like chasing after the
wind.(Russian Proverb)

Ah my friends, therein lies a wonderful challenge indeed, to seek out that noble and good. Seek it and you shall find it. Let the past drift away with the water. (Traditional Proverb)

A bad past is no excuse for a bad present. (Traditional Proverb)

For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth, the time of pruning the vines has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land. (Traditional Proverb)

Living in the past has one thing going for it; it's cheaper! (Traditional Proverb)

Patience, money and time bring all things to past. (Traditional Proverb)

Pain in the present is experienced as hurt; pain in the past is remembered as anger. (Traditional Proverb)

Most of your reactions are echoes from the past. You do not really live in the present. (Traditional Proverb)

Two hands upon the breast, and labor is past. (Traditional Proverb)

When you see an old man amiable, mild, equable, content, and good-humored, be sure that in his youth he has been just, generous, and forbearing. In his end he does not lament the past, nor dread the future he is like the evening of a fine day. (Traditional Proverb)

The age of miracles is past.
(Norwegian Proverb)

Pain past is pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Things past cannot be recalled. (Latin Proverb)

Troy is a thing of the past. (Latin Proverb)

The danger past, the saint cheated.
(Italian Proverb)

There is no appeal from time past.
(Italian Proverb)

Live today, forget the past. (Greek Proverb)

Sweet is the memory of past labor.
(Greek Proverb)

The danger past and God forgotten.
(Indian Proverb)

Time past never returns. (Dutch Proverb)

PATIENCE:

Who is insulted for a long time, finally loses his patience. (Swedish Proverb)

At the bottom of patience is Heaven. (Tibetan Proverb)

Patience is the mother of all wisdom. (Welsh Proverb)

Patience, time, and money accommodate all things. (Spanish Proverb)

Secret of patience is to do something else in the meantime. (Spanish Proverb)

Patience attracts happiness; it brings near that which is far. (Swahili Proverb)

Patience is the key to tranquility. (Swahili Proverb)

Patience performe. (Scottish Proverb)

Patience is a remedy for every grief. (Romanian Proverb)

Patience overcomes all things. (Romanian Proverb)

Patience provoked turns to fury.

(Romanian Proverb)

There is a limit to one's patience.

(Romanian Proverb)

One minute of patience can result in ten years of peace.(Italian Proverb)

Patience is a flower that grows not in everyone's garden.(Italian Proverb)

Patience is a plant that does not grow in everyone's garden.(Italian Proverb)

Pains and patience would take a snail to America.(Irish Proverb)

Patience is a virtue that causes no shame.(Irish Proverb)

There is not a tree in Heaven that is higher than the tree of patience.(Irish Proverb)

Patience brings roses.(Hungarian Proverb)

Patience is bitter but its fruits are sweet.

(French Proverb)

Patience is bitter, but the fruit is sweet.

(French Proverb)

Endeavor to bear the ignorance of fortune with patience.(Greek Proverb)

One minute of patience can mean ten years of peace.(Greek Proverb)

Patience makes all hardships light.
(Estonian Proverb)

Patience is a tree whose root is bitter, but its fruit is very sweet.(Canadian Proverb)

One moment of patience may ward off a great disaster; one moment of impatience may ruin a whole life.(Chinese Proverb)

We were silenced by our patience, he entered with his donkey.(Arabic Proverb)

Translation: To run out of patience.
(Arabic Proverb)

The cure for fate is patience.(Arabic Proverb)

Patience is the key of joy; but haste is the key to sorrow.(Arabic Proverb)

If patience is sour then its result is sweet.
(Arabic Proverb)

If meat is expensive then patience is cheap.
(Arabic Proverb)

Patience wears out stones. (Albanian Proverb)

He that can have patience can have what he will. (Albanian Proverb)

Patience over wins a lot of ill. (African Proverb)

A girl's patience can only be recognized by how long she keeps her virginity. (African Proverb)

Patience is bitter, but it has a sweet fruit. (Afghan Proverb)

Mother Nature, time and patience are the three best doctors. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Patience is the mother of a beautiful child. (Bantu Proverb)

No crowd ever waited at the gates of patience. (Arab Proverb)

A moment of patience can prevent a great disaster and a moment of impatience can ruin a whole life. (Chinese Proverb)

If love is a sickness, patience is the remedy. (Cameroonian Proverb)

Patience is power; with time and patience, the mulberry leaf becomes a silk gown. (Chinese Proverb)

Patience in the household is a real treasure.
(Chinese Proverb)

Patience and the mulberry leaf become a silk robe.(Chinese Proverb)

Nature, time and patience are the three great physicians.(Chinese Proverb)

Have patience, the grass will be milk soon enough.(Chinese Proverb)

We must bear our cross with patience, said the man when he took his wife on his back.
(Danish Proverb)

The herb patience does not grow in every man's garden.(Danish Proverb)

Suffering and patience, obedience and application, help the lowly born to honor.
(Danish Proverb)

An ounce of patience is worth a pound of brains.(Dutch Proverb)

A handful of patience is worth more than a bushel of brains.(Dutch Proverb)

Wisdom in the man, patience in the wife, brings peace to the house and a happy life.
(Dutch Proverb)

A lawyer needs three bags: one full of papers, one full of money, and one full of patience.

(French Proverb)

Patience is bitter, but it bears sweet fruit.

(French Proverb)

Patience is a bitter plant but it has a sweet fruit.

(German Proverb)

One minute of patience, ten years of peace.

(Greek Proverb)

For the friendship of two, the patience of one is required.

(Indian Proverb)

He who has no patience, has nothing at all.

(Italian Proverb)

The world is for him who has patience.

(Italian Proverb)

Who has patience may get fat thrushes at a farthing apiece.

(Italian Proverb)

He who endures with patience is a conqueror.

(Latin Proverb)

Take time: much may be gained by patience.

(Latin Proverb)

Acquaintance without patience is like a candle with no light. (Persian Proverb)

There is no queue at the gate of Patience. (Moroccan Proverb)

Nothing is so full of victory as patience. (Malagasy Proverb)

The secret of patience is doing something else in the meantime. (Spanish Proverb)

Patience begins with tears and ends with a smile. (Spanish Proverb)

For what cannot be cured patience is best. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience, money and time bring all things to past. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience when teased is often transformed into rage. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience is lost easiest by those who do not poses it. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience and forbearance make a bishop of his reverence. (Traditional Proverb)

Time and Patience would bring the snail to Jerusalem. (Traditional Proverb)

There is not a tree in heaven higher than the tree of patience. (Traditional Proverb)

With patience, mulberry leaves become satin. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience can break through iron doors. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Whoever plows with a team of donkeys must have patience. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

At the bottom of patience one finds heaven. (West African Proverb)

Patience and grass will become milk. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience can conquer destiny. (Traditional Proverb)

Patience cures many an old complaint. (Traditional Proverb)

There is no bad patience. (Swahili Proverb)

Peace and patience, and death with penitence. (Spanish Proverb)

Patience overtaxed turns to rage.

(Latin Proverb)

Patience!, said the wolf to the ass.

(Italian Proverb)

The salt of patience seasons everything.

(Italian Proverb)

Patience is the most beautiful prayer.

(Indian Proverb)

Patience is poultice for all wounds.

(Irish Proverb)

Patience is often better than medicine.

(German Proverb)

Rhubarb and patience can work wonders.

(German Proverb)

There is no science without patience.

(French Proverb)

Laziness is often mistaken for patience.

(French Proverb)

Patience is the virtue of the donkeys.

(French Proverb)

In prosperity caution, in adversity patience.

(Dutch Proverb)

Patience surpasses learning. (Dutch Proverb)

The cure for bad times is patience.
(Arab Proverb)

Patience is a plaster for all sores.
(Chinese Proverb)

Patience is a virtue. (Chinese Proverb)

Patience is the key to paradise.
(Albanian Proverb)

Patience is beautiful. (Arab Proverb)

PEOPLE:

Some people are like new shoes - the cheaper they are, the louder they squeak.
(Yiddish Proverb)

People who do not mend things first will never produce something. (Zimbabwean Proverb)

Even paradise is no fun without people.
(Syrian Proverb)

The life of the land is the life of the people.
(Tahitian Proverb)

There are no incurable diseases but only incurable people.(Tibetan Proverb)

Rule: Never perform card tricks for the people you play poker with.(Traditional Proverb)

We are people because of other people.
(Tswana Proverb)

Where water flows freely, people live in affluence.(Tuareg Proverb)

A full pistol scares one person, an empty one scares forty people.(Turkish Proverb)

Winnowing is with the wind, wedding is with the people.(Turkish Proverb)

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The quince is for fiances who are fighting and the azarole for good people.(Sicilian Proverb)

He who takes responsibility becomes the target of the people.(Somali Proverb)

People are people through other people.
(South African Proverb)

There is no secret between two people.
(Swahili Proverb)

When you go among one-eyed people, put out
your own eye. (Swahili Proverb)

Where there are many people, there God is.
(Swahili Proverb)

Where there are old people, nothing goes
wrong. (Swahili Proverb)

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Farmers are people too. (Swedish Proverb)

From children old people arise.
(Swedish Proverb)

Where people are promising much to you,
bring a small bag. (Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

Agrigento is a good land with sad people.
(Sicilian Proverb)

God save us from four people: doctors,
notaries, pharmacists, and bad bosses.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you don't like dogs, you don't like people.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want bread go to Agrigento, if you want pasta go to Licata, ask for money from the people in Aci, oil and sumac from the Termini. (Sicilian Proverb)

People with money and friends don't esteem justice. (Sicilian Proverb)

People helping one another can bring an elephant into the house. (Rwandan Proverb)

People sometimes do all the wrong things for all the right reasons. (Romanian Proverb)

Some people may have reasons unknown to you for doing certain things.
(Romanian Proverb)

For some people war is war, for others - dear mother. (Russian Proverb)

Some people are masters of money, and some people are slaves of it. (Russian Proverb)

People helping one another can bring an elephant into the house. (Rwandan Proverb)

Guard your tongue in youth, and in age you may mature a thought that will be of service to your people. (Native American Sioux Proverb)

Speak truth in humility to all people. Only then can you be a true man.
(Native American Sioux Proverb)

A house full of people is filled with different points of view. (New Zealander Proverb)

Patient people are patient to gain longevity.
(Nigerian Proverb)

If I haven't eaten wheat-bread, I've seen it in people's hands. (Persian Proverb)

While father alive to get to know people.
(Mongolian Proverb)

I grew up knowing it's wrong to have more than you need. It means you're not taking care of your people.
(Native American Navajo Proverb)

Those who tell the stories, rule the people.
(Native American Navajo Proverb)

People are like eels in the water, they wander this way and that. (Malagasy Proverb)

People are like plants in the wind: they bow down and rise up again. (Malagasy Proverb)

Ask me what is the greatest thing in the world, I will reply: It is people, it is people, it is people. (Maori Proverb)

Care for the land, Care for the people, Go forward. (Maori Proverb)

If a rich man eats a snake, people call it wisdom; if a poor man does the same thing, people call it derangement. (Lebanese Proverb)

Horses become acquainted by neighing, people by talking. (Khakas Proverb)

Seven people do not wait for one person. (Khakas Proverb)

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People are consumed by evil because of keeping close to it, but not because of keeping away from it. (Kikuyu Proverb)

People count the refusals, do not count the gifts. (Kikuyu Proverb)

People slander somebody even if they do not despise him. (Kikuyu Proverb)

People who have not secret agreement are beaten by a single club. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Rich people sometimes eat bad food. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Ten helpless people were surpassed by a single strong person. (Kikuyu Proverb)

The old people are treasures to us. (Japanese Proverb)

People are like grass in the field: some blossom, some wither. (Jewish Proverb)

Good people are gentle. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Respect old people, and be gentle with children. (Japanese Proverb)

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In a world of blind people, a one-eyed man is king. (Italian Proverb)

Many people can pack the cards; fewer can play the game. (Italian Proverb)

People get the government they deserve. (Italian Proverb)

The poorhouse is full of honest people. (Italian Proverb)

If stars were loaves, many people would sleep out. (Jamaican Proverb)

Three people can keep a secret, if two of them are dead. (Irish Proverb)

People make plans and God laughs. (Israeli Proverb)

People come where people are. (Icelandic Proverb)

Whatever the type of firewood found in a place, it is usually good enough for the people of that place to cook with. (Igbo Proverb)

Different people have different personality. (Indonesian Proverb)

People tend to be attracted to what most benefits them. (Indonesian Proverb)

People with much ado usually don't know shallow. (Indonesian Proverb)

You can close the city gates, but you can't close the people's mouths. It's better to flee and stay alive than to die and become a hero. A timely tear is better than a misplaced smile. (Iranian Proverb)

There is a dialogue between deaf people. (Hungarian Proverb)

Many good people can find room in a small space. (Hungarian Proverb)

The amount of people equals the amount of opinions. (Hungarian Proverb)

People hate what they do not understand. (Hebrew Proverb)

The sleep of the wicked people is a benefit for them and a boon to the world. (Hebrew Proverb)

The voice of the people is like the voice of the almighty. (Hebrew Proverb)

There are all kinds of people in the world: asses and mules, dogs and hogs, and also worms. (Hebrew Proverb)

There is no vice that does not occasionally have some benefit, and no virtue that at times is not hurtful to some people.

(Hebrew Proverb)

We must not appoint a leader over the community without first consulting the people.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Coward people have no homeland.

(Hungarian Proverb)

When you know that people are watching you, there are things that you don't do.

(Haitian Proverb)

Unfolded by the water are faces of the flowers. Flowers thrive where there is water, as thriving people are found where living conditions are good.

(Hawaiian Proverb)

You are a chief because of your people.

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A liar's punishment: even when he tells the truth, people don't believe him.

(Hebrew)

In the shelter of each other, the people live.

(Gaelic Proverb)

People working on the slope of a mountain do not look at the buttocks of one another.

(Ghanaian Proverb)

People with wax heads shouldn't walk in the sun. (English Proverb)

The value of ANYTHING is determined by the agreement of only two people.

(English Proverb)

The mistakes of other people are good teachers. (Estonian Proverb)

Laughter is the shortest distance between two people. (English Proverb)

He, whose house is made out of glass, shouldn't throw stones at people.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Ambition makes people diligent.

(English Proverb)

If everyone's misfortunes were seen by all in broad daylight, in the end people would take back their own. (Corsican Proverb)

People should be mourned at their birth, not at their death. (Corsican Proverb)

To get to know people, you have to eat a full donkey's cargo of salt together.

(Corsican Proverb)

There are two kinds of perfect people: those who are dead, and those who have not been born yet.(Chinese Proverb)

When people are no longer afraid of death, there is no use threatening them with it?

(Chinese Proverb)

A language silenced is a people who die.

(Corsican Proverb)

Where there is no vision, people perish.

(Biblical Proverb)

Do not look where the harvest is plentiful, but where the people are kind.(Bosnian Proverb)

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If The Priest is used to get drunk, the people do not sober at all. (Bulgarian Proverb)

The voluntary obedience of people depends on who is commanding them. (Burmese Proverb)

Cautious, careful people, always casting about to preserve their reputations, can never affect a reform. (Chinese Proverb)

Different flowers look good to different people. (Chinese Proverb)

Dogs are dogs, but cats are people. (Chinese)

If you are planning for a year, sow rice; if you are planning for a decade, plant trees; if you are planning for a lifetime, educate people. (Chinese Proverb)

Paradise without people is not worth living in. (Arabic Proverb)

People are equal like the teeth of a comb. (Arabic Proverb)

People are enemies of that which they don't know. (Arabic Proverb)

Paradise without people is not worth living in. (Arabic Proverb)

A redeemer of people is a walker with people.
(Bantu Proverb)

Literal meaning: The people's lord is their servant. (Arabic Proverb)

Dance, father, people's eyes don't eat, they just stare. (Bantu Proverb)

If the people wanted life, destiny better respond. (Arabic Proverb)

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What the people think cannot be denied.
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When you need to make an important decision, never does it alone, choose the right people. (Basakata Proverb)

The purest people are the ones with good manners. (Arabic Proverb)

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If not for religion, people would've killed each other. (Arabic Proverb)

For smart people, signs can replace words. (Arabic Proverb)

Evil in people does not go away when they get buried. (Arabic Proverb)

Quiet people, whether wise or dull, get the benefit of the doubt.(Albanian Proverb)

A rather sure way to be cheated is to think one's self more clever than other people.
(Albanian Proverb)

Give some people everything you have and they still want the moon.(Albanian Proverb)

Common sense is very uncommon with a lot of people.(Albanian Proverb)

The tongue weighs practically nothing, but so few people can hold it.(African Proverb)

The sun shines on those who are standing before it shines on the people kneeling under them.(African Proverb)

The palm-wine we drink, some people can drink it and remain wise; others lose all their senses.(African Proverb)

The tongue weighs practically nothing, but so few people can hold it.(African Proverb)

A person is a person because of other people.(African Proverb)

An elephant grows and becomes an adult, even if people do not like it.(African Proverb)

Judge not your beauty by the number of people who look at you, but rather by the number of people who smile at you.

(African Proverb)

Almost everyone is mad but some people can control there madness.(African Proverb)

If your vision is for a year plant wheat, if you vision is for a decade plant trees, and if your vision is for a lifetime plant people.

(African Proverb)

If money where to be found up in the trees, most people would be married to monkeys.

(African Proverb)

Quiet people are like still water their deep.

(African Proverb)

A sick way between two people can only be cared for if the two of them die.

(African Proverb)

A ruined people are as miserable as a dog in the house of death.(African Proverb)

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People think that the poor are not as wise as the rich, for if a man be wise, why is he poor?

(African Proverb)

People should not talk while they are eating or pepper may go down the wrong way.

(African Proverb)

If they are offered winged ants, people will eat them.

(African Proverb)

For tomorrow belongs to the people who prepare for it today.

(African Proverb)

The land where the stones know you is worth more than the land where the people know you.

(Berber Proverb)

More people are threatened than are beaten up.

(Basque Proverb)

Whenever I work hard for other people, I always sleep on an empty stomach.

(Bantu Proverb)

The voice of the people is louder than the boom of a canon.

(Armenian Proverb)

An imbecile can manage his own affairs better than a wise man the affairs of other people.

(Arab Proverb)

There are three kinds of people; those that make things happen, those that watch things happen and those who don't know what's happening.

(American Proverb)

The reason some people are stingy is also the reason they are rich.

(American Proverb)

Even ugly faces are worth looking at -- and that is a great comfort for most people.

(Chinese Proverb)

All people are your relatives; therefore expect only trouble from them.

(Chinese Proverb)

People give, but don't be in a hurry to take.

(Cambodian Proverb)

Dogs don't love people; they love the place where they are fed.

(Burundian Proverb)

Locks cannot be made from good iron; soldiers are not made out of good people.

(Chinese Proverb)

People live like birds in the woods: When the time comes, each must take flight.

(Chinese Proverb)

People fool themselves. They pray for a long life but fear old age. (Chinese Proverb)

People die voluntarily when it becomes impossible to live. (Chinese Proverb)

People can be done without but a lot of us need a friend. (Chinese Proverb)

Long or short, a stick is always a stick; tall or short, people are always people. (Chinese Proverb)

Locks cannot be made from good iron; soldiers are not made out of good people. (Chinese Proverb)

It's better for people to wait for rice, than rice for people. (Chinese Proverb)

To learn about other people is science, to learn to know yourself is intelligence. (Chinese Proverb)

When a king makes a mistake, all the people suffer. (Chinese Proverb)

You can mirror something from other people; you can only give out that which is your own. (Chinese Proverb)

He who cannot cut the bread evenly cannot get on well with people. (Czech Proverb)

As long as a language lives, the people will not perish. (Czech Proverb)

You may boast to strangers, but tell the truth to your own people. (Croatian Proverb)

If you make yourself into a doormat, people will wipe their feet on you.
(Native American Creole Proverb)

People must eat, even were every tree a gallows. (Danish Proverb)

More people are slain by supper than by the sword. (Danish Proverb)

God helps three sorts of people: fools, children and drunkards. (French Proverb)

People who do not break things first will never learn to create anything. (Filipino Proverb)

People will ignore their misfortunes and their interests when they are in competition with their pleasures. (French Proverb)

People who have bread to eat do not appreciate the severity of a famine.
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People take more pains to be damned than to be saved. (French Proverb)

People make the bells say what they please. (French Proverb)

People count up the faults of those who keep them waiting. (French Proverb)

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People always make the wolf more formidable than he is. (French Proverb)

Lazy people are always eager to be doing something. (French Proverb)

If the wolf would cease his running, the people would cease their shouting. (German Proverb)

He who serves the people has a bad master. (German Proverb)

He, who builds on the public way, must let the people have their say. (German Proverb)

For a lot of people their conscience lives in the middle of the street. (German Proverb)

Folks say there is a lack of four sorts of people on earth: of priests, else one would not have six or seven benefices; of gentleman, else every boor would not want to be a squire; of whores, else married women and nuns would not carry on the trade; of Jews, else Christians would not practise usury. (German Proverb)

People talk about something until it actually happens. (German Proverb)

People show their character by what they laugh at. (German Proverb)

People often change and seldom for the better. (German Proverb)

Millers and bakers do not steal, people bring to them. (German Proverb)

The eyes believe themselves; the ears believe other people. (German Proverb)

The ruin of a nation begins in the homes of its people. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A lot of people become saints because of their stomach. **(Indian Proverb)**

Where rich people can make honest money, poor people have to steal. **(Gypsy Proverb)**

My first wedding makes me proud in front of people. **(Greek Proverb)**

Quiet people are well able to look after themselves. **(Irish Proverb)**

It is not a secret if it is known by three people. **(Irish Proverb)**

It is in the shelter of each other that the people live. **(Irish Proverb)**

People seek out big shots as flies seek out the elephant's tail. **(Indonesian Proverb)**

When you drink milk under the palm tree, people will say that it is palm wine. **(Indian Proverb)**

Good people, like clouds, receive only to give away. **(Indian Proverb)**

Tie me hand and foot and throw me among my own people. **(Italian Proverb)**

The applause of the people is a blast of air.
(Italian Proverb)

If rich people could hire other people to die for them, the poor could make a wonderful living.
(Jewish Proverb)

If God were living on earth, people would break His windows.(Jewish Proverb)

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Depend on your walking stick, not on other people.(Japanese Proverb)

Who builds upon the people, builds upon sand.(Italian Proverb)

If you want to know what God thinks of money, look at the people he gives it to.
(Jewish Proverb)

It is up to the people to feed the dogs; it's up to the Cardias to feed the Turks.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Some people are electrifying; they light up a room when they leave.(Jewish Proverb)

Have a care how you irritate the wasps.
[Meddle not with waspish people. Attack not a
combined force.](Latin Proverb)

For the king, the laws and the people.
(Latin Proverb)

A house full of people is a house full of
different points of view.
(New Zealander Proverb)

When the king reigns it is thanks to the
people; when a river sings it's thanks to the
stones.(Malagasy Proverb)

The king inherits a country -- the people only
hard work.(Malagasy Proverb)

Sadness is a valuable treasure -- only
discovered in people you love.
(Malagasy Proverb)

Like king, like law; like law, like people.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Make peace with people; wage war with your
sins.(Russian Proverb)

He who serves the Tsar cannot serve his
people.(Russian Proverb)

Three kinds of people die poor: those who divorce, those who incur debts, and those who move around too much. (Senegalese Proverb)

Lovers always think that other people are blind. (Spanish Proverb)

Buy from desperate people, and sell to newlyweds. (Spanish Proverb)

As is the king, so are his people. (Spanish Proverb)

The voice of the people is the voice of God. (Spanish Proverb)

The poor-houses are filled with the honest people. (Spanish Proverb)

People are the architects of their own fortune. (Spanish Proverb)

Age and time do not wait for people. (Traditional Proverb)

A government that fears its people is a government that should be feared. (Traditional Proverb)

An endurance test for some people is the pursuit of happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

Gold is tested by fire, people by God.

(Traditional Proverb)

Don't be over self-confident with your first impressions of people. (Traditional Proverb)

An endurance test for some people is the pursuit of happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

It is only the tree loaded with fruit that the people throw stones at. (Traditional Proverb)

If you wish your merit to be known, acknowledge that of other people.

(Traditional Proverb)

If you want 1 year of prosperity, grow grain. If you want 10 years of prosperity, grow trees. If you want 100 years of prosperity, grow people. (Traditional Proverb)

People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones. (Traditional Proverb)

People who have little to do are excessive talkers. (Traditional Proverb)

People know each other better on a journey. (Traditional Proverb)

People carried away by their own importance seldom have far to walk back. (Traditional)

People bring about their own undoing through their tongues. (Traditional Proverb)

People blame themselves for the purpose of being praised. (Traditional Proverb)

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When planning for a year, plant corn. When planning for a decade, plant trees. When planning for life, train and educate people. (Traditional Proverb)

To cultivate trees, you need 10 years. To cultivate people, you need 100 years. (Traditional Proverb)

The mouth is not sweetened by saying "Honey, honey." So the music, so the people. (Turkish Proverb)

The aspirant who is seeking the Lord must free himself from selfish attachments to people, money, and possessions. When his mind sheds every selfish desire, he becomes free from the duality of pleasure and pain and rules his senses. No more is he capable of ill will no more is he subject to elation, for his senses come to rest in the Self.

(Traditional Proverb)

The army is the poison and the people are the water in which the poison is mixed.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

People say that time goes by; time says that the people go by. (Vietnamese Proverb)

People live with their own idiosyncrasies and die of their own illnesses.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The best leaders of all, the people know not they exist. They turn to each other and say we did it ourselves. (Zen Proverb)

The master of the people is their servant.

(Yemeni Proverb)

People aren't good unless others are made better by them. (Welsh Proverb)

Be honorable yourself if you wish to associate with honorable people. (Welsh Proverb)

Proverbs are the people's wisdom.
(Traditional Proverb)

Some people are born hammers, others anvils.
(Traditional Proverb)

God likes help when helping people.
(Traditional Proverb)

All things are becoming to good people.
(Traditional Proverb)

Bald people can always find a comb.
(Thai Proverb)

All things are becoming too good people.
(Traditional Proverb)

Fate sends almonds to toothless people.
(Spanish Proverb)

People in trouble remember Allah.
(Nigerian Proverb)

For poor people small coin.
(Portuguese Proverb)

People are man's medicine. (Senegalese)

The people rule.(Latin Proverb)

Sick people are like kings.(Malagasy Proverb)

Like priest, like people.(Latin Proverb)

Like prince, like people.(Latin Proverb)

People worry, and God smiles.
(Jewish Proverb)

The poorhouse is filled with honest people.
(Italian Proverb)

Flattery is the best persuader of people.
(Japanese Proverb)

People who are asleep can't fall down.
(Japanese Proverb)

The people make the town.(Greek Proverb)

Bad people don't sing.(Gypsy Proverb)

Agreement with two people, lamentation with three.(Indian Proverb)

Beware of people who dislike cats.
(Irish Proverb)

People live in each other's shelter.(Irish)

Good people live far asunder.

(German Proverb)

Rich people are everywhere at home.

(German Proverb)

People lend only to the rich.(French Proverb)

Reasonable people can differ.(French Proverb)

Scratch people where they itch.

(French Proverb)

Absent people do not inherit.(French Proverb)

Worthless people blame their karma.

(Burmese Proverb)

Sick people have no friends.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

What the people believe is true.

(American Proverb)

Evil people know one another.(Arab Proverb)

PERFECT:

Perfection anywhere is very rare(Yiddish)

A hundred male and a hundred female qualities make a perfect human being.

(Tibetan Proverb)

A man, who seeks a perfect friend, will remain friendless.

(Turkish Proverb)

Perfect love sometimes does not come until the first grandchild.

(Welsh Proverb)

No one is perfect.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Perfect love casteth out fear.

(Romanian Proverb)

Haste is the enemy of perfection.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Speech and action make the perfect conduct.

(Moroccan Proverb)

The Great Spirit is not perfect: it has a good side and a bad side. Sometimes the bad side gives us more knowledge than the good side.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Practice does not make perfect but a perfect practice makes perfect.

(English Proverb)

There are two kinds of perfect people: those who are dead, and those who have not been born yet.

(Chinese Proverb)

One day in perfect health is a lot.

(Arab Proverb)

A diamond with a flaw is better than a common stone that is perfect.

(Chinese Proverb)

There are two kinds of perfect person; one who is dead and the other one is not yet born.

(Chinese Proverb)

A good plan today is better than a perfect plan tomorrow.

(Danish Proverb)

Better to have a diamond with a few small flaws than a rock that is perfect.

(Indian Proverb)

You can convince an ignorant man easily you can convince a wise man more easily. But a man who knows a little and thinks himself to be perfect, not even Brahma can convince.

(Indian Proverb)

Of no worldly good can the joy be perfect, unless it is shared by a friend.

(Latin Proverb)

It is the perfection of art when no trace of the artist appears.

(Latin Proverb)

A woman who has not been twice married cannot know what a perfect marriage is.

(Nigerian Proverb)

A perfect wife is one who doesn't expect a perfect husband.

(Traditional Proverb)

Were I to await perfection, my book would never be finished.

(Traditional Proverb)

Perfect love sometimes does not come till the first grandchild.

(Welsh Proverb)

Nobody's perfect.

(Palestinian Proverb)

Perfect love cannot be without equality.

(Scottish Proverb)

Practice makes perfect.

(Latin Proverb)

A beautiful thing is never perfect.

(Egyptian Proverb)

PERFORMANCE:

Spectators see well than actors.

(Persian Proverb)

There are no small parts, only small actors.

(English Proverb)

Those who have free tickets to the theater
have the most criticism to make.

(Chinese Proverb)

Bed is the poor man's opera.

(Egyptian Proverb)

One acre of performance is worth twenty of the
land of promise. (English Proverb)

What will not performance achieve?

(Latin Proverb)

PERSUASION:

Persuasion is better than force.

(Traditional Proverb)

PHILOSOPHY:

It is not the beard that makes the philosopher.

(English Proverb)

Philosophy means being able to explain why
you are happy when you are poor.

(Albanian Proverb)

If wisdom is measured by the size of the beard
then the goat is a philosopher king
(African Proverb)

Beard and cloak do not make one a
philosopher. (German Proverb)

Keep quiet and people will think you a
philosopher. (Latin Proverb)

Better a healthy donkey than a consumptive
philosopher. (Romanian Proverb)

The farmer is a born philosopher; the
aristocrat has to learn how. (Polish Proverb)

When coins rattle, philosophers are silent.
(Serbian Proverb)

The quoits attract them more than philosophy.
(Latin Proverb)

The beard does not make the philosopher.
(Italian Proverb)

Where philosophy ends medicine begins.
(German Proverb)

Philosophy bakes no bread. (Danish Proverb)

PHYSICS:

Temperance is the best physic.
(Traditional Proverb)

There's no fun in physics, but a good deal of
physics in fun.(Albanian Proverb)

No good doctor ever takes physic.
(Italian Proverb)

The doctor seldom takes physic.
(Italian Proverb)

PLACE:

Don't lie down in low places, flood will take
you, don't lie down in high places, wind will
take you.(Turkish Proverb)

If the place you have arrived at is blind, blink
your eye.(Turkish Proverb)

No smoke will come out from a place where
there is no fire.(Turkish Proverb)

Birds of the same color fly to the same place.
(Welsh Proverb)

They are people of experience who do not sleep at a strange place. (Xhosa Proverb)

A narrow place can contain a thousand friends. (Syrian Proverb)

The place where you are happy is better than the place you were born. (Tshi Proverb)

A chicken won't be grudged to a place a goose will come from. (Turkish Proverb)

Who fails to listen to his elders, will hang his knapsack in the wrong place. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who got up, lost his place, who sat down, found it. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you leave your place, you lose it. (Spanish Proverb)

A bird that imitates others does not get used to a place. (Swahili Proverb)

A good place you don't go to is a good place: if you go too often, it isn't a good place any longer. (Swahili Proverb)

A guinea-fowl not lay eggs on strange places. (Swahili Proverb)

Your own bad place is far better than your companion's place.(Swahili Proverb)

Your own small place is not like a big place of your companion.(Swahili Proverb)

At Caltagirone a hairy conscience and a crown with fifteen places.(Sicilian Proverb)

Cavaliers, priests, and dangerous places, speak nicely about them but keep your distance.(Sicilian Proverb)

If you don't want anyone to take your place, don't ever show that you're frightened.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Pass by the place that was robbed with confidence.(Sicilian Proverb)

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Syracuse is a lovely place, with five bucks you can eat, drink, and get by.(Sicilian Proverb)

Without other people's companionship, even paradise would be an unlikable place.
(Romanian Proverb)

Tommy, please, stay at your own place.
(Polish Proverb)

Like the cat in the tree, getting caught up in the chase can leave us in an awkward place.
(Rosicrucian Proverb)

He who goes out to sea loses his place.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Seat yourself in your place, and they will not make you rise.(Portuguese Proverb)

The one who left, lost his place.
(Portuguese Proverb)

In the place where the tree falleth, there it shall be.(Romanian Proverb)

When water stays at one place, it rots.
(Persian Proverb)

While horse is strong travel to see places.
(Mongolian Proverb)

If you find the residents of a place worshipping a donkey, bring the beast some grass.
(Moroccan Proverb)

Be as familiar with observation as you are with the place you live.(Maasai Proverb)

Never place friendship above profit.
(Klingon Proverb)

Apply fitting ability in the fitting place.
(Japanese Proverb)

Better sit beside him than in his place.
(Irish Proverb)

It's just a wisp in place of a brush.
(Irish Proverb)

Words are sweet, but they never take the place of food.(Ibo Proverb)

Whatever the type of firewood found in a place, it is usually good enough for the people of that place to cook with.(Igbo Proverb)

A man lives long in his native place.
(Irish Proverb)

You try to trade at a deserted place.
(Hungarian Proverb)

In a community, your reputation matters. in a strange place, your clothing counts.
(Hebrew Proverb)

After three days the place of the guest is behind the door outside.(Hungarian Proverb)

Foreign places are nice enough, but home is sweeter.(Finnish Proverb)

Happiness is a place between too little and too much. (Finnish Proverb)

One day is as good as two for the person who does everything in its place. (French Proverb)

The darkest place is under the candlestick. (English Proverb)

High places have their precipices. (English Proverb)

In the place a donkey dies, fur remains. (Corsican Proverb)

While travelling, the load settles in place. (Corsican Proverb)

A goat never grazes in the same place. (Duala Proverb)

Never sit in the place of a man who can say to you, never sit in the place of a man who can say to you, "Rise.". (Arabic Proverb)

Vultures arrive at the place where the goat is slaughtered. (Bajan Proverb)

When 'ithare' is uprooted 'mugumo' grows in its place. (Bajan Proverb)

Everyone has his place: the dead in the cemetery and the living at the table.

(Beninese Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?"

(Arabic Proverb)

Do not stand in a place of danger trusting in miracles.

(Arabic Proverb)

Friends and mules fail us in hard places.

(Albanian Proverb)

A rabbit is never caught twice in the same place.

(Albanian Proverb)

A fool's name is seen in many places.

(Albanian Proverb)

Even when you dig a soft place, you still leave the garden.

(African Proverb)

A person who has not secured a place on the floor should not begin to look for a mat.

(African Proverb)

Don't expect to be offered a chair when you are visiting a place where the chief sits on the floor.

(African Proverb)

A nice place is never yours.(African Proverb)

A goat does not always graze in the same place.(African Proverb)

If you were in a place you take care of it has if it where yours.(African Proverb)

If you dig a hole to bury a person but instead of burying that person you may be the one to be buried in this place.(African Proverb)

Without human companions, paradise itself would be an undesirable place.
(African Proverb)

Not the place where I was born but where I hang my hat is home.(African Proverb)

I won't tie up the mule in a horse's place, says the widow.(Berber Proverb)

A well educated man always has a kind word to say about the place where he spends the night.(Berber Proverb)

Put things into their places, and they will put you into your place.(Arab Proverb)

Never sit in the place of a man who can say to you, "Rise.". (Arab Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?"

(Arab Proverb)

A poor man would like to have some fun, but he cannot find the right place.(Arab Proverb)

Better be kind at home than burn incense in a far place.(Chinese Proverb)

A good breakfast cannot take the place of the evening meal.(Chinese Proverb)

Dogs don't love people; they love the place where they are fed.(Burundian Proverb)

No matter how much the wise man travels, he always lives in the same place.

(Chinese Proverb)

Do not judge your friend until you stand in his place.(Danish Proverb)

It's by following his friends that a crab lost its hiding place.(Native American Creole Proverb)

No one can be caught in places he does not visit.(Danish Proverb)

It has been blowing hard--the dirt has been blown into high places.(Danish Proverb)

Money isn't everything, but it's way ahead of whatever is in second place.(Dutch Proverb)

A miser's money takes the place of wisdom.
(Dutch Proverb)

A place for everything and everything in its place.(English Proverb)

Lightning never strikes twice in the same place.(English Proverb)

To leave a place is to die a little.
(French Proverb)

One day is as good as two for him who does everything in its place.(French Proverb)

One always knocks oneself in the sore place.
(French Proverb)

You cackle in our place but you lay your eggs at someone else's place.(Georgian Proverb)

In a place without dogs they teach the cats to bark.(Georgian Proverb)

You always knock yourself on the tenderest places.(French Proverb)

If you want a well, only dig in one place.
(Korean Proverb)

Words are the leaves of the tree of language, of which, if some fall away, a new succession takes their place.(French Proverb)

Don't expect to be offered a chair when you visit a place where the chief himself sits on the floor.(Ghanaian Proverb)

At a round table there is no dispute about place.(Italian Proverb)

Don't settle in a place where the doctor has gout.(Jewish Proverb)

Do not judge your fellow man until you have stood in his place.(Jewish Proverb)

A man is not old until his regrets take the place of his dreams.(Jewish Proverb)

A change of name or place may sometimes save a person.(Jewish Proverb)

The place honors not the man; it is the man who honors the place.(Jewish Proverb)

Fear not a jest. If one throws salt at you, you will not be harmed unless you have sore places.(Latin Proverb)

It is thou must honor the place, not the place thee.(Latin Proverb)

My bark, once struck by the fury of the storm,
dreads again to approach the place of danger.
(Latin Proverb)

In the great sea fish is always to be caught.
[There is a greater chance for enterprise in a
large place.](Latin Proverb)

I am in a place where three ways meet.
(Latin Proverb)

I am in a fix. [In a place where three ways
meet.](Latin Proverb)

When an observation by joke is true, it is out
of place and ill-natured.(Latin Proverb)

Safely housed to listen to the storm outside.
[To contemplate danger from a safe place.]
(Latin Proverb)

Promises must not fill the place of gifts.
(Latin Proverb)

A traveler to distant places should make no
enemies.(Nigerian Proverb)

Malta would be a nice place, if every Knight
were a tree.(Maltese Proverb)

Don't dirty the place where you have eaten.
(Malawian Proverb)

The ox that tossed me threw me into a good place.(Portuguese Proverb)

Better a dove on the plate than a wood grouse in the mating place.(Russian Proverb)

The quail waits for the stick; the idle loiterer about a place waits for a kick from an old boot.(South African Proverb)

Long whiskers cannot take the place of brains.(Russian Proverb)

If the family is together, the soul is in the right place.(Russian Proverb)

The ox that butted me tossed me into a good place.(Spanish Proverb)

A dog knows the places he is thrown food.
(Traditional Proverb)

Be sure that you put your feet in the right place, and then stand firm.
(Traditional Proverb)

As cold waters to a thirsty soul, so is good news from a far place.(Traditional Proverb)

If his heart rules him, his conscience will soon take the place of the rod.(Traditional Proverb)

Caught between a rock and a hard place.

(Traditional Proverb)

Before the world finds a place for you, find a place for yourself in the world.

(Traditional Proverb)

One should not stand at the foot of a sick person's bed, because that place is reserved for the guardian angel. (Traditional Proverb)

Laughter is brightest, in the place where the food is. (Traditional Proverb)

This world is a harsh place, this world.

(Zulu Proverb)

No snowflake ever falls in the wrong place.

(Zen Proverb)

If you wish to know what a man is, place him in authority. (Yugoslavian Proverb)

Birds of a color fly to the same place.

(Welsh Proverb)

Between a rock and a hard place.

(Traditional Proverb)

Don't cough in a hiding place.

(Sudanese Proverb)

Once deep pools, now a crossing place.

(Palestinian Proverb)

A woman's place is in the home.

(Italian Proverb)

At table bashfulness is out of place.

(Italian Proverb)

Places are God's; placemen are the devil's.

(German Proverb)

His money takes the place of wisdom.

(Dutch Proverb)

PLANNING:

Man makes plans, and God laughs.

(Yiddish Proverb)

To have security, plan ahead.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who waits hoping in plans and dreams, loses time, and collects flies and troubles.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Plan your life as though you were going to live forever, but live today as if you were going to die tomorrow. (Russian Proverb)

Plans fail for lack of counsel but with many advisors, succeed. (Moroccan Proverb)

If you want to give God a good laugh, tell him of your future plans. (Namibian Proverb)

Man plans, God decides. (Hungarian Proverb)

If you plan for a year, plant kalo. If you plan for ten years, plant koa. If you plan for one-hundred years, teach the children. (Hawaiian Proverb)

A little impatience spoils great plans. (Chinese Proverb)

Human thinks and God plans. (Arabic Proverb)

If you fail to plan, you plan to fail. (African Proverb)

The camel and his driver -- each has his own plan. (African Proverb)

If you don't have a plan for yourself, you'll be part of someone else's. (American Proverb)

Let the sword decide only after the plan has failed. (Arab Proverb)

Plan your year in the spring, your day at dawn. (Chinese Proverb)

Man has a thousand plans, heaven but one. (Chinese Proverb)

Last night I made a thousand plans, but this morning I went my old way. (Chinese Proverb)

He, who fails to plan, plans to fail. (Italian Proverb)

Any plan is bad that cannot be changed. (Italian Proverb)

Plan your life at New Year's Eve, your day at dawn. (Japanese Proverb)

If you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans. (Spanish Proverb)

Advice would be more acceptable if it didn't always conflict with our plans. (Traditional Proverb)

Need teaches a plan. (Irish Proverb)

Coincidence defeats a well-laid plan. (Filipino Proverb)

A thousand workers, a thousand plans. (Chinese Proverb)

Failing to plan is planning to fail.

(Chinese Proverb)

PLEASURE:

Visits always give pleasure; if not the arrival, the departure. (Traditional Proverb)

Seriousness and pleasure should thrive together. (Swedish Proverb)

In war, hunting, and love you suffer a thousand pains for one pleasure.

(Sicilian Proverb)

One who is never satisfied is always in need.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Choose her for her beauty and even choose her without a dowry because from her beauty you'll get pleasure. (Sicilian Proverb)

No pleasure without repentance.

(Romanian Proverb)

Short pleasure, long pain. (Romanian Proverb)

Stolen pleasures are sweet.

(Romanian Proverb)

The vine brings forth three grapes: the first of pleasure, the second of drunkenness, the third of sorrow. (Romanian Proverb)

After pleasure comes pain.
(Romanian Proverb)

To the dead, internment and, to the living, enjoyment orto the dead, the grave and, to the living, chicken. (Mexican Proverb)

It is always a pleasure to greet a friend from afar. (Namibian Proverb)

Our pleasures are shallow, our sorrows are deep. (Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

Pleasure is nonessential. (Klingon Proverb)

Let him who has enough be satisfied.
(Icelandic Proverb)

Pleasures shorten tedious nights.
(English Proverb)

Who is made to slave should do it with pleasure. (Estonian Proverb)

When the mouse is satisfied, the flour is bitter. (Faroese Proverb)

Who does not eat till he is full, won't lick himself satisfied. (Faroese Proverb)

Business first, pleasure after.
(English Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine.
(Chinese Proverb)

Man's heart is never satisfied; the snake would swallow the elephant. (Chinese Proverb)

The rich is never satisfied. (Bayombe Proverb)

Eat at pleasure; drink by measure.
(Albanian Proverb)

Diseases are the tax on pleasures.
(Albanian Proverb)

The man who counts the bits of food he swallows is never satisfied. (African Proverb)

Not all the baboons that enter a maize field come out satisfied. (African Proverb)

The human heart is never satisfied, just like the snake that wants to swallow an elephant.
(Chinese Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine.
Pleasure for one year a marriage; but pleasure
for a lifetime, a garden. (Chinese Proverb)

A hawk kills because it is his nature; a man
because it is his pleasure. (Darkovan Proverb)

Eat bread at pleasure, drink wine by
measure. (French Proverb)

People will ignore their misfortunes and their
interests when they are in competition with
their pleasures. (French Proverb)

He that would go to sea for pleasure would go
to hell for a pastime. (French Proverb)

Pigeons are taken when crows fly at
pleasure. (German Proverb)

Many children, and little bread, are a painful
pleasure. (German Proverb)

With great pleasure, says the boor, when he
must. (German Proverb)

Take a young woman for the pleasure of
possessing her until she is old.
(Greek Proverb)

But mortal bliss will never come sincere
Pleasure may lead, but grief blow brings up
the rear. (Greek Proverb)

If you are up to your knees in pleasure, then
you are up to your waist in grief.
(Indian Proverb)

He who allows his day to pass by without
practicing generosity and enjoying life's
pleasures is like a blacksmith's bellows: he
breathes but does not live. (Indian Proverb)

Bygone troubles are a pleasure to talk about.
(Jewish Proverb)

The taste of cold water after drinking is a
pleasure that the teetotaler will never know.
(Japanese Proverb)

A good thing is esteemed more in its absence
than in its enjoyment. (Latin Proverb)

Even the fountains thirst. [Avarice is never
satisfied.] (Latin Proverb)

We learn the value of things more in their loss
than in their enjoyment. (Latin Proverb)

We can enjoy nothing without someone to
share the pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Life is like perpetual drunkenness, the pleasure passes but the headache remains.

(Persian Proverb)

Forgiveness hides a pleasure that you can't get back from revenge.

(Persian Proverb)

If you want to know secrets, seek for them in trouble or in pleasure.

(Spanish Proverb)

An hour of pain is as long as a day of pleasure.

(Traditional Proverb)

Short lived pleasure is the parent of pain.

(Traditional Proverb)

The aspirant who is seeking the Lord must free himself from selfish attachments to people, money, and possessions. When his mind sheds every selfish desire, he becomes free from the duality of pleasure and pain and rules his senses. No more is he capable of ill will no more is he subject to elation, for his senses come to rest in the Self.

(Traditional Proverb)

Since you can't copy our pleasures, you begrudge them.

(Traditional Proverb)

Giving just a crumb to the hungry is worth more than giving lunch to the satisfied.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

A hungry wolf is stronger than a satisfied dog. (Ukranian Proverb)

No pleasure without pain. (Traditional Proverb)

Quarrels enhance the pleasures of love. (Latin Proverb)

Sorrow dwells on the confines of pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Sorrow follows pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

The labor is in itself a pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

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Nights of pleasure are short. (Lebanese Proverb)

A glutton is never satisfied. (Namibian Proverb)

Pain mingles with pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Pain past is pleasure. (Latin Proverb)

Pleasure and pain succeed each other.
(Latin Proverb)

Don't make toil of pleasure.(Jewish Proverb)

Pleasure is the greatest incentive to vice.
(Greek Proverb)

Pleasures are transient -- honors immortal.
(Greek Proverb)

I being satisfied, the world is satisfied.
(Italian Proverb)

Business before pleasure.(German Proverb)

From short pleasure long repentance.
(French Proverb)

He is rich that is satisfied.(French Proverb)

He is rich who is satisfied.(French Proverb)

One pleasure, a thousand pains.
(French Proverb)

Possession is the grave of pleasure.
(French Proverb)

Avarice is never satisfied.(French Proverb)

Eat with pleasure; drink with measure.

(French Proverb)

Pleasures steal away the mind.

(Dutch Proverb)

Pleasures, while they flatter, sting.

(Dutch Proverb)

Diseases are the interest of pleasures.

(English Proverb)

Pleasures are shallow, sorrows deep.

(Chinese Proverb)

POETRY:

A friend is like a poem.(Persian Proverb)

The dog may be wonderful prose, but only the cat is poetry.(French Proverb)

Three things that can't be taught: generosity, poetry and a singing voice.(Irish Proverb)

Poems written upon awakening at dawn or about the dawn are called aubades.

(Traditional Proverb)

A friend is a poem.(Persian Proverb)

A picture is a poem wanting words.
(Latin Proverb)

Poetry moves heaven and earth.
(Japanese Proverb)

POET:

Painters and Poets may have leave to lie.
(Scottish Proverb)

Of doctor and poet, musician and madman,
we each have a trace.(Mexican Proverb)

When you are very angry, don't go to a lawyer;
when you are very hungry, don't be a poet.
(Chinese Proverb)

It is not good to be the poet of a village.
(German Proverb)

Poets know all about famous places without
having been there.(Japanese Proverb)

The tongue of a poet is always the last to be
corrupted.(Traditional Proverb)

A poet is born not made.(Traditional Proverb)

Poverty makes thieves, like love makes poets.
(Indian Proverb)

Singers, lovers, and poets are privileged liars.
(German Proverb)

Poets are born, not made. (American Proverb)

POKER PLAYING:

The shovel insults the poker.
(Russian Proverb)

The shovel scouts the poker. (French Proverb)

POLITENESS:

Punctuality is the politeness of kings.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Pluck not a courtesy in the bud.
(English Proverb)

He that asketh a courtesy promiseth a kindness. (English Proverb)

Full of courtesy, full of cunning. (Chinese)

Politeness is not sold in the bazaar.

(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Too much courtesy, too much craft.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy on one side only never lasts for long.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy is the password to safety.

(Albanian Proverb)

Courtesy is appropriate for gentlemen and necessary for thieves.

(Albanian Proverb)

Be cautious but polite.

(Albanian Proverb)

When your neighbor walks through your orchard, the polite thing to do is to ignore it.

(Chinese Proverb)

Courtesy that is all on one side cannot last long.

(French Proverb)

When you are polite, the others think they are wearing flowers.

(Japanese Proverb)

Less of your courtesy, and more of your purse.

(Latin Proverb)

Courtesy on one side can never last long.

(Persian Proverb)

To serve our elders is a duty, our equals it is polite, but serving the young is humiliating.

(Serbian Proverb)

Nothing is nobler than politeness, and nothing more ridiculous than ceremony.

(Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers.

(Traditional Proverb)

Full of courtesy, full of craft.

(Latin Proverb)

Too much politeness is impertinent.

(Japanese Proverb)

An excess of courtesy is discourtesy.

(Japanese Proverb)

Politeness is what warmth is to wax.

(German Proverb)

Politeness travels on short fares.

(German Proverb)

Punctuality is the politeness of princes.

(French Proverb)

Learn politeness from the impolite.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Courtesy never offended anybody.

(Chinese Proverb)

Politeness wins the confidence of princes.

(Chinese Proverb)

Too much politeness conceals deceit.

(Chinese Proverb)

Polite words open iron gates.

(Croatian Proverb)

Politeness pleases even a cat.

(Czech Proverb)

If you have no money, be polite.

(Danish Proverb)

POLITICS:

Those who do not do politics will be done in by politics. (French Proverb)

A three inch tongue -- the iron bulwark of politics. (Japanese Proverb)

Politics is a rotten egg if broken, it stinks.

(Traditional Proverb)

Politics makes strange bedfellows.

(Chinese Proverb)

POSSESSION:

Possession is worth an ill chartour.

(Scottish Proverb)

Good grape becomes fox's possession.

(Persian Proverb)

Possession is nine tenths of the law.

(French Proverb)

A greedy man's possession is eaten by a pirate.

(Corsican Proverb)

Possession is nine-tenths of the game.

(Albanian Proverb)

Knowledge conquered by labor becomes a possession.

(Albanian Proverb)

Man's only real possession is his character.

(Albanian Proverb)

I will not change a cottage in possession for a kingdom in reversion.

(German Proverb)

A good hope is better than a bad possession.
(Spanish Proverb)

Better a good hope than a bad possession.
(Spanish Proverb)

Possession and good right, with lance in hand.(Spanish Proverb)

The only active force that arises out of possession is fear of losing the object of possession.(Traditional Proverb)

Possession satisfies.(Traditional Proverb)

The house completed, possession defeated.
(Italian Proverb)

Possession is as good as a title.
(French Proverb)

Possession is nine points of the law.
(French Proverb)

Possession is the grave of pleasure.
(French Proverb)

POTENTIAL:

After your daughter is married, there come a number of potential sons-in-law.

(Russian Proverb)

Beauty is potent, but money is omnipotent.

(Dutch Proverb)

POVERTY:

There's no insurance against death and poverty.

(Yiddish Proverb)

Poverty is a shirt of fire.

(Turkish Proverb)

When there is poverty, loyalty is suspect.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Youth spent freely, old age spent in poverty.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Poverty breeds discontent.

(Spanish Proverb)

Poverty and love are difficult to hide.

(Swedish Proverb)

Poverty parts good company, and is an enemy to virtue.

(Scottish Proverb)

Don't have anything to do with the cavalier who has fallen into poverty. (Sicilian Proverb)

Poverty is no sin. (Romanian Proverb)

Poverty is the mother of all arts.
(Romanian Proverb)

Poverty is crafty. (Russian Proverb)

A fat kitchen is near to poverty.
(Romanian Proverb)

Idleness is the key of poverty.
(Romanian Proverb)

Poverty is a noose that strangles humility and breeds disrespect for God and man.
(Native American Sioux Proverb)

Where there is abundance, there is poverty.
(Palestinian Proverb)

Love looks through spectacles that make copper look like gold, poverty like riches, and tears like pearls. (Peruvian Proverb)

Foolish spending is a father of poverty.
(Manx Proverb)

There is no honor in poverty. (Klingon Proverb)
A long lawsuit breeds poverty.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

Riches and poverty do not leave each other.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

Poverty is no sin, but terribly inconvenient.

(Japanese Proverb)

Pride breakfasted with plenty, dined with poverty, and supped with infamy.

(Italian Proverb)

Comfort is not known if poverty does not come before it.(Irish Proverb)

Poverty creates sadness.(Irish Proverb)

Poverty is no shame.(Irish Proverb)

Shame is ever a part of poverty.(Irish Proverb)

He issues a certificate of poverty of himself.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Poverty is no disgrace, but neither do you have to take pride in it.(Hebrew Proverb)

Poverty is no joy, although it sometimes makes you laugh.(Finnish Proverb)

You can disguise wealth but you can't hide poverty. (Finnish Proverb)

Bear wealth, poverty will bear itself.
(French Proverb)

Poverty is an enemy to good manners.
(English Proverb)

Poverty is no vice, but an inconvenience.
(English Proverb)

Poverty wants many things, and avarice all.
(English Proverb)

Bashfulness is an enemy to poverty.
(English Proverb)

Misery and poverty are two sisters; discord is their first cousin. (Corsican Proverb)

Share riches and poverty returns.
(Corsican Proverb)

The endless saver always lives in poverty.
(Danish Proverb)

Life has always been a mixture of joy and pain, wealth and poverty. (Dominican Proverb)

Poverty does not destroy virtue nor wealth bestow it. (Colombian Proverb)

Nobody cares about other people's poverty. (Bajan Proverb)

Blacksmiths and woodworkers will never suffer from poverty. (Beninese Proverb)

Poverty with security is better than plenty in the midst of fear and uncertainty. (Albanian Proverb)

Handsome poverty is no disgrace. (Albanian Proverb)

Debt is the worst kind of poverty. (Albanian Proverb)

Where there is no wealth there is no poverty. (African Proverb)

Poverty is not a crime, but it's better not to show it. (Brazilian Proverb)

A dog won't forsake his master because of poverty; a son never deserts his mother because of her homely appearance. (Chinese Proverb)

When industry goes out of the door, poverty comes in at the window. (Dutch Proverb)

When hard work goes out of the door, poverty comes in at the window. (Dutch Proverb)

Poverty is not a shame, but the being ashamed of it is. (English Proverb)

Nothing to be got without pains but poverty. (French Proverb)

Poverty is cunning; it catches even a fox. (German Proverb)

Old age and poverty are wounds that can't be healed. (Greek Proverb)

A fat kitchen is next door to poverty. (Italian Proverb)

The worst kind of poverty is to have many debts. (Indian Proverb)

An advantage of poverty, your relatives gain nothing by your death. (Jewish Proverb)

The doctor has a remedy for everything but poverty. (Jewish Proverb)

Pride that dined with vanity supped with poverty. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Poverty runs after the poor, wealth after the rich. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Poverty is a wonderful thing. It sticks to a man after all his friends have forsaken him. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Honesty with poverty is better than ill-gotten wealth. **(Latin Proverb)**

Wealth is protected and poverty is assisted by concord. **(Latin Proverb)**

Talent and poverty, wealth and stupidity generally dwell together. **(Latin Proverb)**

Poverty shows us who are our friends and who our enemies. **(Latin Proverb)**

Poverty is no disgrace, but it's a great inconvenience. **(Latin Proverb)**

Poverty won't allow him to lift up his head; dignity won't allow him to bow it down. **(Malagasy Proverb)**

It befits the king to be liberal, for he is sure of never falling into poverty. **(Portuguese Proverb)**

Poverty is not a sin, it's worse than that.

(Russian Proverb)

Poverty is a sin that the rich never forgive.

(Russian Proverb)

The drunkard and the glutton come to poverty, and drowsiness clothes a man with rags.(Spanish Proverb)

Poverty is no sin, but it is a branch of roguery.

(Spanish Proverb)

Poverty is even worse if you have to sleep on the edge of a crowded bed.(Spanish Proverb)

Peace begets prosperity; Prosperity begets pride; Pride begets prejudice; Prejudice begets war; War begets poverty.(Traditional Proverb)

In wealth, many friends in poverty, not even relatives.(Traditional Proverb)

Work is the medicine for poverty.

(Yoruban Proverb)

Poverty has no greater foe than bashfulness.

(Traditional Proverb)

Sloth is the key to poverty.

(Traditional Proverb)

Sloth is the mother of poverty.

(Spanish Proverb)

Poverty is not a crime.(Spanish Proverb)

Lending is the firstborn of poverty.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Poverty never sped well in love.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Poverty parteth friends.(Portuguese Proverb)

Poverty is an older daughter of laziness.

(Senegalese Proverb)

Poverty is slavery.(Somali Proverb)

Poverty is death in another form.

(Latin Proverb)

Poverty makes a man mean.(Latin Proverb)

Poverty trieth friends.(Latin Proverb)

To have nothing is not poverty.

(Latin Proverb)

True poverty does not come from God.

(Jewish Proverb)

Poverty has no kin.(Italian Proverb)

Painless poverty is better than embittered wealth.(Greek Proverb)

Large desire is endless poverty.
(Indian Proverb)

Poverty destroys all virtues.(Indian Proverb)

Poverty makes thieves, like love makes poets.
(Indian Proverb)

Poverty parts good company.(Irish Proverb)

Everyone wipes his feet on poverty.
(German Proverb)

Idleness has poverty for wages.
(German Proverb)

Poverty and hunger have many learned disciples.(German Proverb)

Poverty craves many things, but avarice more.
(German Proverb)

Poverty is the sixth sense.(German Proverb)

Riches cause arrogance; poverty, meekness.
(German Proverb)

Honest poverty is thinly sown.(French Proverb)

Poverty is a sort of leprosy.(French Proverb)

Poverty is not a vice.(French Proverb)

Poverty is the reward of idleness.
(Dutch Proverb)

Shame lasts longer than poverty.
(Dutch Proverb)

Poverty and ugliness are difficult to hide.
(Chinese Proverb)

He who sows money, will reap poverty.
(Danish Proverb)

Love and poverty are hard to conceal.
(Danish Proverb)

Riches breed care, poverty is safe.
(Danish Proverb)

Poverty without debt is real wealth.
(African Proverb)

POWER:

Fear does not empty tomorrow of its sadness;
it empties today of its power. (Turkish Proverb)

The favor of a man in power is like a summer
shower. (Uruguayan Proverb)

Keep learning because knowledge is the key to
power. (Polish Proverb)

Man has responsibility, not power.
(Native American Tuscarora Proverb)

A man's life is a circle from childhood to
childhood, and thus it is in everything where
the power moves.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Everything the power does, it does in a circle.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Fear is power. (Klingon Proverb)

Great men do not seek power; it thrust upon
them. (Klingon Proverb)

Mercy or power. (Klingon Proverb)

Real power is in the heart. (Klingon Proverb)

Don't demand your rights until you have the
power. (Irish Proverb)

The responsibility of power is like holding an egg. Grasp it too tightly and it will drip through your fingers; hold it too loosely and it will drop and break.(Ghanaian Proverb)

Power attracts the corruptible.
(English Proverb)

Power corrupts; absolute power corrupts absolutely.(English Proverb)

Knowledge is power.(English Proverb)

Honorable is the person who is aware of his power, yet refrains from inflicting bad things onto others.(Egyptian Proverb)

Virtue is power.(Bajan Proverb)

Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in the power of your hand to do so.(Biblical Proverb)

Unity is power.(Arabic Proverb)

If power is for sale, sell your mother to buy it.
(Arabic Proverb)

Never underestimate the power of stupid people in large groups.(African Proverb)

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Only when a new government comes to power do you learn to appreciate the values of the old one. (Burmese Proverb)

Patience is power; with time and patience, the mulberry leaf becomes a silk gown. (Chinese Proverb)

Over a distance of a thousand miles only humanity works, not power. (Chinese Proverb)

No one so hard upon the poor as the pauper who has got into power. (Danish Proverb)

None are haughtier than a common place person raised to power. (French Proverb)

No lock will hold against the power of gold. (French Proverb)

Who wifes for a dower, resigns his own power. (French Proverb)
Kindred without friends, friends without power, power without will, will without effect,

effect without profit, profit without virtue, is not worth a rush. (French Proverb)

Give up the smallest part of a secret, and the rest is no longer in your power.

(German Proverb)

If power can be bought then sell your mother to get it. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Poor in my youth, and in life's later scenes -
Rich to no end, I curse my natal hour, who
naught enjoyed while young, denied the
means And naught when old enjoyed, denied
the power. (Greek Proverb)

The woman who gives is seldom good; the
woman who accepts is in the power of the
giver. (Italian Proverb)

Power lasts ten years; influence not more than
a hundred. (Korean Proverb)

Lust of power is the strongest of all passions.
(Latin Proverb)

There grows not the herb, which can protect
against the power of death. (Latin Proverb)

The diseases of the mind are either caused or
cured by the power of music. (Latin Proverb)

Power acquired by guilt was never used for a good purpose.(Latin Proverb)

He who strives to do, does more than he who has the power.(Spanish Proverb)

At the base of a monument of a falcon protecting its young at the Air Force Academy. Man's flight through life is sustained by the power of his knowledge.(Traditional Proverb)

Memory is the power to gather roses in winter.(Traditional Proverb)

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PRAYER:

Who has no intention to pray has no ears for the call to prayer. (Turkish Proverb)

Not all who fold their hands are praying.
(Swedish Proverb)

A one-eyed person does not thank god until he meets a blind person at prayer.
(Nigerian Proverb)

The spider that knows what it will gain sits waiting patiently in its web. The praying mantis is never tired waiting all day.
(Nigerian Proverb)

A rocky vineyard does not need a prayer, but a pick ax. (Native American Navajo Proverb)

A hungry stomach makes a short prayer.
(Native American Paiute Proverb)

Better the gurgling of a camel than the prayers of a fish. (Moroccan Proverb)

If the prayers of dogs were answered, bones would rain from the sky. (Moroccan Proverb)

Prayer from de mout' alone is no prayer. (Jamaican Proverb)

The soul is retained in it only by the prayer. (Hungarian Proverb)

A drunkard at prayer is regarded as an idol worshipper. (Hebrew Proverb)

Prayer knocks till the door opens. (English Proverb)

Prayer is the pillow of religion. (Arabic Proverb)

Prayer is food for the soul. (Albanian Proverb)

Prayer is a wish turned upward. (Albanian Proverb)

Courage is fear that has said its prayers. (Albanian Proverb)

God isn't in need of our prayers. (Afghan Proverb)

Even in the tiniest little chapel there are some prayers said once a year. (Czech Proverb)

Pray as though no work could help, and work as though no prayer could help.
(German Proverb)

The fewer the words, the better the prayer.
(German Proverb)

Twenty years a child; twenty years running wild; twenty years a mature man --and after that, praying. (Irish Proverb)

Prayer only from the mouth is no prayer.
(Jamaican Proverb)

You don't go into a tavern to say your prayers. (Romanian Proverb)

Spinner, spin softly, you disturb me; I am praying. (Portuguese Proverb)

One sin is too much, a hundred prayers are not enough. (Persian Proverb)

A good deed is the best form of prayer.
(Serbian Proverb)

He knows it as well as his Lord's Prayer.
(Spanish Proverb)

From a praying young man, and a fasting old man, God preserve my cloak.

(Spanish Proverb)

If a dog's prayers were answered, bones would rain from the sky.(Traditional Proverb)

One hour in the execution of justice is worth seventy years of prayer.(Traditional Proverb)

If your day is hemmed with prayer, it is less likely to unravel.(Traditional Proverb)

When in prayer you clasp your hands, God opens His.(Traditional Proverb)

One hour of justice is worth seventy hours of prayer.(Turkish Proverb)

Don't say amen to an unacceptable prayer.(Turkish Proverb)

Short prayers reach heaven.(Traditional Proverb)

Far from grave, no praying.(Palestinian Proverb)

Praying kneads no dough.(Russian Proverb)

Prayer and practice is good rhyme.

(Scottish Proverb)

Good deeds are the best prayer.

(Serbian Proverb)

Prayers go up and blessings come down.

(Jewish Proverb)

Single prayer moves heaven.

(Japanese Proverb)

Patience is the most beautiful prayer.

(Indian Proverb)

Use medicine as well as prayers.

(Indian Proverb)

Everything is formed by habit, even praying.

(Egyptian Proverb)

PREGNANCY:

Pregnancy could not be covered with the hand.

(African Proverb)

Pregnancy and fire cannot be kept secret.

(Rwandan Proverb)

PREJUDICE:

Whose interest was it? To whose prejudice was it? (Latin Proverb)

Opinions founded on prejudice are always sustained with the greatest violence.

(Jewish Proverb)

Whose interest was it? To whose prejudice was it? [Who might expect to derive benefit, or injury, from a crime committed?]

(Latin Proverb)

The strictness of the teacher is better to bear than the prejudice of the father.

(Persian Proverb)

PRESENT:

Never advise anyone to go to war or to get married. Write down the advice of him who loves you, though you like it not at present. He that has no children brings them up well.

(Spanish Proverb)

Youths look at the future, the elderly at the past, our ancestors live in the present.

(Nilotic Proverb)

One speaks badly of the absent but fears the present. (Lula Proverb)

Children yoke parents to the past, present and future. (Japanese Proverb)

A person worries about the past, distresses about the present, and fears the future. (Jewish Proverb)

He who praises the past blames the present. (Finnish Proverb)

Affairs sleep soundly when fortune is present. (Greek Proverb)

A person worries about the past, is upset about the present, and fears the future. (Hebrew Proverb)

Sorrow remembered sweetens present joy. (English Proverb)

No time to waste like the present. (English Proverb)

Present Buddha with borrowed flowers. (Chinese Proverb)

The cow has a bad delivery though her owner is present. (Bajan Proverb)

The cow is given a present when her calf is carried away. (Bajan Proverb)

He who has no future loses his grip on the present. (Albanian Proverb)

Don't mortgage the future for the present. (Albanian Proverb)

When your friend gives your wife an expensive present, it's time to get suspicious. (African Proverb)

A spiritual leader is able to see the past, present and the future. (African Proverb)

A sponge to wipe away the past; a rose to sweeten the present; a kiss to greet the future. (Arab Proverb)

Present to the eye, present to the mind. (Chinese Proverb)

Men see only the present; heaven sees the future. (Chinese Proverb)

He who killeth the lion when absent feareth a mouse when present. (English Proverb)

The golden age never was the present age. (English Proverb)

Absent, none without blame; present, none without excuse. (French Proverb)

Write down the advice of him who loves you, though you like it not at present. (English Proverb)

I give a present to the mother but I think of the daughter. (German Proverb)

A gift with a kind countenance is a double present. (Italian Proverb)

Women do not drink liquor, but it disappears when they are present. (Irish Proverb)

The past is the future of the present. (Japanese Proverb)

He who gives a monkey as a present doesn't keep hold of its tail. (Ivorian Proverb)

Who takes a lion at a distance fears a mole present. (Italian Proverb)

When a bald man dies the mourners give him curly hair as a present. (Kurdish Proverb)

God will be present, whether asked or not. (Latin Proverb)

Examine the past, examine the present, and
examine the future. (Latin Proverb)

We judge of the present from the past.
(Latin Proverb)

The crow is a pretty bird when the jackdaw is
not present. (Latin Proverb)

Women are supernumerary when present, and
missed when absent. (Portuguese Proverb)

A bad past is no excuse for a bad present.
(Traditional Proverb)

Pain in the present is experienced as hurt,
pain in the past is remembered as anger.
(Traditional Proverb)

Most of your reactions are echoes from the
past. You do not really live in the present.
(Traditional Proverb)

There's no time like the present.
(Traditional Proverb)

The worst ache is the present ache.
(Lebanese Proverb)

Ever receive a present with approbation.
(Latin Proverb)

No time like the present. (English Proverb)

PRIDE:

Comfort is better than pride.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

Pitch and tar are the navy seaman's pride.
(Swedish Proverb)

Honesty is na pride. (Scottish Proverb)

Pride and sweirnesse would have meikle
upholding. (Scottish Proverb)

Plenty brings pride. (Romanian Proverb)

Pride goes before, and shame follows.
(Romanian Proverb)

Never say no due to pride, or yes due to
weakness. (Puerto Rican Proverb)

If a man is not clean and smooth, there is
nothing he can really do about pride.
(Nigerian Proverb)

If haply a fool should find for himself wealth or
a woman's love, pride waxes in him but

wisdom never and onward he fares in his folly.
(Norse Proverb)

The chest contains a beehive full of pride.
(Kikuyu Proverb)

Pride breakfasted with plenty, dined with poverty, and supped with infamy.
(Italian Proverb)

Pride comes before a fall.(Irish Proverb)

The pride of women and the pride of priests.
(Irish Proverb)

If youthful pride were wealth, then every man would have had it in his lifetime.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

To have two eyes is cause for pride; but to have one eye is better than to have none.
(Guinean Proverb)

Pride costs us more than hunger, thirst, and cold.(English Proverb)

Pride in prosperity turns to misery in adversity.(English Proverb)

Pride is no substitute for a dinner.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Plenty breeds pride.(English Proverb)

It is pride, not nature, which craves much.
(English Proverb)

Heresy is the school of pride.(English Proverb)

Pride that dines on vanity sups on contempt.
(Albanian Proverb)

Pride often apes humility.(Albanian Proverb)

Pride is the last vice a good man gets clear of.
(Albanian Proverb)

Pride is said to be the last vice the good man
gets clear of.(Albanian Proverb)

The downfall of man begins with pride.
(African Proverb)

A man should not, out of pride and etiquette,
swallow his phlegm.(African Proverb)

A proud heart can survive a general failure
because such a failure does not prick its pride.
(African Proverb)

It is better to cut off the head that has no
pride.(Arab Proverb)

Pride goes only as far as one can spit.

(Congolese Proverb)

The nobler the blood, the less the pride.

(Danish Proverb)

Pride goeth before destruction and a haughty spirit before a fall. (Egyptian Proverb)

Pride and dignity would belong to women if only men would leave them alone.

(Egyptian Proverb)

To have two eyes can be cause for pride; but to have one eye is better than to have none.

(Guinean Proverb)

There are some who despise pride with a greater pride. (Italian Proverb)

Pride went out on horseback, and returned on foot. (Italian Proverb)

If pride were an art, how many doctors we should have. (Italian Proverb)

If pride were a disease, how many would be already dead? (Italian Proverb)

Pride that dined with vanity supped with poverty. (Jewish Proverb)

Pride joined with many virtues chokes them all. (Jewish Proverb)

Pride is the mask we make of our faults. (Jewish Proverb)

Pride is the mask of one's own faults. (Jewish Proverb)

Pride is innate in beauty, and haughtiness is the companion of the fair. (Latin Proverb)

Hunger brings people down, but pride can help them get up. (Mexican Proverb)

Pride and poverty don't get along, but often live together. (Traditional Proverb)

The owl of ignorance lays the egg of pride. (Traditional Proverb)

Ingratitude is the daughter of pride. (Spanish Proverb)

Pride is the mask of our sins. (Palestinian Proverb)

Providence crushes pride. (Latin Proverb)

Pride can live in the dung heap. (Jewish Proverb)

Too much humility is pride. (German Proverb)

Meekness is the pride of the humble.
(German Proverb)

Pride can only lose. (French Proverb)

Pride feels no pain. (Egyptian Proverb)

Pride goes before a fall. (Egyptian Proverb)

Pride will have a fall. (Danish Proverb)

PRINCIPLE:

I have no set principles; I make adaptability to
all circumstances my principle.
(Japanese Proverb)

A person of high principles is one who can
watch an entire chess game without making a
comment. (Chinese Proverb)

Aspire to the principle, behave with virtue,
abide by benevolence, and immerse yourself in
the arts. (Chinese Proverb)

A man of high principles is someone who can
watch a chess game without passing
comment. (Chinese Proverb)

In politics a man must learn to rise above principle. (Traditional Proverb)

PROCRASTINATION:

Klingons do not procrastinate.
(Klingon Proverb)

Procrastination is the thief of time.
(Chinese Proverb)

PRODUCT:

The flimsier the product, the higher the price.
(Klingon Proverb)

Folly is the product of all countries and ages.
(Spanish Proverb)

PROGRESS:

Praise the young and they will make progress.
(Irish Proverb)

In the courtroom of the conscience, a case is always in progress. (Dutch Proverb)

A foolish man may be known by six things: Anger without cause, speech without profit, change without progress, inquiry without object, putting trust in a stranger, and mistaking foes for friends. (Arab Proverb)

Not to progress is to go back.
(Traditional Proverb)

PROMISE:

Promise freely, fulfill sparingly.
(Swedish Proverb)

Don't celebrate promises, and don't fear threats. (Sicilian Proverb)

Every promise is a debt and is owed, blessed is he who keeps his word. (Sicilian Proverb)

Great promises and small performances.
(Romanian Proverb)

The wiseman's promises are like dew on the field. (Nilotic Proverb)

I will charge thee nothing but the promise that you will help the next man thee finds in trouble. (Mennonite Proverb)

The garret is full of promises.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Promise little and do a lot. (Hebrew Proverb)

A promise is a nice word, if kept then it is all right. (Hungarian Proverb)

One acre of performance is worth twenty of the land of promise. (English Proverb)

When a man repeats a promise again and again, he means to fail you. (English Proverb)

Fidelity in a king, promise in men.
(Burmese Proverb)

A promise is a cloud; fulfillment is rain; and the best promise is that which has been proved by rain. (Arabic Proverb)

Promises fill no sack. (Albanian Proverb)

Promise little but with respect.
(Albanian Proverb)

Promise little but do much. (Albanian Proverb)

A gift is better than a promise.

(Albanian Proverb)

Let your actions be equal to your promises.

(Albanian Proverb)

The world has not made a promise to anybody.

(African Proverb)

From the promise to the deed is a day's journey. (Bulgarian Proverb)

Men apt to promise are apt to forget.

(American Proverb)

From the promise to the deed is a day's journey. (Bulgarian Proverb)

To promise is easy, to keep is troublesome.

(Danish Proverb)

There is no virtue in a promise unless it is kept. (Danish Proverb)

Promises and undressed cloth are apt to shrink. (Danish Proverb)

In the land of promise a man may die of hunger. (Dutch Proverb)

The day cuts off the promise of the night.

(Egyptian Proverb)

He ruins himself in promises, and clears himself by giving nothing. (French Proverb)

A small gift is better than a great promise. (German Proverb)

Promises may make friends, but 'tis performances that keep them. (German Proverb)

Promises have legs. Only a gift has hands. (German Proverb)

Promises are like the full moon: if they are not kept at once they diminish day by day. (German Proverb)

Who makes no promises, has none to perform. (German Proverb)

Promises, like pie crust, are made to be broken. (Latin Proverb)

Promises must not fill the place of gifts. (Latin Proverb)

Evening promises are like butter: morning comes, and it's all melted. (Moroccan Proverb)

There is no greater fraud than a promise not kept. (Scottish Proverb)

Having given your word, be strong; not having done it, try not to promise. (Russian Proverb)

The world did not make any promises. (Traditional Proverb)

No pillows so soft as God's Promise. (Traditional Proverb)

Many promises impair confidence. (Latin Proverb)

Promise little and do much. (Jewish Proverb)

Eggs and promises are easily broken. (Japanese Proverb)

Every promise is a debt. (Italian Proverb)

Promises make debts. (German Proverb)

Nothing weighs lighter than a promise. (German Proverb)

Promises don't fill the belly. (German Proverb)

A promise is a debt. (German Proverb)

He lives in the land of promise. (Dutch Proverb)

Promises make debts, and debts make promises. (Dutch Proverb)

PROPERTY:

Property will not earn life, but life will earn property. (Turkish Proverb)

They call one "generous" and make one lose one's property, they call one "brave" and make one lose one's soul. (Turkish Proverb)

Unfortunate is the property that the owner doesn't oversee. (Sicilian Proverb)

A person who picks something and decides to make it his own, ought to think how he would feel if he was the person who lost the property he picked. (Nigerian Proverb)

A spender gets the property of the hoarder. (Irish Proverb)

Property gained unlawfully will be lost in the same way. (Hungarian Proverb)

No sooner have you spoken than what you have said becomes the property of another. (Hindustani Proverb)

When people have but little property, they take good care of it. (English Proverb)

Used recklessly then she must have inherited the misused property. (African Proverb)

Look after your property, and you won't accuse your neighbor of being a thief. (Afghan Proverb)

A good neighbor increases the value of your property. (Czech Proverb)

The ass that is common property is always the worst saddled. (French Proverb)

The lives of doctors, the souls of priests, and the property of lawyers, are in great danger. (Italian Proverb)

Many an Irish property was increased by the lace of a daughter's petticoat. (Traditional Proverb)

Property is robbery. (Latin Proverb)

Covet not the property of others. (Latin Proverb)

PROPHETS:

If you are astonished at Moses' deeds, you will be more astonished at Pharaoh's. Not-Moses

declared himself to be a prophet, but Pharaoh declared himself to be God. (Swahili Proverb)

If I were a prophet, I wouldn't be wretched. (Sicilian Proverb)

No one is a prophet in his own land. (Portuguese Proverb)

Beware of false prophets. (Romanian Proverb)

No man's a prophet in his own land. (Mexican Proverb)

Nobody is a prophet in his own country. (Hungarian Proverb)

Prophet copies a prophet. (Bajan Proverb)

Put no faith in a drunkard's prophecy, another man's dog, or the weather at any season. (Darkovan Proverb)

No man is a prophet in his own country. (French Proverb)

A prophet is not without honor save in his own country. (German Proverb)

Make me a prophet and I will make you rich. (Italian Proverb)

The complete fool is half prophet.

(Jewish Proverb)

The heart is half a prophet.(Jewish Proverb)

Children and fools are prophets.
(French Proverb)

Thirsty men make good prophets.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

PROVERB:

A proverb is the horse that can carry one
swiftly to the discovery of ideas.(Yoruban)

Proverbs can be applied to get what you want.
(Zimbabwean Proverb)

When a fool is told a proverb, it has to be
explained to him.(Tshi Proverb)

Proverbs in conversation are torches in
darkness.(Venezuelan Proverb)

Old proverbs are the children of truth.
(Welsh Proverb)

The poor man's proverb is never quoted.
(South African Proverb)

Somalis don't say a false proverb.

(Somali Proverb)

A proverb is the horse of conversation: when the conversation lags, a proverb revives it.

(Nigerien Proverb)

A wise man who knows proverbs can reconcile difficulties.(Nigerien Proverb)

Proverbs are the palm oil with which words are eaten.(Nigerian Proverb)

A proverb is to speech what salt is to food.
(Panamanian Proverb)

A proverb does not answer itself.
(Maasai Proverb)

We speak by proverb: he who is intelligent will understand.(Kikuyu Proverb)

The proverb cannot be bettered.(Irish Proverb)

Though the proverb is abandoned, it is not falsified.(Irish Proverb)

Proverbs cannot be contradicted.
(Irish Proverb)

This proverb is often used to illustrate a person who does not have enough resources to accomplish his goal.(Indonesian Proverb)

No proverb is untrue.(Hebrew Proverb)

If two proverbs are not similar, one is not used to explain the other.(Ghanaian Proverb)

A person can understand things deeply through proverbs.(Hebrew Proverb)

A pointed proverb is like a diamond: it emits light, and it also cuts.(Hebrew Proverb)

Not a few proverbs are dear children of experience.(English Proverb)

Our proverbs are sacred and correct.
(Corsican Proverb)

A prudent man who knows proverbs, resolved problems.(Bosnian Proverb)

A wide garment does not tear, a proverb does not spoil.(Albanian Proverb)

The old lady feels uneasy when dry bones are mentioned in a proverb.(African Proverb)

He who asks for the meaning of a proverb has called her/his mother's dowry a waste.
(African Proverb)

An old woman is always uneasy when dry bones are mentioned in a proverb.

(African Proverb)

A wise man who knows proverbs, reconciles difficulties. (African Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of experience. (African Proverb)

A country can be judged by the quality of its proverbs. (German Proverb)

Proverbs are like butterflies, some are caught and some fly away. (German Proverb)

Proverbs bear age, and he who would do well may view himself in them as in a looking glass. (Italian Proverb)

A proverb is a short sentence based on long experience. (Spanish Proverb)

An aphorism is a proverb with long whiskers. (Traditional Proverb)

Proverbs are the people's wisdom. (Traditional Proverb)

If there is cause to someone, the cause to love has just begun. - Wolof proverb, Senegal. (Traditional Proverb)

When the fool is told a Proverb, its meaning has to be explained to him.

(Traditional Proverb)

Proverbs are the children of experience.

(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

It has become a proverb. (Latin Proverb)

Proverbs are the daughters of daily experience.

(Dutch Proverb)

A proverb is the child of experience.

(English Proverb)

Proverbs are the lamp of speech.

(Arab Proverb)

PUNCTUALITY:

Punctuality is the politeness of kings.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Punctuality is the politeness of princes.

(French Proverb)

Punctuality is the sole of business.

(French Proverb)

PUNISHMENT:

One man's punishment is a deterrent to many.
(Spanish Proverb)

It is the crime that causes the shame, and not the punishment. (Swedish Proverb)

Children and the deaf are the punishment of God. (Sicilian Proverb)

When god will punish, he will first take away the understanding. (Romanian Proverb)

As a man sinneth, so is his punishment.
(Romanian Proverb)

You are sure to marry a woman either beautiful or ugly; If ugly she will be a punishment; if beautiful, you will share her with others. Therefore do not marry.
(Pakistani Proverb)

Death is nothing and pain is nothing, but cowardice is crime and disgrace, the greatest punishment.
(Native American Dakota Proverb)

Both quarrelers are to be punished.
(Japanese Proverb)

Whoever can protest against a wrong, and does not, will be punished. (Hebrew Proverb)

A liar's punishment: even when he tells the truth, people don't believe him.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Anger punishes itself. (English Proverb)

Even honors are punishments.
(Corsican Proverb)

The one you love you punish. (Danish Proverb)

If you oppress who is below you then you won't be safe from the punishment of who is above you. (Arabic Proverb)

Two things rule the world -- reward and punishment. (Bosnian Proverb)

Look not at thieves eating meat, but look at them suffering punishment. (Chinese Proverb)

Laws without punishment are like bells with no clackers. (Czech Proverb)

Undeserved punishment is better than that which is deserved. (Indian Proverb)

Criminals are punished, that others may be amended. (Italian Proverb)

According to the nature of his sin shall a man be punished.(Latin Proverb)

Justice is exercised in the proper prevention, rather than in the severe punishment, of crime. (Latin Proverb)

It is a misery to be born, a punishment to live, and a trouble to die.(Latin Proverb)

The bad refrain from sin from fear of punishment.(Latin Proverb)

A sin of gold is followed by a punishment of lead.(Russian Proverb)

The rich man transgresses the law, and the poor man is punished.(Spanish Proverb)

That fear may reach all, punish but few. (Traditional Proverb)

With the three means of punishment, words, thoughts and acts, ye shall not injure living things.(Traditional Proverb)

What a man suffers is the punishment of his tongue.(Turkish Proverb)

Law cannot persuade when it cannot punish. (Traditional Proverb)

Great thieves punish little ones.

(Traditional Proverb)

Punishment is a cripple, but it arrives.

(Spanish Proverb)

Punishment awaits all offences.

(Latin Proverb)

Punishment awaits crime. (Latin Proverb)

Strange sins, strange punishments.

(Latin Proverb)

The enemy's own punishment is his envy.

(Indian Proverb)

A runaway horse punishes himself.

(Italian Proverb)

PURPOSE:

The thousand brilliant accomplishments of the past cannot serve today's purpose.

(Tibetan Proverb)

A good purpose is like a doctor and evil purpose corrupts. (Swahili Proverb)

Confession without contrition serves no purpose. (Sicilian Proverb)

Klingons kill for their own purposes. (Klingon Proverb)

Let your bargain suit your purpose. (Irish Proverb)

The purpose consecrates the means. (Hungarian Proverb)

The secret of success is constancy of purpose. (English Proverb)

Better to say nothing, than to say something not to the purpose. (English Proverb)

The purpose sanctifies the means. (Dutch Proverb)

Don't question a blind man for buying a mirror, it must serve him some purpose. (African Proverb)

A man knows no more to any purpose than he practices. (French Proverb)

When silent men speak they speak to the purpose. (German Proverb)

Having achieved your purpose, seek not to undo what has been done.(Latin Proverb)

Even a fool sometimes speaks to the purpose.(Latin Proverb)

He is wise to no purpose, who is not wise for himself.(Latin Proverb)

Power acquired by guilt was never used for a good purpose.(Latin Proverb)

Accomplishment of purpose is better than making a profit.(Nigerian Proverb)

Battle doesn't need a purpose the battle is its own purpose.(Traditional Proverb)

People blame themselves for the purpose of being praised.(Traditional Proverb)

Speak little and to the purpose.(Traditional Proverb)

Q CATEGORY

QUALITY:

The bean paste that smells like bean paste is not the best quality.(Japanese Proverb)

The heart is the most essential human quality.
(Japanese Proverb)

It's hard to know the quality of a person, or a watermelon. (Japanese Proverb)

Get hold of the little you have as you struggle for more quantity or quality. (African Proverb)

A cheap thing doesn't lack defect, nor an expensive thing quality. (Afghan Proverb)

A country can be judged by the quality of its proverbs. (German Proverb)

Every fault that a Sultan pleases can be a quality. (Persian Proverb)

Prices are forgotten, quality remains.
(French Proverb)

QUOATAION:

Stronger than an army is a quotation whose time has come. (African Proverb)

A fine quotation is a diamond on the finger of a man of wit, and a pebble in the hand of a fool. (French Proverb)

R CATEGORY

READING:

A day of reading is a day of gain; a day without reading is ten days of loss. (Chinese Proverb)

Reading makes a full man, meditation a profound man, discourse a clear man.
(Albanian Proverb)

Reading Scripture in front of a donkey.
(Afghan Proverb)

Heaven on earth is to be found on horseback, reading books and between a woman's breasts. (Arab Proverb)

After three days without reading, talk becomes flavorless.(Chinese Proverb)

Extensive reading is a priceless treasure.
(Traditional Proverb)

Reading books removes sorrows from the heart. (Moroccan Proverb)

REALITY:

Malice leaves reality behind.(Mexican Proverb)

Differing in words, not in reality.

(Latin Proverb)

Obeisance to the self that is a reflection of eternal reality. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Reality never surpasses imagination.

(Albanian Proverb)

Dreams are what you hope for; reality is what you plan for. (Albanian Proverb)

Differing in words, not in reality. [A verbal, not an actual difference.] (Latin Proverb)

Things rumored lessen in importance as they assume reality. (Latin Proverb)

Knowledge is consciousness of reality. Reality is the sum of the laws that govern nature and of the causes from which they flow.

(Traditional Proverb)

Reality is only a possibility, it changes constantly. (Traditional Proverb)

What is reality Selflessness.

(Traditional Proverb)

REBELLION:

In trust is treason. (Romanian Proverb)

We love the treason but hate the traitor.
(Italian Proverb)

When the sword of rebellion is drawn, the
sheath should be thrown away.
(English Proverb)

To rebel in season is not to rebel.
(Greek Proverb)

Kings love the treason, but not the traitor.
(Latin Proverb)

Twelve highlanders and a bagpipe make a
rebellion. (Scottish Proverb)

Victory makes you into an emperor, defeat into
a rebel. (Vietnamese Proverb)

The person who has been a slave from birth
does not value rebellion. (Yoruban Proverb)

Oppression causeth rebellion. (Latin Proverb)

The treason is loved, the traitor hated.
(German Proverb)

Beggars fear no rebellion. (Dutch Proverb)

Fate loves a rebel. (Arab Proverb)

REDEMPTION:

Faith is salvation, not the wood of a ship.
(Sicilian Proverb)

He who is a friend of Christ, will soon find
salvation. (Hungarian Proverb)

The knowledge of sin is the beginning of
salvation. (Latin Proverb)

RELATIONSHIP:

A hoe made small from loving work came to
visit and together we cultivated our
relationship. When united everything is
possible. (Rwandan Proverb)

Only two relationships are possible - to be a
friend or to be an enemy.
(Native American Cree Proverb)

Truthfulness ensures a lasting relationship.
(Filipino Proverb)

Brief encounters can result in long relationships. (Cuban Proverb)

Relationship produces envy. (Latin Proverb)

RELIGION:

Religion will perish because of excessive comforts. (Sicilian Proverb)

True religion is in one's heart.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Science without religion is lame; religion without science is blind. (Hebrew Proverb)

To be simple is a pedestrian virtue, but to persevere in simplicity is a virtue of spiritual giants. (Hebrew Proverb)

Religion, credit, and the eye are not to be touched. (English Proverb)

A man without religion is a horse without a bridle. (English Proverb)

Prayer is the pillow of religion. (Arabic Proverb)

People follow the religion/ ways of their kings. (Arabic Proverb)

If not for religion, people would've killed each other. (Arabic Proverb)

A good advice is part of the Religion..
(Arabic Proverb)

You're not supposed to keep religion, it's supposed to keep you. (Albanian Proverb)

Religion is the best armor in the world, but the worst cloak. (Albanian Proverb)

Let Christians practice their own religion, and Jews practice theirs. (Afghan Proverb)

To you your religion and to me my religion.
(Arab Proverb)

The broad-minded see the truth in different religions; the narrow-minded see only the differences. (Chinese Proverb)

A man devoid of religion is like a horse without a bridle. (Latin Proverb)

A man may have no religion, and yet be moral.
(Traditional Proverb)

Religion must be taught, not forced.
(Latin Proverb)

Men who have no religion, no honor.

(Latin Proverb)

A good religion does not need miracles.

(Japanese Proverb)

Jest not with the eye, or religion.

(French Proverb)

First food, then religion. (Afghan Proverb)

Righteousness is half of religion.

(Arab Proverb)

REPUTATION:

If you hurt the reputation of another, you damage your own. (Togolese Proverb)

If you seek a reputation for wisdom, agree with everyone. (Yiddish Proverb)

A bad reputation is seldom completely amiss. (Swedish Proverb)

Let others keep their reputation. You keep their money. (Klingon Proverb)

If you get a reputation as an early riser, you can sleep till noon. (Irish Proverb)

There is nothing better than a good reputation. **(Hebrew Proverb)**

A person's reputation is like his shadow- sometimes it follows and sometimes it precedes him; and sometimes it is smaller and sometimes it is bigger than him. **(French Proverb)**

Reputation is commonly measured by the acre. **(English Proverb)**

Reputation is what you are in the light; character is what you are in the dark. **(Albanian Proverb)**

Character is what we are; reputation is what others think we are. **(Albanian Proverb)**

A good reputation is something you must pay for, but you can never buy. **(African Proverb)**

Judge a man by the reputation of his enemies. **(Arab Proverb)**

When a door opens not to your knock, consider your reputation. **(Arab Proverb)**

Of a dead leopard we keep the skin, of man his reputation. **(Chinese Proverb)**

When ten thousand soldiers lie rotting, the general's reputation is enhanced.

(Japanese Proverb)

Sometimes it takes only an hour to get a reputation that lasts for a thousand years.

(Japanese Proverb)

Be what you appear to be. [Act up to the reputation which you enjoy.](Latin Proverb)

A good reputation is better than a golden girdle.(Serbian Proverb)

He who has lost his reputation is a dead man among the living.(Spanish Proverb)

To have lost your reputation is to be dead among the living.(Traditional Proverb)

Better to die than to live on with a bad reputation.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Try to deserve the reputation you enjoy.
(Latin Proverb)

The soldiers' blood, the general's reputation.
(Jamaican Proverb)

RESPECT:

If you lose your self-respect, you also lose the respect of others.(Yiddish Proverb)

The old have to be respected.(Sicilian Proverb)

Both water and fire need to be treated with respect.(Sicilian Proverb)

If the tiger sits, do not think it is out of respect.(Nilotic Proverb)

Respect for the rights of others is peace.
(Mexican Proverb)

Respect old people, and be gentle with children.(Japanese Proverb)

The old should be treated with due respect.
Children should be treated with gentleness.
(Japanese Proverb)

The worse it is, in one respect, the better, in another respect.(Hungarian Proverb)

The poor man commands respect; the beggar must always excite anger.(French Proverb)

Respect bread because bread is older than we are.(Estonian Proverb)

By the owner, the dog is respected.

(Corsican Proverb)

Respect out of fear is never genuine; reverence out of respect is never false. (Chinese Proverb)

A husband must be respected, even if he's very short. (Corsican Proverb)

Respect due to a dog. (Bajan Proverb)

Respect a little child, and let it respect you. (Bantu Proverb)

Promise little but with respect.

(Albanian Proverb)

Respect yourself, and you will get it back. (African Proverb)

He who doesn't know a grave's coldness, doesn't give the dead their respect.

(African Proverb)

Respect for ones parents is the highest duty of civil life. (Chinese Proverb)

The greatest evidence of demoralization is the respect paid to wealth. (French Proverb)

The wise must be respected, even when the advice they give is not suitable. (Indian)

Respect flies away for the one who pursues it and hunts the person who is fleeing from it.
(Jewish Proverb)

No one in a shabby coat is treated with respect.(Latin Proverb)

That which is wanting in some respects, may be made up for in others.(Latin Proverb)

If you want to be respected, you must respect yourself.(Spanish Proverb)

If you want to be respected, respect yourself.
(Spanish Proverb)

Respect starts with yourself.
(Traditional Proverb)

To beards with money cavaliers pay respect.
(Spanish Proverb)

Familiarity breeds contempt; distance breeds respect.(Nigerian Proverb)

Respect is greater from a distance.
(Latin Proverb)

False in one respect, never trustworthy.
(Latin Proverb)

Antiquity is entitled to respect.(Latin Proverb)

Respect spiritual beings but keep your distance. (Chinese Proverb)

REVOLUTION:

One eats while another watches -- that is how revolutions are begun. (Turkish Proverb)

One eats, another watches; that's how revolutions are born. (Turkish Proverb)

Revolutions are not made with rose water.
(Latin Proverb)

ROMANTIC LOVE:

If your child is dancing clumsily, tell him: 'you are dancing clumsily'; do not tell him: 'darling, do as you please.' (Twi Proverb)

Cuando amor no es locura, no es amor.
(Spanish Proverb)

A short courtship is the best courtship.
(Manx Proverb)

Distance lends enchantment.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Love came in a paper bag, said the maiden
when she got a letter from her sweetheart.
(Finnish Proverb)

Matrimony is the grave of romance.
(Chinese Proverb)

A educated woman finds few suitors.
(Austrian Proverb)

Distance plants enchantment.
(Albanian Proverb)

Lawyers' robes are lined with the obstinacy of
suitors.(Italian Proverb)

The greatest love is a mother's; then a dog's;
then a sweetheart's.(Polish Proverb)

The greater love is a mother's; then comes a
dog's; then a sweetheart's.(Polish Proverb)

Every suitor is not a heart breaker.
(Latin Proverb)

Courting and wooing brings dallying and
doing.(French Proverb)

Nobody's sweetheart is ugly.(Dutch Proverb)

Romance/ without finance/ don't stand a
chance.(American Proverb)

RUNNING:

Tell the truth and then run.

(Traditional Proverb)

How you run your life, that's how your clock will run. (Yiddish Proverb)

When they give you a piglet, run there quickly with a little cord. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who insists on running up a slope, is confused and crazy. (Sicilian Proverb)

Running on the roof finishes at the edge.

(Swahili Proverb)

To run is not necessarily to arrive.

(Swahili Proverb)

Need gars naked men run, and sorrow gars Websters spin. (Scottish Proverb)

If you want a beautiful woman, hurry to Syracuse: if you want her ugly, run to Terranova, go to Rosolini if you want her lazy and to Spaccaforno if you're looking for one to try. (Sicilian Proverb)

It's useless to tell the lame to run.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Running away is not glorious, but often very healthy. (Russian Proverb)

I'm human; nothing that is human is strange to me. A good run is better than a bad fight. (Polish Proverb)

Running away makes you guilty. (Polish Proverb)

Running by one's will never gets tired. (Portuguese Proverb)

Trust the virgin and don't run. (Portuguese Proverb)

Fleeing and running are not the same thing. (Nicaraguan Proverb)

It is not enough to run, one must arrive and know when one has arrived. (Nigerian Proverb)

A dog on the run is safely kicked. (Moroccan Proverb)

Four thousand throats may be cut in one night by a running man. (Klingon Proverb)

Autumn days come quickly like the running of a hound on the moor. (Irish Proverb)

When the old woman is hard pressed, she has to run. (Irish Proverb)

Running is away is a shame, but it is useful. (Hungarian Proverb)

There is no point in running ones head against the wall. (Hungarian Proverb)

When you are given, eat, when you are beaten, run away. (Gypsy Proverb)

A belt fastened while running will come undone while running. (Ethiopian Proverb)

You can't shoe a horse while it is running. (Dutch Proverb)

He who leaps high must take a long run. (Danish Proverb)

A lame man always speaks when it's time to run. (Colombian Proverb)

Water does run, but blood does clod. (Bajan Proverb)

You do not teach a giraffe to run. (Bantu Proverb)

What is the use of running when we are on the wrong. (Bavarian Proverb)

You do not teach a giraffe to run.

(Bantu Proverb)

The turtle does not suffer when running.

(African Proverb)

Running water can never jump over a hole in the ground. (African Proverb)

No matter how fast a man can run, he can never chase his shadow and catch it.

(African Proverb)

It's useless to tell a river to stop running; the best thing is to learn how to swim in the direction it's flowing. (African Proverb)

He who has got experience can milk a running cow. (African Proverb)

Anyone suffering from a running stomach is never afraid of the dark. (African Proverb)

A new servant can catch a running deer. (Afghan Proverb)

Cut your losses and let your profits run. (American Proverb)

Of all the thirty-six alternatives, running away is the best. (Chinese Proverb)

He runs heavily who is forced to run.

(Danish Proverb)

He who would leap high must take a long run.

(Danish Proverb)

He who would leap far must first take a long run.

(Danish Proverb)

He who wants to jump high must take a long

run.

(Danish Proverb)

Run as hard as a wild beast if you will, but you won't get any reward greater than that destined for you.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Clothes put on while running come off while running.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

If a friend hurts you, run to your wife.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

We must learn to walk before we can run.

(French Proverb)

The one with a running nose always wants to blow someone else's.

(French Proverb)

It is not enough to run; one must start in time.

(French Proverb)

If the wolf would cease his running, the people would cease their shouting.(German Proverb)

Running and buying don't go together -- running and selling do.(German Proverb)

What is the use of running when we are not on the right road?(German Proverb)

It is better to walk than to run; it is better to stand than to walk; it is better to sit than to stand; it is better to lie than to sit.
(Indian Proverb)

You must grease the wheels if you would have the car run.(Italian Proverb)

The deeper the waters are, the more still they run.(Korean Proverb)

Presumption first blinds a man, and then sets him a running.(Latin Proverb)

In the long run, the greyhound kills the hare.
(Portuguese Proverb)

To flee and to run are not all one.
(Spanish Proverb)

No one can see their reflection in running water. It is only in still water that we can see.(Traditional Proverb)

The miser and the open-handed spend the same in the long run.(Traditional Proverb)

Tell the truth and run!(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Sit, walk, or run, but don't wobble.
(Zen Proverb)

Run to seed.(Traditional Proverb)

Still waters run deep.(Traditional Proverb)

Water doesn't run uphill(Traditional Proverb)

Glory lies still; abuse is running.
(Russian Proverb)

Satires run faster than panegyrics.
(Latin Proverb)

Running water carries no poison.
(Italian Proverb)

Learn to walk before you run.(Greek Proverb)

Crazy wheels run longest.(German Proverb)

Learn to creep before you run.(Dutch Proverb)

Little pots soon run over.(Dutch Proverb)

One cannot shoe a running horse.

(Dutch Proverb)

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(Dutch Proverb)

S CATEGORY

SADNESS:

You cannot prevent the birds of sadness from passing over your head, but you can prevent them from nesting in your hair.

(Swedish Proverb)

Fear does not empty tomorrow of its sadness; it empties today of its power. (Turkish Proverb)

Borrow causes sorrow. (Yiddish Proverb)

Friends are needed both for joy and for sorrow. (Yiddish Proverb)

Sorrow is like rice in the store; if a basketful is removed every day, it will come to an end at last. (Somali Proverb)

After distress, solace. (Swahili Proverb)

Borrowing is like a wedding, repaying is like mourning. (Swahili Proverb)

It is weil warit they have sorrow, that buyes it with their silver. (Scottish Proverb)

An honest wife is a treasure that lasts, a sad wife is worse than the plague.
(Sicilian Proverb)

After a storm comes fair weather, after sorrow comes joy. (Russian Proverb)

The vine brings forth three grapes: the first of pleasure, the second of drunkenness, the third of sorrow. (Romanian Proverb)

After a storm comes fair weather, after sorrow comes joy. (Russian Proverb)

After a storm fair weather, after sorrow joy.
(Russian Proverb)

Small children give you headache; big children give you heartache. (Russian Proverb)

After the meal, one has to be still and shut the eyes for a while in the gloom.
(Scanian Proverb)

Better two skaiths, nor ane sorrow.
(Scottish Proverb)

Joy must have sorrow. (Polish Proverb)

He that increaseth knowledge increaseth sorrow.(Romanian Proverb)

One man driven by distress does as much as thirty.(Mexican Proverb)

Sorrow also sings, when it runs to deep to cry.(Mexican Proverb)

Some will learn through pain and sorrow, others through joy and laughter, so it is written.(Moroccan Proverb)

Marriage without lovemaking means sad consequences and sorrow.(Maltese Proverb)

If you are sad, act.(Klingon Proverb)

Relations last longer when the family is in distress.(Kashmiri Proverb)

The members of the family are in distress, but the idols are worshipped.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Poverty creates sadness.(Irish Proverb)

There is no joy without sorrow.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Small children, a headache; big children, heartache.(Hebrew Proverb)

Better to eat beans in peace than to eat meat in distress. (Guatemalan Proverb)

Hunger is misery; a full stomach is trouble. (Haitian Proverb)

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Sin is the root of much sorrow. (English Proverb)

Sorrow is always dry. (English Proverb)

Sorrow remembered sweetens present joy. (English Proverb)

The safest antidote against sorrow is employment. (English Proverb)

When it thunders in March, it brings sorrow. (English Proverb)

Laugh till you cry, sorrow till you die. (English Proverb)

Life and misery began together. (English Proverb)

Much science, much sorrow.(English Proverb)

Fire is love and water sorrow.

(English Proverb)

A bellyful is one of meat, drink, or sorrow.

(English Proverb)

Better a little chiding than a good deal of
heartache.(English Proverb)

Misery and poverty are two sisters; discord is
their first cousin.(Corsican Proverb)

Wedded in September, widow or sorrow.

(Corsican Proverb)

What a sad basket, leaving and returning
empty.(Corsican Proverb)

What a sad bench it is that has never been set
upon by a grey beard.(Corsican Proverb)

One man's happiness is another man's
sadness.(Brazilian Proverb)

Anguish is our worst advisor.

(Chilean Proverb)

Drinks down your sorrow, but your sorrow
returns the morning after.(Chinese Proverb)

Who is always sad, does not even have fun when drunk.(Colombian Proverb)

The envious person is a sad person.
(Arabic Proverb)

Patience is the key of joy; but haste is the key to sorrow.(Arabic Proverb)

Sorrow, nobody dies about it.(Bengali Proverb)

You only understand the joys of parenthood when you have your first child, you only understand the mystery of death when in mourning.(Bahaya Proverb)

He that swims in sin will sink in sorrow.
(Albanian Proverb)

With much knowledge there is much sorrow, with much wisdom there is much weeping.
(African Proverb)

It's better to eat pepper and be happy than to eat honey and be sad.(African Proverb)

Sorrow may sadden your face but it sharpens your understanding.(African Proverb)

Every anguish passes except the anguish of hunger.(Afghan Proverb)

A real friend is one who takes the hand of his friend in times of distress and helplessness.
(Afghan Proverb)

Sorrow is like a precious treasure, shown only to friends.(African Proverb)

A day of sorrow is longer than a month of joy.(Chinese Proverb)

The error of one moment becomes the sorrow of a whole life.(Chinese Proverb)

Sorrow is the child of too much joy.
(Chinese Proverb)

One moment's error becomes a lifetime of sadness.(Chinese Proverb)

It is a sad situation for a son-in-law when his mother-in-law praises him.(Chinese Proverb)

If you are patient in one moment of anger, you will escape a hundred days of sorrow.
(Chinese Proverb)

If you are patient in a moment of anger, you will escape a hundred days of sorrow.
(Chinese Proverb)

You cannot prevent the birds of sorrow from flying over your head, but you can prevent them from building nests in your hair.

(Chinese Proverb)

A hundred wagons full of sorrow will not pay a handful of debt.(Danish Proverb)

If sorrow would not talk it would die.

(Croatian Proverb)

Never dress in mourning before the dead man is in his coffin.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

The drunken man's joy is often the sober man's sorrow.(Danish Proverb)

That which comes with sin, goes with sorrow.

(Danish Proverb)

He who loves sorrow, will always find something to mourn over.(Danish Proverb)

A cow-year, a sad year; a bull-year, a glad year.(Dutch Proverb)

When joy is in the parlor, sorrow is in the passage.(Danish Proverb)

From the cradle to the tomb, Not all gladness, not all gloom.(Dutch Proverb)

A pennyworth of mirth is worth a pound of sorrow. (Dutch Proverb)

The end of mirth is the beginning of sorrow. (Dutch Proverb)

Sorrow for a husband is like a pain in the elbow, sharp and short. (English Proverb)

If the heart is sad, tears will flow. (Ethiopian Proverb)

One for sorrow; two for mirth; three for a wedding; four for a birth. (French Proverb)

Help you to salt, help you to sorrow. (French Proverb)

Drink makes you forget your sorrow; but only, alas, until tomorrow. (German Proverb)

Beauty is the eye's food but the soul's sorrow. (German Proverb)

The misery is that you have to ruin your day with work. (German Proverb)

The bridge between joy and sorrow is not long. (German Proverb)

Self-love is bad, and makes the eyes sad. (German Proverb)

Who makes his bed on the morrow; goes all day without sorrow. (German Proverb)

To long for everything: sorrow; to accept everything: joy. (Indian Proverb)

Sorrow for the death of a father lasts six months; sorrow for a mother, a year; sorrow for a wife, until another wife; sorrow for a son, forever. (Indian Proverb)

Thirst is the end of drinking and sorrow is the end of drunkenness. (Irish Proverb)

If charity cost nothing and benevolence caused no heartache, the world would be full of philanthropists. (Jewish Proverb)

The dog called "Sorrow," without eating, will be fat in every house. (Japanese Proverb)

Only through suffering and sorrow do we acquire the wisdom not found in books. (Japanese Proverb)

You must marry a widow while she is still mourning. (Italian Proverb)

One does not live on joy or die of sorrow. (Jewish Proverb)

Grieve not for that which is irreparably lost.
(Latin Proverb)

Give wine to them that are in sorrow.
(Latin Proverb)

All men grieve, and if you ask them the reason why, they cannot tell it.(Latin Proverb)

No herb can remedy the anguish of love.
(Latin Proverb)

It is cruel to refer to those things which cause sorrow.(Latin Proverb)

It is a misery to be born, a punishment to live, and a trouble to die.(Latin Proverb)

I would rather be in an apple-tree, than a bad man in distress.(Latin Proverb)

What people in distress most wish for, they most readily believe.(Latin Proverb)

They attend a funeral robed in white, and a wedding in mourning.(Latin Proverb)

Seek not the luxuries of life lest you reap sorrow.(Latin Proverb)

Idleness moves so slowly that it will be overtaken by misery.(Malagasy Proverb)

Not to know the good we have Till time has
stolen the cherish'd gift away, Is cause of half
the misery that we feel, And makes the world
the wilderness it is. (Nigerian Proverb)

Sorrow is like rice in an attic: you use a little
every day and at the end it is all gone.
(Malagasy Proverb)

Sadness is a valuable treasure -- only
discovered in people you love.
(Malagasy Proverb)

It's a sad house where the hen crows louder
than the cock. (Scottish Proverb)

Small children give you headache; big children
heartache. (Russian Proverb)

Shared joy is a double joy; shared sorrow is
half a sorrow. (Swedish Proverb)

Whither goest thou, sorrow? Whither I am
used to go. (Spanish Proverb)

Shared joy is double joy and shared sorrow is
half-sorrow. (Traditional Proverb)

Seeking happiness is a straight way to misery.
(Traditional Proverb)

Like two golden birds perched on the selfsame tree, intimate friends, the ego and the Self dwell in the same body. The former eats the sweet and sour fruits of the tree of life while the latter looks on in detachment. As long as we think we are the ego, we feel attached and fall into sorrow. But realize that you are the Self, the Lord of life, and you will be freed from sorrow. When you realize that you are the Self, supreme source of light, supreme source of love, you transcend the duality of life and enter into the unitive state.

(Traditional Proverb)

The sun is red at dawn and red at sunset. Great men are unchanged in prosperity and in distress.

(Traditional Proverb)

The deeper the sorrow the less tongue it hath.

(Traditional Proverb)

How lovely is the sun after rain, and how lovely is laughter after sorrow.

(Tunisian Proverb)

Sorrow is to the soul what the worm is to wood.

(Turkish Proverb)

He who has no children has one sorrow, he who has children has a thousand sorrows.

(Turkish Proverb)

He that speaks without care shall remember with sorrow. (Turkish Proverb)

Sorrow doesn't kill -- reckless joy does.
(West African Proverb)

If you feel sad, laugh. (Traditional Proverb)

A wolf's mourning is the fox's feast.
(Spanish Proverb)

A small tear relieves a great sorrow.
(Portuguese Proverb)

When sorrow is asleep, wake it not.
(Romanian Proverb)

Sorrow doesn't kill, but it blights.
(Russian Proverb)

One may survive distress, but not disgrace.
(Scottish Proverb)

Sorrow and ill weather come unsent for.
(Latin Proverb)

Sorrow brings on premature old age.
(Latin Proverb)

Sorrow dwells on the confines of pleasure.
(Latin Proverb)

Sorrow follows pleasure.(Latin Proverb)

He who increases knowledge, increases sorrow.(Latin Proverb)

Hope supports men in distress.(Latin Proverb)

Parting is such sweet sorrow.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Sorrow is the seed of wealth.
(Japanese Proverb)

Two in distress makes sorrow the less.
(German Proverb)

Hope is the physician of each misery.
(Irish Proverb)

He who sings drives away sorrow.
(Italian Proverb)

Sorrow does not pay any debts.
(German Proverb)

Joy and sorrow are next door neighbors.
(German Proverb)

Joy and sorrow are to-day and to-morrow.
(German Proverb)

Never grieve over spilt milk.(German Proverb)

He gains enough who loses sorrow.

(French Proverb)

He wears the mourning of his washerwoman.

(French Proverb)

Sadness and gladness succeed each other.

(French Proverb)

Company in distress makes trouble less.

(French Proverb)

Sorrow will pay no debts.

(Dutch Proverb)

When misery is highest help is nighest.

(Dutch Proverb)

Misery loves company.

(English Proverb)

Children are certain sorrow, but uncertain joy.

(Danish Proverb)

Joy surfeited turns to sorrow.

(Danish Proverb)

Shared sorrow is half sorrow.

(Danish Proverb)

Sorrow seldom comes alone.

(Danish Proverb)

Dead songbirds make a sad meal.

(Chinese Proverb)

Shared sorrow is half sorrow.(Danish Proverb)

Sorrow seldom comes alone.(Danish Proverb)

Hope is the nurse of misery.
(American Proverb)

Only he who understands is really sad.
(Arab Proverb)

SAFETY:

The death of the wolves is the safety of the sheep.(Romanian Proverb)

Distrust is the mother of safety.
(Romanian Proverb)

There is safety in numbers.(English Proverb)

Guard against disgrace in times of favor; be prepared for danger in times of safety.
(Chinese Proverb)

Courtesy is the password to safety.
(Albanian Proverb)

The house of danger is built upon the borders of safety.(Arab Proverb)

I wish I were at home. [Oh! that I were out of this mess and in safety.](Latin Proverb)

The one safety for the vanquished is to abandon hope of safety. (Latin Proverb)

He is in safety who rings the tocsin.
(Spanish Proverb)

Caution is the parent of safety.
(Traditional Proverb)

SALES:

Three things make a man rich: Earning and not spending, promising and not doing, buying and not selling.(Sicilian Proverb)

Buying and selling is but winning and losing.
(English Proverb)

The thief who isn't caught is an honest salesman.(Romanian Proverb)

You don't learn anything from buying, but you do from selling.(Russian Proverb)

To be a merchant, the art consists more in getting paid than in making sales.
(Spanish Proverb)

There is a great art in selling the wind.
(Spanish Proverb)

Sleep after selling horses and elephants.
(Indian Proverb)

SCIENCE:

Do not teach a pike to swim, a pike knows his own science. (Russian Proverb)

Science without religion is lame; religion without science is blind. (Hebrew Proverb)

Much science, much sorrow. (English Proverb)

The mistake of the scientist leads to mistakes by many people. (Arabic Proverb)

Inscribe science in writing. (Arabic Proverb)

Experimenting is the great science.
(Arabic Proverb)

Ask for a science that would be useful to you, would keep you from harm and shame, then elevate you. (Arabic Proverb)

A single untried popular remedy often throws the scientific doctor into hysterics.

(Chinese Proverb)

To learn about other people is science, to learn to know yourself is intelligence.

(Chinese Proverb)

Science is unlimited in its course; life is short.

(Latin Proverb)

Scientific hypotheses are free creations of our own minds, the result of an almost poetic intuition. (Traditional Proverb)

Experience is the mother of science.

(Traditional Proverb)

Rivalry between scholars improves science.

(Chinese Proverb)

SECRET:

The best part of happiness lies in the secret heart of a lover. (Ugandan Proverb)

Women can't keep secrets. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love, grief, and money cannot be kept secret.

(Spanish Proverb)

If someone cannot even keep his own secrets, don't count on him to keep someone else's.

(Spanish Proverb)

Secret of patience is to do something else in the meantime.

(Spanish Proverb)

To whom you tell your secrets, to him you resign your liberty.

(Spanish Proverb)

The carrier of a secret message is not told its meaning.

(Swahili Proverb)

Never trust your friend with a secret unless he is mute or a dog.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A secret is too little for one, enough for two, too much for three.

(Romanian Proverb)

A secret between two is god's secret; a secret between three is known to all.

(Mexican Proverb)

He who keeps a secret prevents much mischief.

(Mexican Proverb)

If you wish another to keep your secret, first keep it yourself.

(Latin Proverb)

The Kikuyu know how to conceal their quiver, but do not know how to conceal their secrets.

(Kikuyu Proverb)

In strategy, secrecy is highly regarded.
(Japanese Proverb)

Three people can keep a secret, if two of them are dead.(Irish Proverb)

If it's a secret, it's binding.(Irish Proverb)

A secret is a weapon and a friend.
(Irish Proverb)

Women don't know what a secret is.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Love, a cough, and smoke will not remain secret.(French Proverb)

Don't keep any secrets of yourself from yourself.(Greek Proverb)

A secret is between two; when a third is involved, it's no secret.(Hebrew Proverb)

Do not speak of secrets in a field that is full of little hills.(Hebrew Proverb)

Confiding a secret to an unworthy person is like carrying a grain in a bag with a hole in it.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Wish thy friend joy of his journey, but pray in secret that he have no joy, for then may he return quickly to thee. (Egyptian Proverb)

Stolen waters are sweet, and bread eaten in secret is pleasant. (Biblical Proverb)

Your secret is your captive. (Arabic Proverb)

So long as I can keep a secret it is my prisoner. (Arabic Proverb)

Keeping a secret is a commitment. (Arabic Proverb)

Alcohol will preserve anything but a secret. (Albanian Proverb)

A secret for two is soon a secret for nobody. (Albanian Proverb)

By the time you tell a secret to a mad person then a normal person you cannot see. (African Proverb)

Tell your friend a lie, if he keeps it secret, then tell him the truth. (African Proverb)

A secret remains a secret only when one person knows it. (African Proverb)

Confiding a secret to an unworthy person is like carrying grain in a bag with a hole.

(African Proverb)

Your secret is your blood -- when you shed it you die.(Berber Proverb)

So long as I can keep a secret it is my prisoner. If I let it slip then I am its prisoner.

(Arab Proverb)

A secret is like a dove: when it leaves my hand it takes wing.(Arab Proverb)

Alms given openly will be rewarded in secret.

(Chinese Proverb)

Never do anything that you want to remain a secret.(Chinese Proverb)

When the Nile knows a secret the desert will soon know it too.(Ethiopian Proverb)

Sharing a secret with a rogue is like carrying grain in a bag with a hole.(Ethiopian Proverb)

The secret of two is God's secret, the secret of three is everybody's secret.(French Proverb)

The only way to keep a secret is to say nothing.(French Proverb)

Nothing is such a heavy burden as a secret is. (French Proverb)

Give up the smallest part of a secret, and the rest is no longer in your power. (German Proverb)

A secret imparted is no longer a secret. (Italian Proverb)

It is not a secret if it is known by three people. (Irish Proverb)

Three may keep a secret, if two of them are dead. (Italian Proverb)

If the secret sorrows of everyone could be read on their forehead, how many who now cause envy would suddenly become the objects of pity. (Italian Proverb)

Do not speak of secret matters in a field that is full of little hills. (Jewish Proverb)

Part with your head, but not with your secret. (Kurdish Proverb)

Don't tell a secret to anybody, unless you want the whole world to know it. (Latin Proverb)

There is no remedy against the bite of a secret slanderer. (Latin Proverb)

When rogues fallout, many a secret is revealed. (Latin Proverb)

To sin in secret is more pleasant than having pleasure in the open. (Persian Proverb)

A secret between two is God's secret, a secret between three is everybody's. (Spanish Proverb)

The sober man's secret is the drunkard's speech. (Russian Proverb)

Confide a secret to a dumb man and he will speak. (Russian Proverb)

Love, pain, and money cannot be kept secret; they soon betray themselves. (Spanish Proverb)

If you want to know secrets, seek for them in trouble or in pleasure. (Spanish Proverb)

The secret of two no further will go; the secret of three a hundred will know. (Spanish Proverb)

Tell your friend your secret, and he will set his foot on your neck. (Spanish Proverb)

Tell your friend a lie -- and if he keeps it a secret, tell him the truth. (Spanish Proverb)

You surrender your freedom where you deposit your secret. (Spanish Proverb)

True sages are those who give what they have, without meanness and without secret. (Traditional Proverb)

Secrecy is the soul of business. (Traditional Proverb)

Pregnancy and fire cannot be kept secret. (Rwandan Proverb)

Mad drunkenness discloses every secret. (Latin Proverb)

Conviviality reveals secrets. (Latin Proverb)

After nine months the secret comes out. (Jewish Proverb)

No blessing is bestowed on a secret. (Jewish Proverb)

Let not you shirt know your secret. (Italian Proverb)

Secrecy is the beginning of tyranny. (Italian Proverb)

A flatterer is a secret enemy. (Hungarian Proverb)

Crimes may be secret, yet not secure.
(Italian Proverb)

The drunken mouth reveals the heart's secrets. (German Proverb)

Nothing is so burdensome as a secret.
(French Proverb)

Secret fire is discovered by its smoke.
(Catalonian Proverb)

Secret gifts are openly rewarded.
(Danish Proverb)

SECURITY:

To have security, plan ahead. (Sicilian Proverb)

The bigger the chance, the less the security.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Life can never give security, it can only promise opportunity. (Chinese Proverb)

Poverty with security is better than plenty in the midst of fear and uncertainty.
(Albanian Proverb)

Distrust and caution are the parents of security. (Albanian Proverb)

Silence gives rise to peace and with peace comes security. (African Proverb)

Trust not to God but upon good security. (French Proverb)

A good paymaster does not hesitate to give good security. (Italian Proverb)

Trust in God upon good security. (Spanish Proverb)

A good paymaster needs no security. (Spanish Proverb)

Security is nowhere safe. (German Proverb)

Security is the first cause of misfortune. (German Proverb)

Advice to all, security for none. (English Proverb)

Danger is next neighbor to security. (English Proverb)

SELF RESPECT:

If you lose your self-respect, you also lose the respect of others. (Yiddish Proverb)

These three are the marks of a Jew: a tender heart, self-respect, and charity.

(Jewish Proverb)

SELF:

A good thing sells itself a bad one advertises itself.(Swahili Proverb)

An unrequested excuse is a self accusation.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Help thy self, and God will help thee.
(Scottish Proverb)

Self do, self ha.(Scottish Proverb)

She that takes gifts herself, she sels; and she that gives, does nought else.(Scottish Proverb)

One must row in whichever boat one finds one's self.(Nigerian Proverb)

Obeisance to the self that is a reflection of eternal reality.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Conqueror the self and you will conquer the opponent.(Japanese Proverb)

First for self, then for the stranger.

(Kashmiri Proverb)

Self Praise is no praise. (Hindi Proverb)

There is nothing noble in being superior to some other man. The true nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Hindu Proverb)

True nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Hindustani Proverb)

To know one's self is to know others, for heart can understand heart. (Chinese Proverb)

Conceit is the self satisfaction of a jackass. (Albanian Proverb)

Self -- love is the worst of all flattery. (French Proverb)

There is nothing noble in being superior to some other person. The true nobility is in being superior to your previous self. (Indian Proverb)

All is within yourself. Know your most inward self and look for what corresponds with it in nature. (Traditional Proverb)

The first and best victory is to conquer one's self. (Traditional Proverb)

Bright but hidden, the Self dwells in the heart. Everything that moves, breathes, opens, and closes Lives in the Self. He is the source of love And may be known through love but not through thought. He is the goal of life. Attain this goal. (Traditional Proverb)

Mercy to living beings, self restraint, truth, honesty, chastity and contentment, right faith and knowledge, and austerity are but the entourage of morality. (Traditional Proverb)

Like two golden birds perched on the selfsame tree, intimate friends, the ego and the Self dwell in the same body. The former eats the sweet and sour fruits of the tree of life while the latter looks on in detachment. As long as we think we are the ego, we feel attached and fall into sorrow. But realize that you are the Self, the Lord of life, and you will be freed from sorrow. When you realize that you are the Self, supreme source of light, supreme source of love, you transcend the quality of life and enter into the unitive state.

(Traditional Proverb)

Kindness is that perfume which cannot be poured on others without getting a few drops on one's self. (Traditional Proverb)

When identified with the ego, the Self appears other than what it is. It may appear smaller

than a hair's breadth. But know the Self to be infinite. (Traditional Proverb)

Truth, self control, asceticism, generosity, non-injury, constancy in virtue these are the means of success, not caste or family. (Traditional Proverb)

There are two selves, the separate ego and the indivisible Atman. When one rises above I and me and mine, the Atman is revealed as one's real Self. (Traditional Proverb)

The ignorant think the Self can be known by the intellect, but the illumined know he is beyond the duality of the knower and the known. (Traditional Proverb)

The aspirant who is seeking the Lord must free himself from selfish attachments to people, money, and possessions. When his mind sheds every selfish desire, he becomes free from the duality of pleasure and pain and rules his senses. No more is he capable of ill will no more is he subject to elation, for his senses come to rest in the Self. (Traditional Proverb)

Self praise is odious. (Latin Proverb)

Self exaltation is the fool's paradise. (Italian Proverb)

Self is the man. (German Proverb)

Well-regulated charity begins with one's self.
(French Proverb)

SELLING:

Three things make a man rich: Earning and not spending, promising and not doing, buying and not selling. (Sicilian Proverb)

Buying and selling is but winning and losing.
(English Proverb)

You don't learn anything from buying, but you do from selling. (Russian Proverb)

There is a great art in selling the wind.
(Spanish Proverb)

Sleep after selling horses and elephants.
(Indian Proverb)

SENSE AND PERCEPTION:

Demand a kiss from a fat woman, and be ready to receive a sweet taste.
(Turkish Proverb)

In proportion as anger comes, sense departs.
(Turkish Proverb)

You must judge a woman by the taste of her soup.(Ugandan Proverb)

Hope may give a man strength, but not sense.
(Yiddish Proverb)

The white head often lacks good sense.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Who has never had good sense, and by age thirty still doesn't, certainly will never have it after that.(Sicilian Proverb)

A man with a sense of humor is never at a loss for words or action.(Somali Proverb)

Out of sight, out of langer.(Scottish Proverb)

At the pharmacy don't taste, at the blacksmith's don't touch.(Sicilian Proverb)

For a taste treat, try tuna roe and thorny cardoons.(Sicilian Proverb)

Judge wine by its taste, and bread by its color.(Sicilian Proverb)

There is taste in variety, and variety in taste.(Nicaraguan Proverb)

We carry our neighbors' failings in sight; we throw our own crimes over our shoulders.

(Romanian Proverb)

When a woman prepares a dish which others find unpalatable, she says that she prepared it to suit her own taste.

(Nigerian Proverb)

If there was not bad taste, goods would not be sold.

(Panamanian Proverb)

Envy for a friend is like the taste of a sour pumpkin.

(Peruvian Proverb)

Taste in variety, variety in taste.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

Seven women in their right senses are surpassed by a mad man.

(Maltese Proverb)

Women have got long hair and short sense.

(Maltese Proverb)

Nothing reaches the intellect before making its appearance in the senses.

(Latin Proverb)

Common sense is essential.

(Japanese Proverb)

Every worm to his taste.

(Japanese Proverb)

Only love gives us the taste of eternity.

(Jewish Proverb)

Absence is a foe to love; out of sight out of mind.(Italian Proverb)

What de good a education if him got no sense?

(Jamaican Proverb)

No-one is ever poor who has the sight of his eyes and the use of his feet.(Irish Proverb)

Sense doesn't come before age.(Irish Proverb)

There is no fool who has not his own kind of sense.(Irish Proverb)

When the drink is in, the sense is out.

(Irish Proverb)

When the drop is inside, the sense is outside.

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When the fruit is scarcest, its taste is sweetest.(Irish Proverb)

You didn't turn up when sense was being distributed. (Irish Proverb)

A little of anything isn't worth a pin; but a wee bit of sense is worth a lot. (Irish Proverb)

Although pepper is tiny, its taste is intense. (Hungarian Proverb)

Nothing looks so like a man of sense as a fool who holds his tongue. (German Proverb)

Who is out of sight is out of mind. (Estonian Proverb)

Never, Never... allow anyone to persuade you to suspend your common sense. (English Proverb)

When your finger is in pain, your sight is not lazy. (Ekonda Proverb)

Common sense isn't common. (English Proverb)

To enjoy a grander sight, climb to a greater height. (Chinese Proverb)

Evah fool got ?e sense. (Bajan Proverb)

Though pepper is a tiny thing, its taste is mighty powerful. (Arabic Proverb)

To laugh at a man with sense is the privilege of fools.(Albanian Proverb)

'tis the taste that tells the tale.
(Albanian Proverb)

Common sense is very uncommon with a lot of people.(Albanian Proverb)

Common sense is genius dressed in its working clothes.(Albanian Proverb)

The palm-wine we drink, some people can drink it and remain wise; others lose all their senses.(African Proverb)

One who eats alone cannot discuss the taste of the food with others.(African Proverb)

It's not the aroma of the soup that tells you whether it's sweet or not, but it's the tongue's taste.(African Proverb)

A lazy fly cannot have a taste of a fresh wound.(African Proverb)

There are three friends in this world: courage, sense, and insight.(African Proverb)

There are 40 kinds of lunacy, but only one kind of common sense.(African Proverb)

There are forty kinds of lunacy, but only one kind of common sense.(Bantu Proverb)

A man profits more by the sight of an idiot than by the orations of the learned.
(Arab Proverb)

Labour has a bitter root, but a sweet taste.
(Danish Proverb)

Age does not give you good sense, it only makes you go slowly.(Finnish Proverb)

Men fear danger, women only the sight of it.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

The art is to eat it with taste.(French Proverb)

He must have keen eyes that would know a maid at sight.(German Proverb)

Nothing looks more like a man of sense than a fool who holds his tongue.(German Proverb)

Can the monkey know the taste of ginger?
(Indian Proverb)

Nothing improves the taste of pasta more than a good appetite.(Italian Proverb)

It is in vain to lay a net in sight of the birds.
(Italian Proverb)

Money will buy you everything but good sense.
(Jewish Proverb)

A big crowd, but not a human being in sight!
(Jewish Proverb)

A man of good natural plain common sense.
(Latin Proverb)

Seek advice but use your own common sense.
(Jewish Proverb)

Habit in sinning takes away the sense of sin.
(Latin Proverb)

Good health and good sense are two great blessings. (Latin Proverb)

In vain the net is spread in the sight of the bird. (Latin Proverb)

We live more by fashion than common sense.
(Latin Proverb)

The man of sense does not hang up his knowledge. (Portuguese Proverb)

Send a man of sense on the embassy, and you need not instruct him. (Portuguese Proverb)

Give a hint to the man of sense, and consider the thing done. (Portuguese Proverb)

Who has not had a taste longs to do so, but for whom has tasted then the longing is a hundred times more. (Persian Proverb)

Every man to his taste, as the man said when he kissed his cow. (Scottish Proverb)

The tiger that has once tasted blood is never sated with the taste of it. (Spanish Proverb)

A handful of common sense is worth a bushel of learning. (Traditional Proverb)

Women and wine rid a man of his common sense. (Spanish Proverb)

The aspirant who is seeking the Lord must free himself from selfish attachments to people, money, and possessions. When his mind sheds every selfish desire, he becomes free from the duality of pleasure and pain and rules his senses. No more is he capable of ill will no more is he subject to elation, for his senses come to rest in the Self.

(Traditional Proverb)

A spoon does not know the taste of soup, nor a learned fool the taste of wisdom.

(Welsh Proverb)

Out of sight, out of mind. (Traditional Proverb)

Every one to his taste.(Traditional Proverb)

Horse sense.(Traditional Proverb)

Sense comes with age.(Spanish Proverb)

It takes taste to account for taste.
(Spanish Proverb)

Common sense hides shame.
(Scottish Proverb)

Money buys everything but good sense.
(Jewish Proverb)

Parents can give everything but common sense.(Jewish Proverb)

Good medicine often has a bitter taste.
(Japanese Proverb)

A different man, a different taste.
(Greek Proverb)

Hunger drives good taste away.
(Indian Proverb)

Much taste, much waste.(German Proverb)

Poverty is the sixth sense.(German Proverb)

Every man to his taste.(French Proverb)

Sight goes before hearsay.(Danish Proverb)

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SERVICE:

The service is rendered, the goods awaited.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A raised salary has been earned by service.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Long service awaits rewards.(Sicilian Proverb)

Render the service paid for.(Sicilian Proverb)

Better happy to court, nor good service.
(Scottish Proverb)

Guard your tongue in youth, and in age you
may mature a thought that will be of service to
your people.(Native American Sioux Proverb)

A child's service is little, yet he is no little fool
that despises it.(English Proverb)

No wind is of service to him that is bound for
nowhere.(French Proverb)

A service done to the unwilling is no service.

(Latin Proverb)

Being but a woman, raise not the sword. [Offer not assistance when you can be of no service.]

(Latin Proverb)

My life and soul at your service, but not the pack-saddle. (Portuguese Proverb)

He who would thrive must follow the church, the sea, or the king's service.

(Spanish Proverb)

According to the custom of Aragon, good service, bad guerdon. (Spanish Proverb)

Where there is no rapport there is no sale. Enrolling people in your product or service is the same as enrolling them in you.

(Traditional Proverb)

If you want good service, serve yourself.

(Spanish Proverb)

Love is a kind of military service.

(Latin Proverb)

Service is not inheritance. (Italian Proverb)

Service is greatness. (Indian Proverb)

Proffered service is little valued.

(Dutch Proverb)

Proffered service stinks.(Dutch Proverb)

The more servants the worse service.

(Dutch Proverb)

The worse service, the better luck.

(Dutch Proverb)

Unwilling service earns no thanks.

(Danish Proverb)

SIGN AND SYMBOL:

Changing one's mind is more often a sign of prudence than of ignorance.

(Spanish Proverb)

Let the dogs bark; it's a sign that we are galloping ahead.(Spanish Proverb)

Clouds are the sign of rain.(Swahili Proverb)

When birds aren't making a mess it's a sign that it's been a bad year.(Sicilian Proverb)

Who doesn't intend to pay, signs any contract.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A long tongue is a sign of a short hand.
(Romanian Proverb)

The rainbow is a sign from Him who is in all things.(Native American Hopi Proverb)

A beard is a symbol of courage.
(Klingon Proverb)

Control of mental conduct, not skill, is the sign of a matured samurai.(Japanese Proverb)

Handsome cats and fat dung heaps are the sign of a good farmer.(French Proverb)

If you have no enemies it is a sign fortune has forgot you.(English Proverb)

Never write what you dare not sign.
(English Proverb)

Giving what one does not possess is always a sign of charity.(Corsican Proverb)

A praying pirate is definitely a sign of danger.
(Dutch Proverb)

Nobody's family can hang out the sign,
Nobody's family can hang out the sign,
"Nothing the matter here.(Chinese Proverb)

Nobody's family can hang up the sign,
'nothing the matter here.'(Chinese Proverb)

Silence is the sign of approval.
(Arabic Proverb)

For smart people, signs can replace words.
(Arabic Proverb)

Migration is a sign of protect.(African Proverb)

Saying salaam is a sign of true faith.
(Afghan Proverb)

It is a sign of weakness just to let things
happen.(Arab Proverb)

Gray hair is a sign of age, not of wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

Over no home can the sign be hung: There is
no trouble here.(Latin Proverb)

If the peasant doesn't hear the thunder he
won't make the sign of the cross.
(Russian Proverb)

For him who does not believe in signs, there is
no way to live in the world.(Russian Proverb)

I thought I had made the sign of the cross --
and I hurt my eye.(Spanish Proverb)

To change one's mind is rather a sign of
prudence than ignorance. (Spanish Proverb)

Spilled wine is a sign of happiness, but break
the bed and all will have long faces.
(Spanish Proverb)

It is better not to know and to know that one
does not know, than presumptuously to
attribute some random meaning to symbols.
(Traditional Proverb)

All signs are misleading. (Jewish Proverb)

Continual cheerfulness is a sign of wisdom.
(Irish Proverb)

Good wine needs no sign. (French Proverb)

Old signs do not deceive. (Danish Proverb)

Meaningless laughter is a sign of ill-breeding.
(Arab Proverb)

SILENCE:

Speech is silver, silence is golden.
(Traditional Proverb)

Don't talk unless you can improve the silence.
(American Proverb)

If speech is of silver, silence is golden.
(Yemeni Proverb)

Noble deeds are done in silence.
(Swedish Proverb)

Silence is the soul of negotiation.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Silence does seldom harm.
(Romanian Proverb)

Silence gives consent.(Romanian Proverb)

Silence is often the best answer.
(Romanian Proverb)

The word is silver, the silence is gold.
(Russian Proverb)

Silence has so much meaning.
(Native American Yurok Proverb)

Silence betokens consent.(Persian Proverb)

From the tree of silence hands the fruit of tranquility.(Peruvian Proverb)

As the sands of the desert are to the weary traveler, so are words to he who loveth silence.
(Moroccan Proverb)

The Potato grows in silence, The iron corrodes in silence.(Malay Proverb)

Talking is silver, silence is gold.
(German Proverb)

Either remain quiet, or say things that improve the silence.(Greek Proverb)

Sometimes silence is the proper answer.
(Estonian Proverb)

Speech is oft repented, silence seldom.
(Danish Proverb)

Silence is the answer to many things.
(Dutch Proverb)

No wisdom to silence.(Chinese Proverb)

Silence condemns more effectively than loud accusations.(Chinese Proverb)

True power comes through cooperation and silence.(Ashanti Proverb)

Silence is the sign of approval.
(Arabic Proverb)

Wisdom consists of ten parts: nine parts silence, and one part a few words.

(Arabic Proverb)

If talk is silver then silence is gold.

(Arabic Proverb)

Ate and praised is better than ate and was silence.(Arabic Proverb)

He who knows much speaks with silence.

(Amharic Proverb)

When the big drum is sounded the small drums keep silence.(African Proverb)

Well-timed silence is the most commanding __expression.(African Proverb)

Silence brings wisdom of the ancestors.

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(African Proverb)

A man must suffer in silence.(African Proverb)

Don't undermine my silence, it's got reason; don't rate it, it has got no scale.

(African Proverb)

Silence gives rise to peace and with peace comes security. (African Proverb)

The right answer to a fool is silence.
(Afghan Proverb)

Silence is an attribute of the dead; he who is alive speaks. (Beninese Proverb)

Wisdom consists of ten parts -- nine parts of silence and one part with few words.
(Arab Proverb)

The tree of silence bears the fruits of peace.
(Arab Proverb)

Silence is the best answer to the stupid. The fool has his answer on the tip of his tongue.
(Arab Proverb)

Silence is a wonderful jewel for a woman but she seldom wears it. (Danish Proverb)

It is good speaking that improves good silence.
(Dutch Proverb)

Silence is the best answer to the stupid.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Silence is more than just a lack of words.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Love and let the world know, hate in silence.
(Egyptian Proverb)

We must have reasons for speech but we need none for silence.(French Proverb)

Saying well causes a laugh; doing well produces silence.(French Proverb)

He who would prosper in peace, must suffer in silence.(German Proverb)

Be silent, or say something better than silence.(German Proverb)

You must keep quiet or say only things that improve silence.(Greek Proverb)

In the young, silence is better than speech.
(Greek Proverb)

The virtue of silence is a great piece of knowledge.(Italian Proverb)

If a word be worth one shekel, silence is worth two.(Jewish Proverb)

Silence is a fine jewel for a woman, but it is little worn.(Jewish Proverb)

Truth is violated by a lie or by silence.
(Latin Proverb)

It is but a small merit to observe silence, but it is a grave fault to speak of matters on which we should be silent. (Latin Proverb)

Silence is wisdom and gets a man friends. (Latin Proverb)

Silence is the greatest ornament in a woman. (Latin Proverb)

Repentance for silence is better than repentance for speaking. (Moorish Proverb)

A judge and a stomach do their asking in silence. (Russian Proverb)

Great things can best be said in silence. (Polish Proverb)

I grew up among wise men and found that there is nothing better for man than silence. (Sierra Leonean Proverb)

The newborn baby yells; you die in silence. (Russian Proverb)

Don't speak unless you can improve on the silence. (Spanish Proverb)

Silence and look out, we shall catch both hen and chicks. (Spanish Proverb)

A woman may suffer in many ways. But never in silence.(Traditional Proverb)

If a word spoken in its time is worth one piece of money, silence in its time is worth two.
(Traditional Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence.(Traditional Proverb)

Exuberance is a good stimulus towards action, but the inner light grows in silence and concentration.(Traditional Proverb)

Do not speak unless you can improve the silence.(Traditional Proverb)

When frogs are croaking, then silence is becoming.(Traditional Proverb)

There is no reply to the ignorant like keeping silence.(Turkish Proverb)

Silence is music to a wise man.
(Turkish Proverb)

Silence is also speech.(West African Proverb)

Silence implies consent.(Traditional Proverb)

Silence is golden.(Traditional Proverb)

Even silence is an answer.(Romanian Proverb)

Silence is golden.(Latin Proverb)

Silence is the voice of complicity.
(Latin Proverb)

Silence means consent.(Latin Proverb)

The reward of silence is certain.
(Latin Proverb)

They who are thirsty drink in silence.
(Latin Proverb)

Silence is a woman's best garment.
(Jewish Proverb)

Talking comes by nature, silence by wisdom.
(Jewish Proverb)

Unspoken words are the flowers of silence.
(Japanese Proverb)

Silence heals all ills.(Jewish Proverb)

Silence is a fence around wisdom.
(Jewish Proverb)

Silence was never written down.

(Italian Proverb)

You cannot write down a meaningful silence.

(Italian Proverb)

Silence makes irritation grow.

(Japanese Proverb)

Silence surpasses speech.(Japanese Proverb)

Even silence speaks.(Hausa Proverb)

No one betrays himself by silence.

(German Proverb)

Silence and reflection cause no dejection.

(German Proverb)

Speaking comes by nature, silence by understanding.(German Proverb)

The best answer to anger is silence.

(German Proverb)

Silence is the soul of all things.

(French Proverb)

Silence is sometimes the answer.

(Estonian Proverb)

Silence answers much. (Dutch Proverb)

Speaking is silver, silence is gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

The fruit of silence is tranquility.
(Arab Proverb)

Speaking silence is better than senseless speech. (Danish Proverb)

Speech is often repented, silence never.
(Danish Proverb)

Speech is silver, but silence is golden.
(Danish Proverb)

The fruit of silence is tranquility.
(Arab Proverb)

Silence is the door of consent. (Berber Proverb)

Silence is golden, speech is silver.
(American Proverb)

Silence is a brother of delight. (Arab Proverb)

Silence is a cure for grief. (Arab Proverb)

Silence is the interpreter of happiness.
(Arab Proverb)

SILVER:

To speak is silver, to keep silent is gold.

(Swedish Proverb)

Speech is silver, silence is golden.

(Traditional Proverb)

If speaking is silver, then listening is gold.

(Turkish Proverb)

If speech is of silver, silence is golden.

(Yemeni Proverb)

The oil merchant handles gold and diamonds;
the grain merchant does business with silver,
but the wine merchant is a poor man.

(Sicilian Proverb)

It is weil warit they have sorrow, that buyes it
with their silver.

(Scottish Proverb)

The word is silver, the silence is gold.

(Russian Proverb)

Bonie silver is soon spendit. (Scottish Proverb)

To be without silver is better than to be
without honor. (Norse Proverb)

Talking is silver, silence is gold.

(German Proverb)

Many a cloud has a silver lining.

(English Proverb)

Butter is gold in the morning, silver at noon,
lead at night. (English Proverb)

Speaking is silver, being silent is gold.

(Dutch Proverb)

The sky does not rain gold or silver.

(Arabic Proverb)

All that shines is not silver. (Albanian Proverb)

Even if a knife is made of silver, a person
won't stab his own heart with it.

(Afghan Proverb)

Gold and silver are mingled with dirt, till
avarice parted them. (Chinese Proverb)

For a flying enemy make a silver bridge.

(Dutch Proverb)

All my goods are of silver and gold, even my
copper kettle, says the boaster.

(Dutch Proverb)

All that glitters is not gold, nor all that sparkles silver. (Finnish Proverb)

He is like a silver pin, Fair without, but foul within. (French Proverb)

He who sleeps in a silver bed has golden dreams. (German Proverb)

Cheese is gold in the morning, silver at noon, and lead at night. (German Proverb)

Brandy is as lead in the morning, silver at noon, and gold at night. (German Proverb)

What you give for the cause of charity in health is gold; what you give in sickness is silver; what you give after death is lead. (Jewish Proverb)

A swarm in May is worth a load of hay; a swarm in June is worth a silver spoon; but a swarm in July is not worth a fly. (Latin Proverb)

Sleep on a bed of silver and dream of gold. (Lithuanian Proverb)

Make a silver bridge for a flying enemy. (Portuguese Proverb)

Make a bridge of silver for the flying enemy.
(Spanish Proverb)

A swarm of bees in June is worth a silver spoon.(Traditional Proverb)

Every cloud has a silver lining.
(Spanish Proverb)

The silver is become dross.(Latin Proverb)

Speaking is silver, silence is gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

Silver and gold are all men's dears.
(Danish Proverb)

Speech is silver, but silence is golden.
(Danish Proverb)

Silence is golden, speech is silver.
(American Proverb)

SIMPLICITY:

To be simple is a pedestrian virtue, but to persevere in simplicity is a virtue of spiritual giants.(Hebrew Proverb)

Genius can be recognized by its childish simplicity. (Chinese Proverb)

A truly great man never puts away the simplicity of a child. (Chinese Proverb)

Simplicity: much happiness is lost in the pursuit of it. (Traditional Proverb)

Simplicity is the seal of truth.
(Traditional Proverb)

SIN:

For a new sin, a new penance.
(Venezuelan Proverb)

A great sin can enter by a small door.
(Welsh Proverb)

Who dies today is safe from tomorrow's sin.
(Yemeni Proverb)

Who robs commits a sin, who is robbed commits a hundred. (Sicilian Proverb)

It is a sin to lie on the Devil. (Scottish Proverb)

Age and sins are more than are admitted.
(Sicilian Proverb)

An old sin, a new sentence.(Sicilian Proverb)

If you leave the safe open even a saint will sin.(Sicilian Proverb)

January commits the sin and May gets blamed.(Sicilian Proverb)

Repentance washes away sin.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Old sin makes new shame.
(Romanian Proverb)

Poverty is no sin.(Romanian Proverb)

The law grows of sin, and chastises it.
(Romanian Proverb)

Asking is no sin, and being refused is no tragedy.(Russian Proverb)

One who is free to sin, sins less; the very power weakens the seeds of sin.
(Pakistani Proverb)

There are four things every person has more of than they know; sins, debt, years, and foes.
(Persian Proverb)

To show one's fist to a blind man is neither a sin nor a virtue.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Poverty is no sin, but terribly inconvenient.
(Japanese Proverb)

He who thinks badly commits a sin but hits the mark.(Italian Proverb)

Sin is not perfect until one prides oneself on it.
(Icelandic Proverb)

It's not the sin that maddens a person but the desire to do it.(Hebrew Proverb)

The beginning of sin is sweet; its end is bitter.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Many people preach righteousness and perform sins.(German Proverb)

Who is not ashamed doubles his sins.
(German Proverb)

The sins we often regret are the sins we never commit.(Greek Proverb)

Old sins have long shadows.(English Proverb)

Sin is the root of much sorrow.
(English Proverb)

Who eats lying on his side will commit ten sins, who eats lying on his back will commit seven sins.(Estonian Proverb)

It is a sin against hospitality to open the doors and shut up the countenance.

(English Proverb)

It is no sin to sell dear, but a sin to give ill measure.(English Proverb)

When the treasure chest is open, even the just man sins.(Ecuadorian Proverb)

Do no evil, it's a sin.(Corsican Proverb)

Doing that which has been done to us is not a sin.(Corsican Proverb)

He who tells the truth doesn't sin, but he causes many inconveniences.(Cuban Proverb)

That which is a sin in others is a virtue in ourselves.(Chilean Proverb)

To be poor is not a sin, it's better to avoid it anyway.(Bengali Proverb)

Sin concealed needs two forgiving.
(Albanian Proverb)

Beating the dead is a sin.(Arabic Proverb)

Your whole destiny is involved in the attitude you take toward your sin.(Albanian Proverb)

Who avoids temptation avoids sin.

(Albanian Proverb)

Men are punished by their sins, not for them.

(Albanian Proverb)

Keep yourself from the opportunity and god will keep you from the sin. (Albanian Proverb)

He that swims in sin will sink in sorrow.

(Albanian Proverb)

Avoid anger and you will not sin.

(Albanian Proverb)

No sin goes unpunished. (African Proverb)

Man sins. (Afghan Proverb)

The one who asks commits no sin.

(Acholi Proverb)

Man sins... then blames it on the devil.

(Afghan Proverb)

God is not without sins: He created the world.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

There are four things Allah cannot do: lie, deny himself, die or look favorably on sin.

(Arab Proverb)

It is easier not to commit a sin than to repent it. (Arab Proverb)

Where a chest lieth open, a righteous man may sin. (Chinese Proverb)

That which comes with sin, goes with sorrow. (Danish Proverb)

With a good name one may easily sin. (Dutch Proverb)

When all other sins are old, greed still stays young. (French Proverb)

Force me, and I shall commit no sin, said the girl. (German Proverb)

Not to be ashamed of sin is to sin double. (German Proverb)

That usury is a sin some hold, but take for granted they've no gold. (German Proverb)

Sin when you are drunk, pay the fine when you are sober. (German Proverb)

Who avoids small sins, does not fall into great ones. (German Proverb)

Who avoids small sins, does not fall into great ones. (German Proverb)

It is not a sin to sell dear, but it is to make ill measure. (Irish Proverb)

Poor men do penance for rich men's sins. (Italian Proverb)

Keep yourself from opportunities and God will keep you from sins. (Italian Proverb)

In men every mortal sin is venial, in women every venial sin is mortal. (Italian Proverb)

If the wife sins, the husband is not innocent. (Italian Proverb)

If not for fear, sin would be sweet. (Jewish Proverb)

Commit a sin twice and it will not seem a crime. (Jewish Proverb)

Years and sins are always more than admitted. (Italian Proverb)

Until a child is one year old it is incapable of sin. (Jewish Proverb)

Sins hide not in your sleep but in your dreams. (Jewish Proverb)

Habit in sinning takes away the sense of sin. (Latin Proverb)

According to the nature of his sin shall a man be punished. (Latin Proverb)

It is more wicked to love a sin than to commit one. (Latin Proverb)

The knowledge of sin is the beginning of salvation. (Latin Proverb)

The sin for which you repent is the father of virtue; but a virtue that you talk about, is the mother of sin. (Malagasy Proverb)

One sin is too much, a hundred prayers are not enough. (Persian Proverb)

If you really have to sin, then choose a sin that you enjoy. (Persian Proverb)

To ask is no sin, and to be refused is no calamity. (Russian Proverb)

Poverty is not a sin, it's worse than that. (Russian Proverb)

Poverty is a sin that the rich never forgive. (Russian Proverb)

Make peace with people; wage war with your sins. (Russian Proverb)

Make peace with man and war with your sins. (Russian Proverb)

Do not make me kiss, and you will not make me sin. (Russian Proverb)

He who is proud of his sins, sins twice as much. (Spanish Proverb)

He who avoids the temptation avoids the sin. (Spanish Proverb)

Poverty is no sin, but it is a branch of roguery. (Spanish Proverb)

Take away the motive, and the sin is taken away. (Spanish Proverb)

It is a sin against hospitality, to open your doors and darken your countenance. (Traditional Proverb)

The knowledge of sin tempteth to its commission. (Traditional Proverb)

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No sin is hidden to the soul. (Indian Proverb)

All sins cast long shadows. (Irish Proverb)

A hidden sin is half forgiven. (Italian Proverb)

Idleness is the beginning of all sin.

(German Proverb)

It's a sin to steal a pin.(German Proverb)

The devil rebukes sin.(French Proverb)

Boredom is the father of all sins.

(German Proverb)

He who loses sins.(French Proverb)

Nip sin in the bud.(French Proverb)

Old sins, new shame.(French Proverb)

God forgives the sin of gluttony.

(Catalonian Proverb)

Old sins cast long shadows.(Danish Proverb)

Sins of omission are seldom fun.

(Arab Proverb)

SINCERITY:

That which comes from the heart is always sincere.(Albanian Proverb)

Late repentance is rarely sincere.

(Latin Proverb)

Self-praise stinks, friends praise hinks, the stranger's is sincere, and may last for a year.

(German Proverb)

Sincerity gives wings to power. (Latin Proverb)

SINGING:

The man with a beautiful wife is always singing, the one with little money is always counting. (Sicilian Proverb)

Tie the burden securely and go off singing. (Sicilian Proverb)

Loving and singing are two things that should not be forced. (German Proverb)

Singing "Alelulia" everywhere does not prove piety. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Money doesn't come from singing. (Corsican Proverb)

If I keep a green bough in my heart, then the singing bird will come. (Chinese Proverb)

Keep a green tree in your heart and perhaps the singing bird will come. (Chinese Proverb)

If I keep a green bough in my heart, the singing bird will come. (Chinese Proverb)

When a woman is not singing, she is not working much either. (Egyptian Proverb)

Loving and singing are not to be forced. (German Proverb)

Three things that can't be taught: generosity, poetry and a singing voice. (Irish Proverb)

Conversation shortens the distance, singing lightens the load. (Russian Proverb)

Even the sharpest ear cannot hear an ant singing. (Sudanese Proverb)

Singing "Alleluia" everywhere does not prove piety. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Singing birds don't build nests. (Cameroonian Proverb)

SISTER:

The horns of the sister are horns of gold; the horns of the wife are true horns.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Sister Nicola said: Don't put the pasta basket in the water until it's boiling. (Sicilian Proverb)

Regard Heaven as your father, Earth as your Mother and all things as your Brothers and Sisters. (Native American Plains Proverb)

All plants are our brothers and sisters. They talk to us and if we listen, we can hear them.

(Native American Arapaho Proverb)

Asking is the sister of knowing.

(Maltese Proverb)

Never have sex with the boss' sister.

(Klingon Proverb)

Once we meet and talk, we are brothers and sisters. (Japanese Proverb)

Misery and poverty are two sisters; discord is their first cousin. (Corsican Proverb)

Suspicion is the sister of the wrong.

(Arabic Proverb)

Knowledge is the sister of folly.

(Albanian Proverb)

A sin against a brother or sister is an offence against the gods.(African Proverb)

Better to have something yourself, than to beg of your sister.(Danish Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is the sister of folly.
(English Proverb)

If you do not travel, you will marry your own sister.(Mozambican Proverb)

When a needle sees a dagger, she cries "O sister!"(Russian Proverb)

Beauty is the sister of idleness and the mother of luxury.(Russian Proverb)

All you under the heaven Regard heaven as your father, earth as your mother, and all things as your brothers and sisters.
(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty's sister is vanity, and its daughter lust.
(Traditional Proverb)

Brothers and sisters are as close as hands and feet.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Custom and law are sisters.(Slovak Proverb)

Good health is the sister of beauty.
(Maltese Proverb)

SLAVERY:

He who renounces his ancestry is like a slave.
(Swahili Proverb)

The same rain that drenches the slave also
drenches the slave driver.(Igbo Proverb)

A sword in the hands of a drunken slave is
less dangerous than science in the hands of
the immoral.(Iranian Proverb)

Who is made to slave should do it with
pleasure.(Estonian Proverb)

Better the grave than a slave.(Bulgarian)

The excessively kind-hearted person becomes
a slave.(Burmese Proverb)

If a man does only what is required of him, he
is a slave.(Chinese Proverb)

To be a public man is slavery.(Albanian)

Better an old man's darling than a young man's slave. (Albanian Proverb)

A slave must be humble. (African Proverb)

It's better to eat a mushroom in freedom than to eat meat in slavery. (African Proverb)

Having little knowledge is like having your hands tied around your neck like a slave. (African Proverb)

Work like a slave and eat like a gentleman. (Albanian Proverb)

Fire is a good slave, but a bad master. (Albanian Proverb)

When the heart acts the body is its slave. (African Proverb)

Seven days king, seven days minister, slave for the rest of your life. (Arab Proverb)

He who is a slave of truth is a free man. (Arab Proverb)

Call someone your lord and he'll sell you in the slave market. (Arab Proverb)

He who carries too much tenderness will become a slave. (Burmese Proverb)

When a slave mounts a camel he wants to ride on both humps. (Egyptian Proverb)

The tyrant is only the slave turned inside out. (Egyptian Proverb)

Better be an old man's darling than a young man's slave. (French Proverb)

Hunger is felt by a slave and hunger is felt by a king. (Ghanaian Proverb)

You are still a slave if only your limbs are free. (German Proverb)

He who revealeth his secret maketh himself a slave. (Greek Proverb)

Rather be a slave to a rich man than the spouse of a poor man. (Indian Proverb)

If you call a lady a slave, she laughs, but if you call a slave a slave, he cries.
(Indian Proverb)

He who works as a slave, eats as a king.
(Indian Proverb)

For the first five years of your son's life treat him as a prince, for the next ten years as a slave, then as a friend for the rest of his life.
(Indian Proverb)

God did not create woman from man's head, that he should command her, nor from his feet, that she should be his slave, but rather from his side, that she should be near his heart. (Jewish Proverb)

Better in the grave than be a slave.
(Korean Proverb)

Every lover is a slave: he follows captive at his mistress's heels. (Latin Proverb)

No one is free who is a slave to his body.
(Latin Proverb)

A sword in the hands of a drunken slave is less dangerous than science in the hands of the unscrupulous. (Persian Proverb)

A man's servant can live for a hundred years; the slave of a woman dies in six months.
(Persian Proverb)

Rather free in a foreign place than a slave back home. (Norwegian Proverb)

It is better to be a free man in a small house than a slave in a big one. (Norwegian Proverb)

The mistress is queen, the wife is the slave.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A son should be treated as a prince for five years as a slave for ten years but from his sixteenth birthday, as a close friend.

(Traditional Proverb)

Better to be a poor woman than the slave of the rich.

(Swedish Proverb)

Be the master of your will and the slave of your conscience.

(Traditional Proverb)

Words spoken, you are a slave to those not said, you are the master of.

(Traditional Proverb)

Your five year old son is your instructor; at ten your slave; at fifteen your equal and after that either friend or foe.

(Turkish Proverb)

The person who has been a slave from birth does not value rebellion.

(Yoruban Proverb)

Benefits make a man a slave.

(Traditional Proverb)

Poverty is slavery.

(Somali Proverb)

Voluntary work is better than slavery.

(Nigerian Proverb)

A king or a slave.

(Latin Proverb)

A slave has no choice. (Kenyan Proverb)

A slave does not choose his master.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

Lean liberty is better than fat slavery.
(German Proverb)

SLEEP:

If you want your dreams to come true, don't over sleep. (Yiddish Proverb)

When the businessmen sleep, the ad works.
(Swedish Proverb)

Work sweetens the sleep. (Swedish Proverb)

Don't tread on the tail of a sleeping snake.
(Turkish Proverb)

No good will come of over sleeping.
(Welsh Proverb)

The yawn doesn't lie: it wants you to eat or sleep. (Sicilian Proverb)

When the ripened ears are full and fall over, as if in sleep, the farmer awakens, that is to say, he begins the harvest. (Sicilian Proverb)

Do not wake one who is sleeping; you will fall asleep yourself. (Swahili Proverb)

The creaking of the door deprives me of no sleep. (Swahili Proverb)

Do not wake up the sleeping bear.
(Swedish Proverb)

Waken not sleeping dogs. (Scottish Proverb)

April is the time for sweet sleep, don't take things off, don't put things on.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to die quickly, wash your head and go to sleep. (Sicilian Proverb)

Night time sleep counsels man.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Plough deep, while sluggards sleep; and you shall have corn to sell and keep.
(Romanian Proverb)

Sleep is the image of death.
(Romanian Proverb)

As you make your bed, so you will sleep.
(Russian Proverb)

Makes the bed soft, yet hard to sleep.

(Russian Proverb)

The less you know, the more soundly you

sleep.(Russian Proverb)

The more you know the less will you sleep.

(Russian Proverb)

Sleep and indolence are not cousins of a good

harvest.(Nigerian Proverb)

An empty head gets the easiest sleep.

(Norwegian Proverb)

If you know lullaby, why can't you sleep?

(Persian Proverb)

He who searches for pearls should not sleep.

(Libyan Proverb)

Sleep can interfere...(Klingon Proverb)

An idle person may have just three tasks:

sleeping, eating and quarrelling.

(Kashmiri Proverb)

Sleep and wait for good luck.

(Japanese Proverb)

The poor sleep soundly.(Japanese Proverb)

Only a medicine man gets rich by sleeping.
(Kamba Proverb)

A good laugh and a long sleep are the two best
cures in the doctor's book.(Irish Proverb)

The devil does not sleep.(Hungarian Proverb)

Work doesn't scare him, but he could lay
down near it and sleep.(Finnish Proverb)

Without sleep, no health.(English Proverb)

A man is known to be mortal by two things,
sleep and lust.(English Proverb)

Do not wake sleeping dogs.(Dutch Proverb)

Sleep is the brother of Death.
(Chinese Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping lion.(Chinese Proverb)

The animal rambling in the stable makes the
sleeping ones rise too.(Bajan Proverb)

Sleep is half of Health.(Bengali Proverb)

Plough your furrows deep while sluggards
sleep, and you shall have corn to sell and to
keep.(Albanian Proverb)

Eat less food to find more sleep.

(Arabic Proverb)

A day without work can yield a night without sleep.(Albanian Proverb)

It is a man with a harp who should decide how he is going to sleep.(African Proverb)

The eye is not harmed by sleep.

(African Proverb)

If you are threatened by a man, sleep at night, if it is by a woman then stay awake.

(African Proverb)

Sleep with a woman and she will make sure you wake up.(Basque Proverb)

The mother of someone who is killed can sleep; the mother of the murderer cannot.

(Arab Proverb)

Curse your wife at evening, sleep alone at night.(Chinese Proverb)

If all else fails, sleep with your mother.

(Catalonian Proverb)

Don't tell any more fairy tales when the child has gone to sleep.(Burundian Proverb)

The loss of one night's sleep is followed by ten days of inconvenience. (Chinese Proverb)

Law helps the waking, luck may come to the sleeping. (Danish Proverb)

Lambs don't run with the mouth of the sleeping wolf. (Danish Proverb)

No sheep runs into the mouth of a sleeping wolf. (Dutch Proverb)

You may force a man to shut his eyes, but not to sleep. (Danish Proverb)

When many shepherds tend the sheep, they but so much the longer sleep. (Dutch Proverb)

Precaution said, Good friend, this counsel keep: strip not yourself until you're laid to sleep. (Dutch Proverb)

The person who is tired will find time to sleep. A person with a bad name is already half hanged. (English Proverb)

For some of us happiness comes while we sleep. (French Proverb)

Nothing falls into the mouth of a sleeping fox. (French Proverb)

When three people say you are drunk, go to sleep. (Georgian Proverb)

Lazy men get active when it's time to sleep. (German Proverb)

Never tickle the nose of a sleeping bear. (German Proverb)

When the dog is awake, the shepherd may sleep. (German Proverb)

A good laugh and a long sleep are the best cures in the doctor's book. (Irish Proverb)

Get a good name and go to sleep. (Italian Proverb)

When everybody says you are drunk, go to sleep. (Italian Proverb)

To expect what never comes, to lie in bed and not sleep, to serve well and not be advanced, are three things to die of. (Italian Proverb)

The lion and the lamb shall lie down together, but the lamb won't get much sleep. (Italian Proverb)

The dog that quits barking can get some sleep. (Italian Proverb)

If I sleep, I sleep for myself; if I work, I know not for whom. (Italian Proverb)

If you want your dreams to come true, don't sleep. (Jewish Proverb)

If two people say he is drunk, the third one should sleep. (Jewish Proverb)

If the skin of your belly is tight, the skin of your eyelids can sleep. (Japanese Proverb)

The way you prepare the bed, so shall you sleep. (Jewish Proverb)

Small children won't let you sleep, bigger children won't let you live. (Jewish Proverb)

Sleep on a bed of silver and dream of gold. (Lithuanian Proverb)

Seven hours of sleep is enough for the young and the aged. (Latin Proverb)

The hunter does not rub himself in oil and lie by the fire to sleep. (Nigerian Proverb)

If you would grow poor without perceiving it, employ workmen and go to sleep. (Portuguese Proverb)

Eat in Poland, drink in Hungary, sleep in Germany, and make love in Italy.

(Polish Proverb)

The guard's sleep is the lamplight of the thief.

(Persian Proverb)

The more you know, the less you sleep.

(Russian Proverb)

He who has enemies, let him not sleep.

(Spanish Proverb)

Sleep over it, and you will come to a resolution. (Spanish Proverb)

Sleep is the best cure for waking troubles.

(Spanish Proverb)

Plough deep whilst sluggards sleep, And you shall have corn to sell and to keep.

(Spanish Proverb)

If men swear that they want to harm you when you are asleep, you can go to sleep. If women say so, stay awake. (Traditional Proverb)

Peace is the fruit of activity, not of sleep.

(Traditional Proverb)

The person who is tired will find time to sleep.

(Traditional Proverb)

The law helps those who watch, not those who sleep. (Traditional Proverb)

Small children disturb your sleep, big children your life. (Traditional Proverb)

Sleep is better than medicine.
(Traditional Proverb)

Dine with arrogance, sleep with shame.
(Spanish Proverb)

Sleeping shrimp gets taken by the current.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Become famous, then go to sleep.
(South American Proverb)

Reward not a sleeping pilot. (Latin Proverb)

Sleep is all important. (Latin Proverb)

Sleep not in time of peril. (Latin Proverb)

Sleep is the poor man's treasure.
(Latvian Proverb)

Nobody wants to buy a sleeping horse.
(Mexican Proverb)

Sleep faster -- we need the pillows.
(Jewish Proverb)

No sleep, no dream.(Korean Proverb)

One flea does not hinder sleep.
(Italian Proverb)

He who cannot sleep can still dream.
(Ivorian Proverb)

Sleep has no master.(Jamaican Proverb)

Poor men sleep the best.(Japanese Proverb)

Sleeping people can't fall down.
(Japanese Proverb)

Sleep after selling horses and elephants.
(Indian Proverb)

The beginning of health is sleep.(Irish Proverb)

Fortune, and go to sleep.(Italian Proverb)

Have luck, and sleep.(Italian Proverb)

Let sleeping dogs lie.(German Proverb)

Rent and taxes never sleep.(German Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping cat.(French Proverb)

An enemy does not sleep.(French Proverb)

I'll sleep on it.(Dutch Proverb)

Wake not a sleeping dog.(Dutch Proverb)

Sleep is the cousin of death.
(Congolese Proverb)

Throw no stones at a sleeping dog.
(Danish Proverb)

SMILING:

When a man hurries, the devil smiles.
(Polish Proverb)

We come into this world crying while all around us are smiling. May we so live that we go out of this world smiling while everybody around us is weeping.(Persian Proverb)

Always remember that a smile is something sacred, to be shared.
(Native American Cherokee Proverb)

Don't trust those who frequently smile.
(Klingon Proverb)

The bigger the smile, the sharper the knife.
(Klingon Proverb)

Instead of worrying, a strong man wears a smile. (Japanese Proverb)

When a father helps a son, both smile; but when a son must help his father, both cry. (Jewish Proverb)

May the smile of God light you to glory. (Irish Proverb)

Trouble hates nothing as much as a smile. (Irish Proverb)

You can close the city gates, but you can't close the people's mouths. It's better to flee and stay alive than to die and become a hero. A timely tear is better than a misplaced smile. (Iranian Proverb)

Whoever welcomes his friend with a smile, it's as though he gave his friend the finest gifts in the world. (Hebrew Proverb)

Smile, and the world smiles with you. Cry, and you cry alone. (English Proverb)

Smart who smiles, stupid who laughs. (Estonian Proverb)

Life is short; but it barely takes a second to smile. (Cuban Proverb)

If you see the fangs of the lions, don't think the lion is smiling. (Arabic Proverb)

A smile is worth a thousand words.
(Albanian Proverb)

Deceit is a lie which wears a smile.
(Albanian Proverb)

Candour once went further boldly and in smiles, but it crept home in tatters and tears. (Albanian Proverb)

The shortest distance between two people is a smile. (African Proverb)

A friend who fawns is better than an enemy who smiles. (African Proverb)

The cheapest way to win a person is by a smile. (African Proverb)

The cheapest way to improve your looks is to wear a smile. (African Proverb)

Life is like a mirror if you fawn it, it fawns back and if you smile, it smiles.
(African Proverb)

If it's a big man that is hurting you, smile at him. (African Proverb)

Don't open a shop unless you like to smile.
(Chinese Proverb)

A person without a smiling face must never
open a shop.(Chinese Proverb)

If you have nothing else to offer me, offer me
your smile.(Chinese Proverb)

When a woman talks to you, smile but do not
listen.(Chinese Proverb)

A friend's frown is better than a fool's smile.
(Danish Proverb)

The teeth are smiling, but is the heart?
(Congolese Proverb)

A beautiful woman smiling, bespeaks a purse
weeping.(Italian Proverb)

Smiles that you broadcast, will always come
back to you.(Indian Proverb)

Don't open a shop unless you know how to
smile.(Jewish Proverb)

Never rely on the glory of the morning nor the
smiles of your mother-in-law.
(Japanese Proverb)

He who wears a smile instead of worrying is always the strongest. **(Japanese Proverb)**

You cannot strike a face that is smiling.
(Korean Proverb)

The man who gives little with a smile gives more than the man who gives much with a frown. **(Jewish Proverb)**

A tear at the right moment is better than a misplaced smile. **(Persian Proverb)**

A cup must be bitter that a smile will not sweeten. **(Maltese Proverb)**

Patience begins with tears and ends with a smile. **(Spanish Proverb)**

A man without a smiling face must not open a shop. **(Traditional Proverb)**

I die well paid, whilst my expiring breath,
smiles o'er the tombs of foes made kin by death. **(Traditional Proverb)**

Flowers are God's way of smiling.
(Traditional Proverb)

A smiling face dispels unhappiness.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Every tear has a smile behind it.

(Persian Proverb)

Once in each man's life fortune smiles.

(Latin Proverb)

People worry, and God smiles.

(Jewish Proverb)

Fortune will call at the smiling gate.

(Japanese Proverb)

A smile shortens the distance.

(French Proverb)

When prosperity smiles, beware of its guiles.

(Dutch Proverb)

Smile... heaven is watching! (African Proverb)

SNOW:

In spring no one thinks of the snow that fell last year. (Swedish Proverb)

It's dumb to put snow on the kitchen spit, the snow melts and the fire goes out.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A year of snow, bodes a good year for olives.
(Sicilian Proverb)

The first snow does not mean winter, nor the first love marriage.(Russian Proverb)

Cease your snow balls casting.
(Scottish Proverb)

Christmas in mud, Easter in snow.
(Romanian Proverb)

Where is by now the snow of last year.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Add frost to snow.(Chinese Proverb)

Send charcoal in a snow storm.
(Chinese Proverb)

May Kabul be without gold rather without snow.(Afghan Proverb)

Sending charcoal in the snow is better than adding flowers to a brocade.(Chinese Proverb)

If you walk on snow you cannot hide your footprints.(Chinese Proverb)

Thaw reveals what has been hidden by snow.
(Danish Proverb)

It is no use fretting after last winter's snow.
(Darkovan Proverb)

If you have a bulldozer, you don't need a snow shovel.(Darkovan Proverb)

What lay hidden under the snow cometh to light at last.(Dutch Proverb)

The sun will bring to light what lay under the snow.(German Proverb)

The hot sun melts away the snow; when anger comes, does wisdom go.(Indian Proverb)

As the snow melts the filth shows through.
(Italian Proverb)

Each day you can admire the moon, the snow and the flowers.(Japanese Proverb)

There is no winter without snow, no spring without sunshine, and no happiness without companions.(Korean Proverb)

From snow, whether baked or boiled, you will get nothing but water.(Spanish Proverb)

A year of snow, a year of plenty.
(Traditional Proverb)

Pale moon doth rain, Red moon doth blow,
White moon doth neither rain nor snow.

(Traditional Proverb)

The north wind does blow, and we shall have
snow. (Traditional Proverb)

As pure as snow. (Traditional Proverb)

You can't make cheesecakes out of snow.
(Jewish Proverb)

Words of snow, which fell last year.
(German Proverb)

Mountains are used to snow. (Greek Proverb)

Lies melt the snow. (German Proverb)

Year of snow fruit will grow. (English Proverb)

A good deed is written on snow.
(Estonian Proverb)

SOCIETY AND CIVILIZATION:

To describe a unity of a society.
(Indonesian Proverb)

If you would be respected in company, seek the society of your equals and not of your superiors. (Cuban Proverb)

Society is like a pot it can't carry water when its broken. (African Proverb)

A wise person must know the language, sayings, and tales of his society. (African Proverb)

A country where flowers are priced so as to make them a luxury has yet to learn the first principles of civilization. (Chinese Proverb)

If you steal something small you are a petty thief, but if you steal millions you are a gentleman of society. (Greek Proverb)

A civilization is as great as its dreams, and its dreams are dreamt by artists. (Traditional Proverb)

When the governing class isn't chosen for quality it is chosen for material wealth this always means decadence, the lowest stage a society can reach. (Traditional Proverb)

Social good is what brings peace to family and society. (Traditional Proverb)

SOLDIER:

The love of a soldier doesn't last long; when the drum rolls; Good bye, dear lady.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Lawyers and soldiers are the Devil's playmates.(Swedish Proverb)

Don't make friends with monks and soldiers.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A lord without riches is a soldier without arms.(Romanian Proverb)

A good soldier is a poor scout.
(Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

Soldiers don't cry.(African Proverb)

If a soldier doesn't have ambitions to become a general is not a good soldier.(African Proverb)

Easy to enroll a thousand soldiers. But, ah, one general!.(Chinese Proverb)

Don't waste good iron for nails or good men for soldiers.(Chinese Proverb)

Locks cannot be made from good iron, soldiers are not made out of good people.
(Chinese Proverb)

It is easy to get a thousand soldiers, but difficult to get one general.(Chinese Proverb)

If there is a strong general, there will be no weak soldiers.(Chinese Proverb)

Soldiers must be well paid, and well hanged.(German Proverb)

The soldier is well paid for doing mischief.(Italian Proverb)

It is the blood of the soldier that makes the general great.(Italian Proverb)

Under a powerful general there are no feeble soldiers.(Japanese Proverb)

At once a good general and a stout soldier.(Latin Proverb)

A woman for a general, and the soldiers will be women.(Latin Proverb)

From the soldier who has no cloak, keep your own in your chest.(Portuguese Proverb)

To take ambition from a soldier, is to rob him of his spurs.(Spanish Proverb)

The first duty of a soldier is obedience.(Spanish Proverb)

Generals conquer, soldiers are killed.

(Japanese Proverb)

An old horse for a young soldier.

(Italian Proverb)

Young soldiers, old beggars.(German Proverb)

The soup makes the soldier.(French Proverb)

What the soldier said isn't evidence.

(French Proverb)

Away from the battle all are soldiers.

(German Proverb)

The best soldiers are not warlike.

(Chinese Proverb)

Old soldiers never die.(Danish Proverb)

SOLITUDE:

Solitude is enjoyed only when one is at peace with oneself.(Chinese Proverb)

Solitude is full of God.(Serbian Proverb)

Solitude is the nurse of wisdom.

(German Proverb)

Who hears music feels his solitude.

(French Proverb)

SON:

When a father gives to his son, they both laugh. (Yiddish Proverb)

Many a good father has but a bad son.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

It is not every one who is a son of Gaika.
(Xhosa Proverb)

The father gave his son a vineyard, the son didn't give the father even a grape.
(Turkish Proverb)

A mother has little love for a son who did not give her pain. (Venezuelan Proverb)

If you do something wrong to me, I forgive you.
But I know that someday God will make you hit the son of a chief on the head. Then the chief will punish you. (Sudanese Proverb)

Sike father, sike son. (Scottish Proverb)

Blessed is the house that has a son who is a cleric. (Sicilian Proverb)

Like father, like son; like mother like daughter. (Romanian Proverb)

One father is enough to govern one hundred sons, but not a hundred sons one father. (Romanian Proverb)

The father buys, the son begs, the grandchild sells, and his son begs. (Romanian Proverb)

A foul foot makes a son wemb. (Scottish Proverb)

A father without sons is like a bow without arrows. (Nilotic Proverb)

Less good than they say for the sons of men is the drinking oft of ale: for the more they drink, the less can they think and keep a watch o'er their wits. (Norse Proverb)

If you know his father and grandfather you may trust his son. (Moroccan Proverb)

Everyone is the son of his own works. (Mexican Proverb)

The earth is not an inheritance of our fathers, nor one for our sons. (Luo Proverb)

The enemy of a father will never be friends of his son. (Kurdish Proverb)

If you love your son, let him travel.

(Japanese Proverb)

A good son-in-law is like the acquisition of a new son; a bad one is like the loss of your daughter. (Jewish Proverb)

When a father helps a son, both smile; but when a son must help his father, both cry.

(Jewish Proverb)

Whichever son is able should bury his father. The first son did not kill him. (Igbo Proverb)

If your son-in-law is good, you gained a son. if he is bad, you've lost a daughter.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Till age six, your son is your master; until ten he's your servant; until sixteen, a wonderful adviser; from then on, he's either your friend or your enemy. (Hebrew Proverb)

Don't put your trust in princes, or the sons of men; there is no salvation in them.

(Hebrew Proverb)

If a father does not cultivate, the son does not inherit land. (Ekonda Proverb)

First me, then my son. (Corsican Proverb)

A son is a son till he gets him a wife, but a daughter's a daughter the rest of your life.
(English Proverb)

When a son attends to his father, it is a twofold joy for both; when wise things are prescribed to him, the son is.
(Egyptian Proverb)

March, mean, son of an ogre! You've taken all my suckling lambs and left only one weaned lamb.
(Corsican Proverb)

The dragon has nine sons, each different from the others.
(Chinese Proverb)

One's son is clever while the neighbor is suspicious.
(Chinese Proverb)

In every family where there is a son, the head of an ox, goat or ram is cooked to be eaten by him with his friends.
(Bajan Proverb)

work for engagement of your daughter, but don't work for engagement of your son.
(Arabic Proverb)

The son does not cut his finger in cutting meat for his father.
(Bajan Proverb)

Only a mother can understand the suffering of a son.
(Arabic Proverb)

There is not the son of the front and the son of the back. (Bajan Proverb)

O! my sister Your son is like how you raised him. (Arabic Proverb)

It is easier for the son to ask from the father than for the father to ask from the son. (Bengali Proverb)

My son, too old is the Earth don't make fun of it. (Bengali Proverb)

Good fathers make good sons. (Albanian Proverb)

First a daughter, then a son, and the family's well begun. (Albanian Proverb)

As the baker, so the buns; as the father, so the sons. (Albanian Proverb)

Lime and lime without manure makes the farmer rich and the son poor. (Albanian Proverb)

A father never resembles his son, it's the son that resembles the father. (African Proverb)

The ungrateful son is a wart on his father's face; to leave it is a blemish, to cut it off is pain. (Afghan Proverb)

If you know his father and grandfather, don't worry about his son. (African Proverb)

The ungrateful son is like a wart on his father's face; to leave it there is unsightly, to cut it off is painful. (Afghan Proverb)

As long as I am running my father will still have a son. (Brazilian Proverb)

When a father praises his son, he flatters himself. (American Proverb)

Don't trust your wife until she has borne you ten sons. (Chinese Proverb)

Don't ask in this life for the three most difficult things: good sons, long life and a long beard. (Chinese Proverb)

A dog won't forsake his master because of poverty; a son never deserts his mother because of her homely appearance. (Chinese Proverb)

Eighteen daughters beautiful as goddesses are not as good as one crippled son. (Chinese Proverb)

Easier to rule a nation than a son. (Chinese Proverb)

Runaway son, a shining jewel; runaway daughter, tarnished. (Chinese Proverb)

It is easier to govern a country than a son. (Chinese Proverb)

If a son is uneducated, his father is to blame. (Chinese Proverb)

Better a daughter that has been slept on than a son who has been hanged. (Danish Proverb)

Gambling is the son of avarice and the father of despair. (French Proverb)

As the field, so the crops; as the father, so the sons. (German Proverb)

Son of a priest, grandson of the devil. (Greek Proverb)

Your son is your son until he marries, but your daughter is your daughter until you die. (Irish Proverb)

May you have a bright future -- as the chimney sweep said to his son. (Irish Proverb)

Why save when your son is a good son? Why save when your son is a bad son? (Indian Proverb)

Sorrow for the death of a father lasts six months; sorrow for a mother, a year; sorrow for a wife, until another wife; sorrow for a son, forever. (Indian Proverb)

Only two things matter in this world: a son and a daughter. (Indian Proverb)

The father a saint the son a devil. (Italian Proverb)

My son is my son till he gets him a wife, but my daughter's my daughter all the days of her life. (Japanese Proverb)

If you love your son, make him leave home. (Japanese Proverb)

If the father is a frog, the son will be a frog. (Japanese Proverb)

Everybody loves a fool, but nobody wants him for a son. (Ivorian Proverb)

A bad father has never a good son. (Latin Proverb)

Your son can be a prince, your daughter will be a mother. (Kurdish Proverb)

With a mule you have a son, with a son-in-law you only have a mule. (Kurdish Proverb)

With a good son-in-law you gain a son, with a bad one you lose your daughter, too.

(Jewish Proverb)

Whoever teaches his son teaches not only his son but also his son's son, and so on to the end of generations.(Jewish Proverb)

When a son gives to his father, they both weep.(Jewish Proverb)

When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry.
(Jewish Proverb)

He who spares the rod hates his son.
(Latin Proverb)

He is the best gentleman, who is the son of his own deserts.(Latin Proverb)

An ungrateful son is a wart on his father's nose -- he leaves it, it's ugly, he removes it, it hurts.(Persian Proverb)

Rather a husband with one eye than with one son.(Portuguese Proverb)

Alas for the son whose father went to heaven.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Treat your superior as a father, your equal as a brother, and your inferior as a son.

(Persian Proverb)

Don't blame your wife's side if your son is cross-eyed. (Russian Proverb)

Clever father, clever daughter; clever mother, clever son. (Russian Proverb)

After all, every man is the son of a woman. (Russian Proverb)

A husband with one eye rather than with a son. (Spanish Proverb)

Everyone is worth more than his neighbor and less than his son. (Serbian Proverb)

After all, every man is the son of a woman. (Russian Proverb)

A husband with one eye rather than with a son. (Spanish Proverb)

He who has a son grown up should not call another a thief. (Spanish Proverb)

He to whom God gives no sons, the devil gives nephews. (Spanish Proverb)

God grant you good fortune, my son, for knowledge avails you little. (Spanish Proverb)

God give you luck, my son, for little wit must serve your turn. (Spanish Proverb)

Every man is the son of his own works. (Spanish Proverb)

We have no son, and yet are giving him a name. (Spanish Proverb)

Three things kill a man: a scorching son, suppers, and cares. (Spanish Proverb)

The father of a saint, the son of a sinner. (Spanish Proverb)

The father a saint, the son a sinner. (Spanish Proverb)

My sister's son is a kinsman beyond dispute. (Spanish Proverb)

A son should be treated as a prince for five years as a slave for ten years but from his sixteenth birthday, as a close friend. (Traditional Proverb)

A king's son is not nobler than his food. (Traditional Proverb)

The father may well be a horse, but it's most likely that the son will be a mule.

(Tibetan Proverb)

A father deserted by a wise son is like being caught in a shower without a felt.

(Tibetan Proverb)

Wipe the nose of your neighbor's son, and marry him to your daughter.

(Spanish Proverb)

Your five year old son is your instructor; at ten your slave; at fifteen your equal and after that either friend or foe.(Turkish Proverb)

A hare is like an ass in the length of its ears, yet it is not its son.(West African Proverb)

After a thrifty father, a prodigal son.

(Spanish Proverb)

Gambling sire, gambling son.

(Portuguese Proverb)

One good daughter is worth seven sons.

(Russian Proverb)

Foreign bread is good for your son.

(Mexican Proverb)

Like father, like son.(Latin Proverb)

A miser's son is generally a spendthrift.

(Latin Proverb)

Vinegar is the son of wine.(Jewish Proverb)

Mean fathers, wasteful sons.(French Proverb)

Who leaves a son isn't really dead.

(Danish Proverb)

SPACE:

The essence of the spirit is space, there is nothing it holds to in the end.

(Tibetan Proverb)

In space, comes Grace.(Scottish Proverb)

Many good people can find room in a small space.(Hungarian Proverb)

Man has succeeded in overcoming tremendous spaces, but not the distance between one man and another.(Hebrew Proverb)

How tight can life be without the space of hope.(Arabic Proverb)

If you take big paces you leave big spaces.
(Burmese Proverb)

From word to deed is a great space.

(French Proverb)

A good driver turns in a small space.

(French Proverb)

The road to success is lined with many
tempting parking spaces. (Traditional Proverb)

SPORTS:

He that laughs at his ain joke spoils the sport
o't. (Danish Proverb)

The strong man's sport is the sickly man's
death. (German Proverb)

When a goose dances, and a fool versifies,
there is sport. (Spanish Proverb)

Observe decorum even in your sport.
(Latin Proverb)

To a young heart everything is sport.
(Italian Proverb)

Said in sport, meant in earnest.
(German Proverb)

SOUL:

Like soap for the body so are tears for the soul.(Yiddish Proverb)

The body is a sponge, the soul an abyss.
(Yiddish Proverb)

What soap is to the body, laughter is to the soul.(Yiddish Proverb)

Habits don't expire until the soul expires.
(Turkish Proverb)

Hope won't be cut from the soul that has not expired.(Turkish Proverb)

They call one "generous" and make one lose one's property, they call one "brave" and make one lose one's soul.(Turkish Proverb)

The most important thing you have to do is to save your soul.(Sicilian Proverb)

Timely rain cheers my soul; water and sun during seeding, inspires hope; the rains of April and May are late at night; then the good mornings, will be the wealth of the houses.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Let those pater nosters be for your own soul.
(Spanish Proverb)

My life and soul, but not my pack-saddle.
(Spanish Proverb)

Little troubles the eye, but far lesse the soul.
(Scottish Proverb)

Poor men have no souls.(Scottish Proverb)

Blessed is the one who cares for his soul.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Holy souls! One of them gathers and many eat.(Sicilian Proverb)

Silence is the soul of negotiation.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Though thou hast never so many counselors,
yet do not forsake the counsel of thy own
soul.(Romanian Proverb)

Heart with pepper, soul with garlic.
(Russian Proverb)

It is worse to be sick in the soul than in body.
(Polish Proverb)

That which the flesh likes, makes the soul
lost.(Polish Proverb)

Learning expands great souls.
(Namibian Proverb)

True peace between nations will only happen when there is true peace within people's souls. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

Pleasant words are a honeycomb, sweet to the soul and healing to the bone. (Moroccan Proverb)

The Soul would have no Rainbow if the eyes had no tears. (Native American Cherokee Proverb)

There can never be peace between nations until it is first known that true peace is within the souls of men. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

True peace between nations will only happen when there is true peace within people's souls. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

A woman has got seven souls. (Maltese Proverb)

Ignorance is sweet for the soul. (Kurdish Proverb)

Even a one-inch insect has a half-inch soul. (Japanese Proverb)

Order is the soul of everything. (Hungarian)

The soul is retained in it only by the prayer.
(Hungarian Proverb)

If you want to control your soul, hand it as a gift to your intellect.(Hebrew Proverb)

Real success is success of the soul.
(Hebrew Proverb)

The loftier and more distant the ideal, the greater its power to lift up the soul.
(Hebrew Proverb)

We are all wanderers on this earth. Our hearts are full of wonder, and our souls are deep with dreams.(Gypsy Proverb)

The growth of love is the essence within the soul.(Hawaiian Proverb)

Man is after money, but money is after his soul.(Estonian Proverb)

Anger of the mind is poison to the soul.
(Ecuadorian Proverb)

One washes the body in vain if one does not wash the soul.(Cuban Proverb)

Learn a new language and get a new soul.
(Czech Proverb)

A little body often harbors a great soul.

(Chinese Proverb)

Books speak to the mind, friends to the heart,
heaven to the soul, all else to the ears.

(Chinese Proverb)

Heaven lent you a soul Earth will lend a grave.

(Chinese Proverb)

Inside a well-nourished body, the soul remains
longer. (Bengali Proverb)

To see beauty you must have beauty in your
soul. (Albanian Proverb)

Prayer is food for the soul. (Albanian Proverb)

Great deeds are reserved for great souls.
(Albanian Proverb)

The soul would have no rainbow if the eyes
didn't have tears. (African Proverb)

A good smile shows how happy the soul is.
(African Proverb)

If I had two loaves of bread, I would sell one
and buy hyacinths, for they would feed my
soul. (Arab Proverb)

A little body doth often harbor a great soul.

(Arab Proverb)

Better to satisfy the body than to tarnish the soul.(Chinese Proverb)

Age may wrinkle the face, but lack of enthusiasm wrinkles the soul.

(Danish Proverb)

Nobility of soul is more honorable than nobility of birth.(Dutch Proverb)

The boor looks after a cent as the devil after a soul.(Dutch Proverb)

The eyes are the window of the soul.

(English Proverb)

Hope is the dream of a soul awake.

(French Proverb)

He who has two women loses his soul; he who has two houses loses his mind.

(French Proverb)

The tiredness of the body is the health of the soul.(French Proverb)

Beauty is the eye's food but the soul's sorrow.

(German Proverb)

The will is the soul of the work.

(German Proverb)

When the sculptor is dead his statues ask him for a soul.(Indian Proverb)

The lives of doctors, the souls of priests, and the property of lawyers, are in great danger.
(Italian Proverb)

The character of a man lies not in his body but in his soul.(Japanese Proverb)

You can wash your body but not your soul.
(Jewish Proverb)

What soap is for the body, tears are for the soul.(Jewish Proverb)

England is the paradise of women, the hell of horses, and the purgatory of servants.
(Latin Proverb)

When the soul hungers, even bitter things taste sweet.(Latin Proverb)

Long skirts carry dust, but short skirts carry away souls.(Maltese Proverb)

Though we are negroes, we are men, and have souls.(Portuguese Proverb)

A stranger's soul is like a dark forest.

(Russian Proverb)

A stranger's soul is like a dark forest.

(Russian Proverb)

Let those pater noster be for your own soul.
(Ironical, against swearing.)(Spanish Proverb)

What the abbot of Bamba cannot eat he gives
away for the good of his soul.

(Spanish Proverb)

The mouse that only trusts to one poor hole,
Can never be a mouse of any soul.

(Spanish Proverb)

If there is light in the soul, there will be beauty
in the person If there is beauty in the person,
there will be harmony in the house If there is
harmony in the house, there will be order in
the nation If there is order in the nation, there
will be Peace in the World.

(Traditional Proverb)

As cold waters to a thirsty soul, so is good
news from a far place.(Traditional Proverb)

In time of sickness the soul collects itself
anew.(Traditional Proverb)

The soul is not where it lives, but where it loves. (Traditional Proverb)

The garden must be prepared in the soul first or else it will not flourish. (Traditional Proverb)

The eyes are the mirror of the soul. (Traditional Proverb)

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Sorrow is to the soul what the worm is to wood. (Turkish Proverb)

Black souls wear white shirts. (Ukranian Proverb)

Secrecy is the soul of business. (Traditional Proverb)

Honesty is the soul of business. (Traditional Proverb)

In the garden my soul is sunshine. (Traditional Proverb)

Thick body, weak soul. (Persian Proverb)

Conscience is the voice of the soul. (Polish Proverb)

Confession is good for the soul.

(Scottish Proverb)

Open confession is good for the soul.

(Scottish Proverb)

Conversation is food for the soul.

(Mexican Proverb)

Brevity is the soul of wit.(Latin Proverb)

A wounded soul is difficult to heal.

(Jewish Proverb)

The less souls, the more joy.(Jewish Proverb)

No sin is hidden to the soul.(Indian Proverb)

Silence is the soul of all things.

(French Proverb)

Time is the soul of business.(English Proverb)

SPEAKING:

Every woman beautiful till she speaks.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

To speak is silver, to keep silent is gold.

(Swedish Proverb)

Think before speaking.(Thai Proverb)

If speaking is silver, then listening is gold.
(Turkish Proverb)

Speak of the dog, but take the stick into your hand.(Turkish Proverb)

Think today and speak tomorrow.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

Speak well of your friend; of your enemy say nothing.(Welsh Proverb)

Walls don't have ears but they hear, they don't have mouths but they speak.(Sicilian Proverb)

Speaking without thinking is shooting without taking aim.(Spanish Proverb)

Who knows most speaks least.
(Spanish Proverb)

Quhen all men speaks, no man hears.
(Scottish Proverb)

Cavaliers, priests, and dangerous places,
speak nicely about them but keep your distance.(Sicilian Proverb)

Do you want to make the mute speak? Get rid of his troubles.(Sicilian Proverb)

Eat little and you'll live, speak little and you'll get it right, spend little and you'll become rich.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Speak little in the company of the old.
(Sicilian Proverb)

He that spares to speak, spares to speed.
(Scottish Proverb)

Little cares speak, great ones are dumb.
(Romanian Proverb)

Small sorrows speak; great ones are silent.
(Romanian Proverb)

Speak fitly, or be silent wisely.
(Romanian Proverb)

The tongue speaks, but the head doesn't know.
(Russian Proverb)

Small sorrows speak; great ones are silent.
(Romanian Proverb)

Speak fitly, or be silent wisely.
(Romanian Proverb)

Speak well of the dead or not at all.
(Polish Proverb)

First think, and then speak.

(Romanian Proverb)

Hear much, speak little.(Romanian Proverb)

Speak truth in humility to all people. Only then can you be a true man.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

There is more wisdom in listening than in speaking.(Nilotic Proverb)

Speak whenever you must, hush whenever you can.(Panamanian Proverb)

Speak plain -- call bread bread, and wine wine.(Mexican Proverb)

If I listen, I have the advantage; if I speak, others have it.(Moroccan Proverb)

When the grandmothers speak, the earth will be healed.(Native American Hopi Proverb)

When an elder speaks, be silent and listen.
(Native American Mohawk Proverb)

God does not hear you if you do not speak.
(Mexican Proverb)

Speaking, though speechless, it exercises dominion over the mind.(Latin Proverb)

To speak is to sow; to listen is to reap.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Speak well of others. (Japanese Proverb)

Drunkenness and anger speak truthfully.

(Irish Proverb)

Everyone is wise till he speaks. (Irish Proverb)

Speak to the devil and you'll hear the clatter of his hooves. (Irish Proverb)

Speak the truth, but keep one hand on the sword. (Icelandic Proverb)

Speak what needs to be said, or stay silent. (Icelandic Proverb)

Speak like a parrot; meditate like a swan; chew like a goat; and bathe like an elephant. (Indian Proverb)

Not even the priest will speak, preach twice. (Hungarian Proverb)

Speak praises or nothing of the dead. (Hungarian Proverb)

To be silent is golden, to speak is silvern. (Hungarian Proverb)

Speak fair, and think what you will.

(German Proverb)

Old saws speak truth.(English Proverb)

Speaking of the devil.(English Proverb)

Think before you speak.(English Proverb)

If they speak, they are wind; if they are silent,
they are gourds.(Ethiopian Proverb)

If words could only speak, they'd mean even
less.(English Proverb)

When you speak, know that which can be
brought against you.(Egyptian Proverb)

Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth
speaks.(Danish Proverb)

Do you speak English?(Dutch Proverb)

Speaking is silver, being silent is gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

Speak to the earth, and it shall teach thee.
(Biblical Proverb)

Speak not of what you have read, but about
what you have understood.(Azerbaijani)

If a man lends an ear, it's because he, too,
wants to speak. (Argentine Proverb)

Speak, for God spoke to Moses.
(Arabic Proverb)

Speak kindly or refrain you from talking.
(Albanian Proverb)

Speak kind words and you will hear kind
answers. (Albanian Proverb)

Speak fair, think what you will.
(Albanian Proverb)

Some folks speak from experience; others,
from experience, don't speak.
(Albanian Proverb)

Examine what is said, not who is speaking.
(Arabic Proverb)

Would you persuade, speak of interest, not of
reason. (Albanian Proverb)

When you persuade, speak of interest, not of
reason. (Albanian Proverb)

Dying men speak true. (Albanian Proverb)

Deeds speak louder than words. (Albanian)

Let him who gives nothing be silent, and him who receives speak. (Albanian Proverb)

Sometimes the spirits speaks for you and sometimes the spirits makes you speak. (African Proverb)

Music speaks louder than words. (African Proverb)

Silence is an attribute of the dead; he who is alive speaks. (Beninese Proverb)

If a man's mouth were silent, then another part would speak. (Arab Proverb)

Examine what is said, not him who speaks. (Arab Proverb)

The one who understands does not speak, the one who speaks does not understand. (Chinese Proverb)

The most highly praised woman is the one about whom no one speaks. (Chinese Proverb)

Spouses that love each other say a thousand things without speaking. (Chinese Proverb)

With money you can make the dead speak; without it you can't even keep the deaf quiet. (Chinese Proverb)

Speak little of your ill luck, and boast not of your good luck. (Danish Proverb)

Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks. (Dutch Proverb)

Speak not of my debts unless you mean to pay them. (English Proverb)

Do you wish people to think well of you? Don't speak. (French Proverb)

Eat when the meal is ready, speak when the time is ripe. (Ethiopian Proverb)

The less one thinks, the more one speaks. (French Proverb)

Speak little and well if you wish to be esteemed a person of merit. (French Proverb)

The best of the mill is that the sacks can't speak. (German Proverb)

Speak little, speak truth. Spend little, pay cash. (German Proverb)

All food is fit to eat, but not all words are fit to speak. (Haitian Proverb)

When at a loss how to go on, in speaking, cough. (Greek Proverb)

Nature has given us two ears, two eyes, and but one tongue; to the end we should hear and see more than we speak. (Greek Proverb)

See no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil. (Italian Proverb)

Speak well of your friend; of your enemy neither well nor ill. (Italian Proverb)

Speak not ill of the year until it is past. (Italian Proverb)

The wise man, even when he holds his tongue, says more than the fool when he speaks. (Jewish Proverb)

Men learn oratory by practice. [Practice in speaking makes us eloquent.] (Latin Proverb)

Light griefs can speak, but deeper ones are dumb. (Latin Proverb)

Speaking, though speechless, it exercises dominion over the mind. [The power of music.] (Latin Proverb)

Repentance for silence is better than repentance for speaking. (Moorish Proverb)

Speak little and well, they will think you somebody. (Portuguese Proverb)

Let the giver be silent and the receiver speak.
(Portuguese Proverb)

It is well to know how to be silent till it is time to speak.(Portuguese Proverb)

One may teach another to speak, but none can teach another to hold his peace.
(Polish Proverb)

When the heart is full the tongue will speak.
(Scottish Proverb)

Confide a secret to a dumb man and he will speak.(Russian Proverb)

Hear no evil, see no evil, speak no evil
.(Spanish Proverb)

He who does not speak, God does not hear.
(Spanish Proverb)

The rubbish we speak is like froth on the water, actions are drops of gold.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Listen to people twice as much as you speak.
(Traditional Proverb)

He that speaks, sows; he that hears, reaps.
(Turkish Proverb)

Having two ears and one tongue, we should listen twice as much as we speak.

(Turkish Proverb)

Speak highly of the lake, but stay on the bank.

(Ukranian Proverb)

Speak and the man shall be shown.

(Traditional Proverb)

Speak little and to the purpose.

(Traditional Proverb)

Speak the truth and shame the devil.

(Traditional Proverb)

He who cannot keep silence cannot speak.

(Swedish Proverb)

Hear first, and speak afterwards.

(Spanish Proverb)

A dead man does not speak.

(Portuguese Proverb)

What the heart thinks, the tongue speaks.

(Romanian Proverb)

When gold speaks, everything else is silent.

(Russian Proverb)

When money speaks, the truth keeps silent.
(Russian Proverb)

Where necessity speaks it demands.
(Russian Proverb)

Speak the truth, but leave immediately after.
(Slovenian Proverb)

Never speak in a hurry. (Latin Proverb)

Speak not against the dead. (Latin Proverb)

Think first and speak afterwards.
(Latin Proverb)

Among walnuts only the empty one speaks.
(Moroccan Proverb)

God speaks a foreign tongue.
(Namibian Proverb)

What the heart thinks, the mouth speaks.
(Kurdish Proverb)

The inarticulate speak longest.
(Japanese Proverb)

Speak of the Devil and he appears.
(Italian Proverb)

Think much, speak little and write less.
(Italian Proverb)

When gold speaks, every tongue is silent.
(Italian Proverb)

The inarticulate speak longest.
(Japanese Proverb)

Even silence speaks. (Hausa Proverb)

Everyone is wise until he speaks.
(Irish Proverb)

Speak, that I may see thee. (German Proverb)

Speaking comes by nature, silence by
understanding. (German Proverb)

Turn your tongue seven times before speaking.
(French Proverb)

Who speaks, sows; who listens, reaps.
(French Proverb)

Speaking is silver, silence is gold.
(Dutch Proverb)

Actions speak louder than words.
(English Proverb)

The fool speaks, the wise man listens.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Speaking French is no proof of intelligence.

(Native American Creole Proverb)

Lords and fools speak freely.(Danish Proverb)

Speaking silence is better than senseless speech.(Danish Proverb)

When deeds speak, words are nothing.

(African Proverb)

STUPIDITY:

A wise mans ink lasts until only the stupid remain.(Zimbabwean Proverb)

The joke is the weapon of the witty; being serious is the shield of the stupid.

(Swedish Proverb)

Although the horse is stupid, it does not follow that the rider is stupid.(Tshi Proverb)

Take no notice of the stupid things people say.(Spanish Proverb)

Better an intelligent enemy than a stupid friend. (Swahili Proverb)

An intelligent foe is better than a stupid friend. (Senegalese Proverb)

Latin hides the stupidity of the priest. (Sicilian Proverb)

Laughter without reason, is either crazy or stupid. (Sicilian Proverb)

Too much laughter discovers folly. (Romanian Proverb)

Folly lives next door to knowledge. (Polish Proverb)

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Stupidity is the lover of ignorance. (Nigerian Proverb)

If haply a fool should find for himself wealth or a woman's love, pride waxes in him but wisdom never and onward he fares in his folly. (Norse Proverb)

To fight once shows bravery, but to fight all the time is stupid. (Oromo Proverb)

Stupidity closes the doors of kindness.

(Mexican Proverb)

Youth is a folly; maturity, a struggle; old age a remorse. (Mexican Proverb)

A man with a loud laugh makes truth itself seem folly, Truth is great and will win out.

(Irish Proverb)

Whoever hates a reprimand is stupid.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Even a stupid one seems wise if he keeps his mouth shut. (Finnish Proverb)

Stupidity is too often beauty's imperfection.

(French Proverb)

A girl who cannot patch man's trousers in between the legs, must not marry at all, because what use does a man have of such a stupid wife. (Estonian Proverb)

Smart is the one who goes along with time, stupid is the one who bears his fangs.

(Estonian Proverb)

Smart who smiles, stupid who laughs.

(Estonian Proverb)

Who is born stupid will die stupid.

(Estonian Proverb)

It is a great point of wisdom to find out one's own folly. (English Proverb)

Old age doesn't protect from folly.

(English Proverb)

Anger begins with folly, and ends with repentance. (English Proverb)

Beauty and folly are constant companions.

(Costa Rican Proverb)

Stupid people always think they are right.

(Biblical Proverb)

If you know a lot, know enough to make them respect you, if you are stupid, be stupid enough so they can pity you.

(Cambodian Proverb)

Stupidity is a disease without a medicine.

(Arabic Proverb)

Cunning comes to an end, what remains is folly. (Bantu Proverb)

Answer a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own conceit. (Biblical Proverb)

As a dog returns to his vomit, so a fool returns to his folly. **(Biblical Proverb)**

To err is human; to keep it up is folly.
(Albanian Proverb)

One man's folly is another man's fortune.
(Albanian Proverb)

Consent to common custom, but not to common folly. **(Albanian Proverb)**

Beauty and folly are old companions.
(Albanian Proverb)

Answer a fool according to his folly
.**(Albanian Proverb)**

Knowledge is the sister of folly.
(Albanian Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is better than a stupid friend. **(African Proverb)**

The difference between genius and stupidity is that genius has its limits. **(African Proverb)**

Never underestimate the power of stupid people in large groups. **(African Proverb)**

Folly hath eagle's wings, but the eyes of an owl. **(Dutch Proverb)**

It is only a stupid cow that rejoices at the prospect of being taken to a beautiful abattoir.
(African Proverb)

It is a stupid dog that barks at an elephant.
(African Proverb)

If a rich man ate a snake, they would say it was because of his wisdom; if a poor man ate it, they would say it was because of his stupidity.(Arab Proverb)

If a poor man ate it, they would say it was because of his stupidity.(Arab Proverb)

Silence is the best answer to the stupid. The fool has his answer on the tip of his tongue.
(Arab Proverb)

Do not answer a fool according to his folly, or you will be like him yourself.(Chinese Proverb)

There is no way to teach a machine wisdom after folly.(Darkovan Proverb)

If stupidity were a crime, half the human race would be hanged at every crossroads.
(Darkovan Proverb)

Silence is the best answer to the stupid.
(Egyptian Proverb)

To marry one is a duty; twice a folly; thrice is madness. (Dutch Proverb)

To marry once is a duty, twice a folly, and three times -- madness. (Dutch Proverb)

Stupidity won't kill you, but it can make you sweat. (English Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is the sister of folly. (English Proverb)

It is a stupid goose that listens to the fox preach. (French Proverb)

Where honor grows a span, folly grows an ell. (German Proverb)

Giving advice to a stupid man is like giving salt to a squirrel. (Indian Proverb)

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Stupid solutions that succeed are still stupid solutions. (Jewish Proverb)

You are learning all your life and you die stupid. (Lithuanian Proverb)

The malady that is more incurable is folly. (Portuguese Proverb)

If a rich man eats a snake people say, "This is wisdom!" If a poor man eats a snake people say, "This is folly!" (Lebanese Proverb)

An intelligent enemy is worth more than a stupid friend. (Senegalese Proverb)

Seek the brave in prison and the stupid among the clergy. (Russian Proverb)

Folly is the product of all countries and ages. (Spanish Proverb)

If folly were a pain, there would be groaning in every house. (Spanish Proverb)

Against stupidity, the gods themselves contend in vain. (Traditional Proverb)

Whoever falls sick of folly, is long in getting cured. (Spanish Proverb)

He who is slow to anger has great understanding, but he who has a hasty temper exalts folly. (Traditional Proverb)

Books are hindrances to persisting stupidity. (Spanish Proverb)

Folly is the most incurable of maladies. (Spanish Proverb)

Wisdom is born; stupidity is learned.

(Russian Proverb)

Stupid is as stupid does.(Latin Proverb)

Stupidity is a force unto itself.(Latin Proverb)

A fool talks of folly.(Latin Proverb)

Against stupidity; God Himself is helpless.

(Jewish Proverb)

Stupidity begins with honesty.

(Japanese Proverb)

Too clever is stupid.(German Proverb)

Too much wisdom is folly.(German Proverb)

Where Nature stops folly begins.

(German Proverb)

Jack gets on by his stupidity.

(German Proverb)

Anger without power is folly.(German Proverb)

Beauty and folly are often companions.

(French Proverb)

Profit by the folly of others.(Dutch Proverb)

Wisdom rides upon the ruins of folly.

(Danish Proverb)

Where vain-glory reigns, folly is prime

counselor. (Darkovan Proverb)

SUCCESS:

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

Never say die. (Spanish Proverb)

Envy is the companion of great success.

(Swedish Proverb)

Your winning is no my tinsel. (Scottish Proverb)

Your ancestor's glory should not prevent you

from winning your own. (Serbian Proverb)

Keeping is harder than winning.

(Romanian Proverb)

All the winning is in the first buying.

(Scottish Proverb)

If I am in harmony with my family, that's

success. (Native American Ute Proverb)

Courage is the father of success.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Success is 10% ability, and 90% sweat.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Union is source of success.

(Mongolian Proverb)

Plans fail for lack of counsel but with many advisors, succeed.

(Moroccan Proverb)

A fool's only achievement is death.

(Klingon Proverb)

Destroying an Empire to win a war is no victory. And ending a battle to save an Empire is no defeat.

(Klingon Proverb)

Employees are the rungs on the ladder to success, don't hesitate to step on them.

(Klingon Proverb)

If winning is not important, then why keep score.

(Klingon Proverb)

If you cannot fail, you cannot succeed.

(Klingon Proverb)

In order to succeed, we attack.

(Klingon Proverb)

In war, there is nothing more honorable than victory.

(Klingon Proverb)

Mere life is not a victory, mere death is not a defeat. (Klingon Proverb)

There is no substitute for success.
(Klingon Proverb)

To really succeed, you must enjoy eating poison. (Klingon Proverb)

The start of a journey should never be mistaken for success. (English Proverb)

Try not to become a man of success but a man of value. (English Proverb)

Man learns little from success, but much from failure. (English Proverb)

Nothing succeeds like success.
(English Proverb)

C?cciula made by three is neither a failure nor a success. (Corsican Proverb)

Pray for those who are born into good families, for those born into bad families always manage to succeed. (Corsican Proverb)

If god does not grant you glory, be content with fame. (Brazilian Proverb)

An aged steed confined to the stable still
aspires after the glory of galloping a thousand
miles. (Chinese Proverb)

Compromise is always a temporary
achievement. (Chinese Proverb)

Victory must be earned. (Klingon Proverb)

Assurance is two-thirds success.
(Italian Proverb)

May the smile of God light you to glory.
(Irish Proverb)

Neighbors bring comfort in adversity but only
envy in success. (Irish Proverb)

What fails to succeed, should not be forced.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Real success is success of the soul.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A good beginning is half success.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Success has many fathers. (German Proverb)

In the hour of your greatest success are sown
the seeds of your own destruction.
(Gypsy Proverb)

Failure is the mother of success.

(Chinese Proverb)

Look to your enemy for a chance to succeed.

(Chinese Proverb)

One failure leads to another; so does success.

(Chinese Proverb)

Ruthlessness is key to a man's
accomplishment. (Chinese Proverb)

Success in the end erases all the mistakes
along the way. (Chinese Proverb)

Winning an argument does not mean one has
convinced one's opponent. (Chinese Proverb)

Success has more than one father.
(Austrian Proverb)

The secret to success is to walk forward.
(Arabic Proverb)

Your failures could be stepping-stones to
success. (Albanian Proverb)

Success ruins a fool. (Albanian Proverb)

Success never needs an excuse.
(Albanian Proverb)

Success is a ladder that cannot be climbed with your hands in your pockets.

(Albanian Proverb)

Success has many fathers, but failure is an orphan.

(Albanian Proverb)

Getting what you go after is called success, but liking it while you are getting it is called happiness.

(Albanian Proverb)

Earnest effort leads some to success.

(Albanian Proverb)

Diligence is the mistress of success.

(Albanian Proverb)

Confidence of success is almost success.

(Albanian Proverb)

Boldness does not always succeed.

(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot climb a ladder of success with your hands tied up.

(African Proverb)

Those who respect the elderly pave their own road toward success.

(African Proverb)

The secret of success is to start from scratch.

(African Proverb)

The road to success is always under construction. (African Proverb)

Success is a ladder which cannot be climbed with hands in your pocket. (African Proverb)

Success in life largely depends on how you handle your failures. (African Proverb)

Life without battle is life without victory. (African Proverb)

He who wakes up and finds himself a success hasn't been asleep. (African Proverb)

Hasty work doesn't succeed. (Afghan Proverb)

Glory is fitting to God alone. (Afghan Proverb)

On the day of victory no one is tired. (Arab Proverb)

Men learn little from success, but much from failure. (Arab Proverb)

There are three things that can destroy a preacher, the glory, the gold, and the girls. (American Proverb)

Success has many parents, but failure is an orphan. (American Proverb)

Nobody has ever bet enough on a winning horse. (American Proverb)

If one word does not succeed, ten thousand are of no avail. (Chinese Proverb)

Victory has hundred fathers and defeat is an orphan. (Chinese Proverb)

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again. (English Proverb)

There are two great pleasures in gambling: that of winning and that of losing. (French Proverb)

Don't divide the spoil before the victory is won. (German Proverb)

Do not divide the spoil till the victory is won. (German Proverb)

Better a lean peace than a fat victory. (German Proverb)

On the day of victory no fatigue is felt. (German Proverb)

Success to you! God speed the craft! as the hangman said to the judge. (German Proverb)

When shepherds quarrel, the wolf has a winning game. (German Proverb)

Work is our business; it's success is God's. (German Proverb)

Those who fight with silver spears are sure of their victory. (Greek Proverb)

Success isn't how far you got, but the distance you traveled from where you started. (Greek Proverb)

Success is doing what you like and making a living at it. (Greek Proverb)

Failures are but mileposts on the road to success. (Italian Proverb)

No good thing is failure and no evil thing success. (Italian Proverb)

If you would succeed, you must not be too good. (Italian Proverb)

From success to failure is one step; from failure to success is a long road. (Jewish Proverb)

We learn little from victory, but a great deal from defeat. (Japanese Proverb)

Never rely on the glory of the morning nor the smiles of your mother-in-law.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you like to have things easy, you'll have difficulties; if you like problems, you will succeed.

(Laotian Proverb)

Whoever depends on his wife's earnings will not succeed.

(Jewish Proverb)

The door of success is marked "push" and "pull."

(Jewish Proverb)

Stupid solutions that succeed are still stupid solutions.

(Jewish Proverb)

Give way to him with whom you contend; by doing so you will gain the victory.

(Latin Proverb)

Desire of glory is the last garment that even wise men put off.

(Latin Proverb)

Never expect your friends to do for you that which you can yourself accomplish.

(Latin Proverb)

It is vain to do that by a multitude which a few can accomplish.

(Latin Proverb)

It flies at our approach but follows us as we retire. [A Shadow, Glory, or Love.]

(Latin Proverb)

If at first you don't succeed, try, try, try again.

(Lebanese Proverb)

Unless what we do is useful, glory is vain.

(Latin Proverb)

To remove the hairs from a horse's tail, one by one must be plucked out. [Small persevering efforts succeed, when violent measures would fail.](Latin Proverb)

The rabble, as of old, truckles to success, and hates a favorite in disgrace.(Latin Proverb)

Skill will enable us to succeed in that which sheer force could not accomplish.

(Latin Proverb)

Accomplishment of purpose is better than making a profit.(Nigerian Proverb)

Nothing is so full of victory as patience.

(Malagasy Proverb)

Success has many fathers, while failure is an orphan.(Russian Proverb)

Great is the victory that is gained without bloodshed.(Traditional Proverb)

Failure is often that early morning hour of darkness that precedes the dawning of the day of success.(Traditional Proverb)

As you climb the ladder of success, check occasionally to make sure it is leaning against the right wall. Traditional Proverb)

Physical consciousness is indispensable for the achievement of knowledge.
(Traditional Proverb)

In order to succeed, you must first be willing to fail.(Traditional Proverb)

Victory has 100 fathers and defeat is an orphan.(Traditional Proverb)

Truth, self control, asceticism, generosity, non-injury, constancy in virtue these are the means of success, not caste or family.
(Traditional Proverb)

To turn an obstacle to one's advantage is a great step towards victory.(Traditional Proverb)

The two hardest things to handle in life are failure success.(Traditional Proverb)

The road to success is lined with many tempting parking spaces. (Traditional Proverb)

The power of accomplishment is often a hairline between success and failure. (Traditional Proverb)

The first and best victory is to conquer one's self. (Traditional Proverb)

The classic formula for success is Dress British, Think Yiddish. (Traditional Proverb)

Success is not permanent. The same is also true of failure. (Traditional Proverb)

Yesterday's failures are today's seeds that must be diligently planted to be able to abundantly harvest tomorrow's success. (Traditional Proverb)

Victory makes you into an emperor, defeat into a rebel. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Be self-reliant and your success is assured. (Traditional Proverb)

Character is a victory, not a gift. (Traditional Proverb)

Choice, not circumstances, determines your success. (Traditional Proverb)

The greatest victory is a bloodless victory.
(Spanish Proverb)

Epigrams succeed where epics fail.
(Persian Proverb)

Glory lies still; abuse is running.
(Russian Proverb)

Success and rest don't sleep together.
(Russian Proverb)

Success consecrates the foulest crimes.
(Russian Proverb)

Self-assurance is two-thirds of success.
(Scottish Proverb)

You never get a headache from winning.
(Serbian Proverb)

Sing not of triumph before the victory.
(Latin Proverb)

So ends all earthly glory.(Latin Proverb)

Success alters our manners.(Latin Proverb)

Success leads to insolence.(Latin Proverb)

Success makes a fool seem wise.
(Latin Proverb)

Success or ruin.(Latin Proverb)

The test of merit is success.(Latin Proverb)

They fought with varying success.
(Latin Proverb)

Glory is the shadow of virtue.(Latin Proverb)

Immortal glory waits on talent.(Latin Proverb)

Moderate measures succeed best.
(Latin Proverb)

Envy is the companion of glory.
(Latin Proverb)

After victory, tighten your helmet chord.
(Japanese Proverb)

The unscrupulous succeed every time.
(Japanese Proverb)

Victory is not gained by idleness.
(German Proverb)

Success has many friends.(Greek Proverb)

He who has victory, has right.
(German Proverb)

Sudden glory soon goes out. (German Proverb)

When glory comes, memory departs.
(French Proverb)

Popularity is the small change of glory.
(French Proverb)

Hasty speed doesn't oft succeed.
(Dutch Proverb)

It is hasty speed that doesn't succeed.
(Dutch Proverb)

Perseverance brings success. (Dutch Proverb)

Do not triumph before the victory.
(English Proverb)

He who cannot boast cannot succeed.
(Chinese Proverb)

Losing comes of winning money. (Chinese)

A bold attempt is half success. (Danish)

The cock often crows without a victory.
(Danish Proverb)

Pardon is the choicest flower of victory.
(Arab Proverb)

S CATEGORY

SUFFERING:

A friend who visits you when you are suffering is your best friend. (Rwandan Proverb)

Only a mother can understand the suffering of a son. (Arabic Proverb)

Pain is inevitable suffering is optional. (African Proverb)

The main thing is that we can smile at our duties -- yes even at our suffering. (Chinese Proverb)

Suffering and patience, obedience and application, help the lowly born to honor. (Danish Proverb)

A man who is afraid of suffering suffers from fear itself. (French Proverb)

He that parts with his property before his death prepares himself for much suffering. (French Proverb)

How great the sufferings we endure. (Latin Proverb)

SUMMER:

No matter how much snow falls, it won't remain there all the way till summer.

(Turkish Proverb)

The favor of a man in power is like a summer shower.

(Uruguayan Proverb)

There are four things to which you should not lend credence: love of women, the charity of friars, sun in the winter, and clouds in the summer.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Lots of winter, lots of summer.

(Swedish Proverb)

During the winter eat long fishes, during the summer eat short fishes.

(Sicilian Proverb)

If the winter doesn't winter, and the summer doesn't summer, the farmstead will be in trouble.

(Sicilian Proverb)

One beautiful day doesn't make a summer.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Ane Swallow makes no summer.

(Scottish Proverb)

Summer is the mother of the poor.

(Italian Proverb)

The rich man gets his ice in the summer and the poor man gets his in the winter.

(Polish Proverb)

A padded jacket is an acceptable gift even in summer. (Japanese Proverb)

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He who does not collect in summer, will heat little in winter. (Hungarian Proverb)

Rather a man without a cow for the summer than without a wife for Christmas night.

(Finnish Proverb)

The winter will ask what we did all summer.

(Gypsy Proverb)

Love is worn like a wreath through the summers and the winters. (Hawaiian Proverb)

Summer is the season of inferior sledding.

(Eskimo Proverb)

No summer, but has its winter.

(English Proverb)

The bad fortune of Zoza: in winter it sees not the sun and in summer it sees not the moon.

(Corsican Proverb)

One swallow doesn't make summer.

(Dutch Proverb)

The bee, from her industry in the summer,
eats honey all the winter. (Belgian Proverb)

The rich man has his ice in the summer and
the poor man gets his in the winter.
(Dutch Proverb)

You cannot build a house for last year's
summer. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Summer sown corn and women's advice turn
out once in every seven years.
(German Proverb)

Those who don't pick roses in summer won't
pick them in winter either. (German Proverb)

They who sing through the summer must
dance in the winter. (Italian Proverb)

If summer had a mother, she would weep at
summer's passing. (Lebanese Proverb)

Why wear out your great coat in summer?
(Latin Proverb)

Winter will ask you what you did during the
summer. (Romanian Proverb)

He that would be healthy must wear his
winter clothes in summer.(Spanish Proverb)

A life without love is like a year without
summer.(Swedish Proverb)

When the summer is winter, and the winter is
summer, it is a sorry year.(Spanish Proverb)

Shall I compare thee to a summer's day.
(Traditional Proverb)

In February, if thou hearest thunder, Thou
shalt see a summer wonder.
(Traditional Proverb)

The wagon rests in winter, the sleigh in
summer, the horse never.(Traditional Proverb)

Schools out for summer.(Traditional Proverb)

The last rose of summer.(Traditional Proverb)

One swallow does not make a summer.
(Spanish Proverb)

No year has two summers.(Russian Proverb)

Summer will not last forever.(Latin Proverb)

Winter is summer's heir.(Latin Proverb)

SWIMMING:

Swimming is easy if someone holds your head above water. (Faroese Proverb)

It is good to hold the clothes of one who is swimming. (Italian Proverb)

The secret in swimming is to know how to take care of your clothes. (Spanish Proverb)

Swimming right after eating will cause cramps and you'll drown. (Traditional Proverb)

The ill year comes in swimming.
(French Proverb)

T CATEGORY

TAX:

The devil sups with the tax collector.
(Togolese Proverb)

A fly, a harlot, a beggar, a rat, and gusty wind; the village-boss and the tax collector - these seven are always annoying to others.
(Indian Proverb)

Only two things in life are certain; death and taxes. (English Proverb)

Diseases are the tax on pleasures.
(Albanian Proverb)

Death and taxes may be hard to beat.
(Albanian Proverb)

No matter how bad a child is, he is still good for a tax deduction. (American Proverb)

When the devil grows poor he becomes a tax collector. (Greek Proverb)

Lying pays no tax. (Portuguese Proverb)

Rent and taxes never sleep. (German Proverb)

Nothing is certain but death and taxes.
(Darkovan Proverb)

TEA:

Three comforts of old age: fire, tea and tobacco. (Welsh Proverb)

Men for tea, women for talk. (Somali Proverb)

To make the tea cloudy. (Japanese Proverb)

Mango among fruits, pork among meats, tea among leaves. (Burmese Proverb)

The guest who seeks special attention muddies the host's tea. (Japanese Proverb)

Better than a banquet somewhere else is a good cup of tea and a bowl of rice at home. (Japanese Proverb)

A bath refreshes the body, tea refreshes the mind. (Japanese Proverb)

When Madame drops her cup of tea it makes no noise. (Kurdish Proverb)

Before you study Zen, a bowl is a bowl and tea is tea. While you are studying Zen, a bowl is no longer a bowl and tea is no longer tea. After you've studied Zen, a bowl is again a bowl and tea is tea. (Zen Proverb)

Read the tea leaves. (Traditional Proverb)

Not for all the tea in China. (Traditional Proverb)

TEACHER:

When the pupil is ready to learn, a teacher will appear. (Zen Proverb)

The faults of others are the best teachers. (Swedish Proverb)

Our first teacher is our own heart. (Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

Better than a thousand days of diligent study is one day with a great teacher. (Japanese Proverb)

One mother achieves more than a hundred teachers. (Jewish Proverb)

A good mother is worth a hundred teachers. (Italian Proverb)

I learned much from my teachers, more from my friends, and the most from my pupils. (Hebrew Proverb)

The mistakes of other people are good teachers. (Estonian Proverb)

A load of books does not equal one good teacher. (Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door. (Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door.(Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door but you must walk through it yourself.(Chinese Proverb)

You can't become a teacher before your taught.(African Proverb)

Time is a teacher.(African Proverb)

Life is a teacher.(African Proverb)

A teacher is someone who ploughs with his tongue to fill his little bowl with rice.
(Chinese Proverb)

Teachers open the door, but you must enter by yourself.(Chinese Proverb)

He who flatters me is my enemy, who blames me is my teacher.(Chinese Proverb)

The world is a good teacher, but it charges a huge fee.(Finnish Proverb)

He who is his own teacher, has a fool for his pupil.(German Proverb)

Experience is the teacher of jesters and the intelligence of the wise.(German Proverb)

No more teachers, no more books, no more teacher's dirty looks. (German Proverb)

The fault of another is a good teacher. (German Proverb)

Whoever cares to learn will always find a teacher. (German Proverb)

If the pupil is smart, the teacher gets the credit. (Jewish Proverb)

Where the pupil is willing; the teachers will appear. (Italian Proverb)

If the teacher be corrupt, the world will be corrupt. (Persian Proverb)

The strictness of the teacher is better to bear than the prejudice of the father. (Persian Proverb)

Experience is not always the kindest of teachers, but it is surely the best. (Spanish Proverb)

To teach well, we need not say all that we know. Successful teachers are effective in spite of the psychological theories they suffer under. (Traditional Proverb)

Never become a teacher where you yourself
were a pupil.(Turkish Proverb)

Roses grow where a teacher hits.
(Traditional Proverb)

Necessity is a great teacher.(Mexican Proverb)

Experience is the best teacher.
(Latin Proverb)

You don't need a teacher of wickedness.
(German Proverb)

A teacher is better than two books.
(German Proverb)

Teachers die, but books live on.
(Dutch Proverb)

The mistakes of others are good teachers.
(Estonian Proverb)

Diligence is a great teacher.(Arab Proverb)

TEACHING:

Each lama has his own teaching.
(Tibetan Proverb)

Teaching a Jew to deal in the market is like teaching grandmother to eat her eggs.

(Pakistani Proverb)

Teaching should come from within instead of without.

(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Teaching is half learning.

(Japanese Proverb)

History is constantly teaching, but it does not find many pupils.

(Austrian Proverb)

Teaching a monkey to eat with a fork and knife will never make it a man.

(African Proverb)

Teaching in youth is like carving in stone.

(Moroccan Proverb)

True teaching is not an accumulation of knowledge it is an awaking of consciousness which goes through successive stages.

(Traditional Proverb)

To teach one must know the nature of those whom one is teaching.

(Traditional Proverb)

A teacher stands in fear of teaching.

(Traditional Proverb)

You will learn by teaching.

(Latin Proverb)

We learn by teaching. (Italian Proverb)

Teaching others teacheth yourself.
(Chinese Proverb)

TEMPERANCE:

Intemperance is the doctor's wet-nurse.
(German Proverb)

TEMPTATION:

Everyone is tempted to evil. (Polish Proverb)

A man of character is resistant to temptation.
(Hungarian Proverb)

All temptations are found either in hope or fear. (English Proverb)

Who avoids temptation avoids sin.
(Albanian Proverb)

Temptation wrings integrity even as the thumbscrew twists a man's fingers.
(Chinese Proverb)

All temptations are found in either hope or fear. (English Proverb)

He who avoids the temptation avoids the sin. (Spanish Proverb)

Good habits result from resisting temptation. (Portuguese Proverb)

Constant occupation prevents temptation. (German Proverb)

THEOLOGY:

Theologians, dogs, and singers always disagree. (Indian Proverb)

THRIFT:

dry; these three are not thrifty. (Scottish Proverb)

Thrift is a great revenue. a little, often, leaves wrinkles in the purse. (English Proverb)

Thrift is to a man what chastity is to a woman. (Albanian Proverb)

Look for a thrifty woman -- even though it may cost you a pair of shoes. (Japanese Proverb)

After a thrifty father, a prodigal son.
(Spanish Proverb)

Thrift is a great revenue. (German Proverb)

Prudent men woo thrifty women.
(German Proverb)

Thrift is better than an annuity.
(French Proverb)

TIME:

In time, even a bear can be taught to dance.
(Yiddish Proverb)

He who listened to the woman suffered famine at harvest time. (Zambian Proverb)

The perch has a good time, it drinks when it wants to. (Swedish Proverb)

Who is insulted for a long time, finally loses his patience. (Swedish Proverb)

Footprints on the sands of time are not made by sitting down. (Traditional Proverb)

The cock that crows at the wrong time is killed. (Turkish Proverb)

The head of the rooster that crows out of time will be cut off. (Turkish Proverb)

Time is cash. (Turkish Proverb)

You must eat an elephant one bite at a time. (Twi Proverb)

If you chase two hares at the same time, you will catch neither of them. (Ukrainian Proverb)

Time will give you the best disguise. (Uruguayan Proverb)

A friend in time of need is a friend indeed. (Yemeni Proverb)

Time marches on. (Sicilian Proverb)

Wait for time and lose time. (Sicilian Proverb)

When the rooster crows off the hour, don't hesitate to adjust the time. (Sicilian Proverb)

While we are the Pope we'll pontificate; who knows if we'll be Pope another time.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who waits hoping in plans and dreams, loses time, and collects flies and troubles.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Whoever waits for time to pass loses time.

(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to dismantle a hedge, remove one thorn bush at a time. (Somali Proverb)

The best time to plant a tree is 20 years ago; the next best time is now.

(South African Proverb)

Patience, time, and money accommodate all things. (Spanish Proverb)

Even if a log lies in the water for a long time, it does not become a crocodile.

(Sudanese Proverb)

He who is after two things at the same time, one will surely escape him. (Swahili Proverb)

Refusing and wanting at the same time.

(Swahili Proverb)

One time is no time - two times is a habit.

(Swedish Proverb)

He that does his turn in time, sits half idle.

(Scottish Proverb)

Rhue and time, grows both in ane garden.

(Scottish Proverb)

There is nothing mair precious nor time.

(Scottish Proverb)

Tide and time, bides na man. (Scottish Proverb)

True love kythes in time of need.

(Scottish Proverb)

You cannot run and scratch your ass at the same time. (Senegalese Proverb)

A full ear requires three good things: good time, good seeds and good hoeing.

(Sicilian Proverb)

April is the time for sweet sleep, don't take things off, don't put things on.

(Sicilian Proverb)

April is the time for the fava, but if not here, then surely by the sea. (Sicilian Proverb)

Being in love with a married woman is living on borrowed time. (Sicilian Proverb)

Break the soil when it's moist, plow with the warm weather, and do the seeding on time. (Sicilian Proverb)

Cooked pumpkin stays hot for a long time. (Sicilian Proverb)

If an offense has hurt you too much, leave it, my friend, for a future time. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to be happy, love the one who loves you, because it's a waste of time to love someone who doesn't love you. (Sicilian Proverb)

Night time sleep counsels man. (Sicilian Proverb)

Judge nothing before the time. (Romanian Proverb)

Lawsuits consume time, and money, and rest, and friends. (Romanian Proverb)

There is a time to be born, and a time to die. (Romanian Proverb)

There is a time to love, and a time to hate. (Romanian Proverb)

There is a time to weep, and a time to laugh.
(Romanian Proverb)

Time cures all things.(Romanian Proverb)

Time devours all things.(Romanian Proverb)

Time discloses all things.(Romanian Proverb)

Time is the father of truth.(Romanian Proverb)

Time lost cannot be won again.
(Romanian Proverb)

Time shall teach thee all things.
(Romanian Proverb)

Truth is time's daughter.(Romanian Proverb)

Who will in time present pleasure refrain, shall
in time to come the more pleasure obtain.
(Romanian Proverb)

Each time it is different.(Russian Proverb)

Every vegetable has its time.(Russian Proverb)

It's nice to have a spoon in time for dinner.
(Russian Proverb)

One does not sharpen the axes after the right
time; after the time they are needed.(Russian)

Stormy weather cannot stay all the time, the red sun will come out, too. (Russian Proverb)

There was a time they loved an accordionist, and now the time has come where they love a tractor driver. (Russian Proverb)

There will come a time when the seed will sprout. (Russian Proverb)

Time best healer. (Russian Proverb)

Time makes the best healer. (Russian Proverb)

Would I know where I'd fall, I'd lay some straw there ahead of time. (Russian Proverb)

Basketeer who makes a basket makes a hundred if he's given line and time. (Portuguese Proverb)

It's hard to please Greeks and Trojans at the same time. (Portuguese Proverb)

Think of many things, but do just one at a time. (Portuguese Proverb)

A sluggard takes an hundred steps because he would not take one in due time. (Romanian Proverb)

He that has time and looks for time, loses time. (Romanian Proverb)

A crowd is like a smoldering log which can spark into a flame at any time.
(Nigerian Proverb)

At a time a cockerel matures, it begins to crow to tell the world the time of day.
(Nigerian Proverb)

If your parents take care of you up to the time you cut your teeth, you take care of them when they lose theirs. (Nigerian Proverb)

It is an unthinking man who achieves prosperity, and then finds with time, that his body can no longer pass through the door.
(Nigerian Proverb)

The gods only hear one wish at a time, and nothing more. (Nigerian Proverb)

We do not use our bare feet to search for hidden thorns which we have seen in day time. (Nigerian Proverb)

What is sensible today may be derangement at another time. (Nigerian Proverb)

A sip at a time empties the cask.
(Norwegian Proverb)

When a soup is unpalatable, and the paste of the pounded yam that goes with it is not smooth, that is the time to know a man who loves to eat pounded yam. (Nigerian Proverb)

Without knowing a way thoroughly at day time, never attempt to pass it at night. (Nigerian Proverb)

To fight once shows bravery, but to fight all the time is stupid. (Oromo Proverb)

Time heals and then it kills. (Mexican Proverb)

Time heals all wounds. (Moroccan Proverb)

The tail of an ox says, "Time goes, time comes." (Native American Creole Proverb)

Time isn't used, it's experienced. (Native American Hopi Proverb)

Those who rush things too much, without reflection, can be surpassed by those who take their time. (Malagasy Proverb)

Truth is like sugar cane; even if you chew it for a long time, it is still sweet. (Malagasy Proverb)

When the sun shines is the time to make up hay. (Manx Proverb)

Bright enough in the dark, dull in time of day.
(Latin Proverb)

Possessions dwindle: I mourn their loss. But I mourn the loss of time much more, for anyone can save his purse, but none can win back lost time.(Latin Proverb)

There is a time for all things.
(Latin Proverb)

Time is like a dagger; if you don't cut with it, it cuts you. Go ahead and cut. Be quick before it cuts you.(Kurdish Proverb)

Greetings are the patron gods of our time.
(Japanese Proverb)

Time flies like an arrow.(Japanese Proverb)

A rope which is pulled for a long time, breaks.
(Kaonde Proverb)

All in good time.(Italian Proverb)

He that has time, has life.(Italian Proverb)

Time and patience change the mulberry leaf to satin.(Italian Proverb)

Fill your basket one item at a time.
(Jamaican Proverb)

Castles were built a stone at a time.

(Irish Proverb)

He was never good since the time a yard made a coat for him.(Irish Proverb)

The day of the storm is not the time for thatching your roof.(Irish Proverb)

The waiting man thinks the time long.
(Irish Proverb)

There is no virtue in the herb that is not got in time.(Irish Proverb)

Time is a good story teller.(Irish Proverb)

A person who happens by a neighbor's house at dinner time, and is invited to join the meal, does not swallow such large morsels as to break the string of pearls around his neck.
(Igbo Proverb)

All the bad things seems to happen at the same time.(Indonesian Proverb)

A stone thrown at the right time is better than gold given at the wrong time.
(Iranian Proverb)

He who gains time, gains life.(Hungarian)

If the shepherds fight each other, the wolf has a good time. (Hungarian Proverb)

Time passes, it waits for nobody.
(Hungarian Proverb)

For good work time is needed.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Even the clock shows the time without knowing anything. (Finnish Proverb)

One time after the denial. (Finnish Proverb)

Time goes on while life runs out.
(Finnish Proverb)

Those who love in the Lord never see each other for the last time. (German Proverb)

The crutch of time does more than the club of Hercules. (English Proverb)

There is a time to speak and a time to be silent. (English Proverb)

Time and thinking tame the strongest grief.
(English Proverb)

Time flies like an arrow, fruit flies like a banana. (English Proverb)
Time flies when you're having fun.

(English Proverb)

Time is a file that wears and makes no noise.
(English Proverb)

Time is of the essence. (English Proverb)

Time trieth truth. (English Proverb)

What may be done at any time will be done at
nae time. (English Proverb)

You can't grease a "pig" so many times that he
can't be greased one more time.
(English Proverb)

Glorious it is when wandering time is come.
(Eskimo Proverb)

Smart is the one who goes along with time,
stupid is the one who bears his fangs.
(Estonian Proverb)

Who has lied once will not be believed the
second time. (Estonian Proverb)

Eat when the food is ready; speak when the
time is right. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Time runs like the river current.
(Faroese Proverb)
It is better to murder during time of plague.

(English Proverb)

It was probably a waste of time anyway.

(English Proverb)

Life is short and time is swift. (English Proverb)

Fresh pork and new wine kill a man before his time. (English Proverb)

He is wise that is ware in time. (English)

To seek without finding, equals waste of time.
(Egyptian Proverb)

An inch of gold will not buy an inch of time.
(English Proverb)

He who studies does not waste his time.
(Corsican Proverb)

Life is just as long as the time it takes for
someone to pass by a window.
(Corsican Proverb)

No one is born and no one dies before their
time. (Corsican Proverb)

When the sun is on Azilonu, it's meal time.
(Corsican Proverb)

God is our general in time of war.(Bosnian)

Be diligent when there's time.(Burmese)

Do use a needle in time, or you might need an axe later.(Burmese Proverb)

It's like catching 2 eels at a time.
(Burmese Proverb)

A dream that lasts merely a millet soup's cooking time.(Chinese Proverb)

An inch of time is an inch of gold, but an inch of time cannot be purchased for an inch of gold.(Chinese Proverb)

Do everything at its right time, and one day will seem like three.(Chinese Proverb)

Fearing laws makes one happy every day; withholding truth from heaven worries one all the time.(Chinese Proverb)

Force tells weak from strong for a moment; truth tells right from wrong all the time.
(Chinese Proverb)

Good will be rewarded with good and evil with evil; it is only a matter of time.
(Chinese Proverb)

If you must play, decide on three things at the start: the rules of the game, the stakes, and the quitting time. (Chinese Proverb)

One's true nature is revealed in time of difficulty. (Chinese Proverb)

Study without reflection is a waste of time; reflection without study is dangerous. (Chinese Proverb)

Time is like a river - it flows by and doesn't return. (Chinese Proverb)

We can move the entire mountain one piece at a time. (Chinese Proverb)

We are all visitors to this time, this place. (Australian Proverb)

They asked a bullfrog, They asked a bullfrog, "Why do you croak all the time?" He replied, "I'm enchanted with my voice." (Armenian)

A friend is the one that lends a hand during the time of need. (Arabic Proverb)

Time is made of gold. (Arabic Proverb)

Time is like a sword. (Arabic Proverb)

Time has eaten and drank upon it.(Arabic)

The best place in the world is on the back of a horse, and the best thing to do in time is to read a book.(Arabic Proverb)

We celebrated at the wax door, and all the time the honeycomb was empty within.
(Bantu Proverb)

Falseness lasts an hour, and truth lasts till the end of time.(Arabic Proverb)

One who is serious all day will never have a good time, while one who is frivolous all day will never establish a household.
(Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

For everyone there is an appointed time.
(Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

When the dead man sings it may last a very long time.(Albanian Proverb)

Time saved at the cost of an accident is no saving.(Albanian Proverb)

Time and tide wait for no man.(Albanian)

The best way to kill time is to work it to death.
(Albanian Proverb)

One at a time is good fishing; two at a time is making a hog of yourself.(Albanian Proverb)

Kissing a girl for the first time is like getting the first olive from a jar: after the first one, they come rolling out.(Albanian Proverb)

Have fun while you live, because you are going to be dead a long time.(Albanian Proverb)

Begin in time to finish without hurry.
(Albanian Proverb)

Anytime means no time.(Albanian Proverb)

All are architects of fate working in these walls of time.(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot be a mouse and bat at the same time.(African Proverb)

What reveals a man is his behavior in time of hunger.(African Proverb)

Two rams cannot drink from the same bucket at the same time; they will lock horns.
(African Proverb)

Truth and morning become light with time.
(African Proverb)

Time lost is lost forever.(African Proverb)

Time is a teacher.(African Proverb)

Time is a healer.(African Proverb)

The time to slap a king is the time when a fly touches on his cheek.(African Proverb)

The person you know during daytime should also be recognizable during night time.
(African Proverb)

The mouth does not forget what it tasted only one time.(African Proverb)

It may take a lot of time to fabricate a lie but the truth only takes seconds to elevate.
(African Proverb)

If you waste time, surely time will waste you.
(African Proverb)

If you want to remove a mountain start with one stone at a time.(African Proverb)

If you kill time, you'll bury opportunities.
(African Proverb)

Do something at its right time, and peace will accompany it.(African Proverb)

Beware of time because it has the answers.
(African Proverb)

By the time you tell a secret to a mad person then a normal person you cannot see.

(African Proverb)

A man who doesn't know how to play sex disappears after the first time.(African Proverb)

No chicken will fall into the fire a second time.
(African Proverb)

A man who cries all the time is not heard.
(African Proverb)

Mother Nature, time and patience are the three best doctors.(Bulgarian Proverb)

No man can paddle two canoes at the same time.(Bantu Proverb)

They asked a bullfrog, "Why do you croak all the time?" He replied, "I'm enchanted with my voice."(Armenian Proverb)

A dog that barks all the time gets little attention.(Argentine Proverb)

Time is the master of him who has no master.
(Arab Proverb)

If you have never seen evil, look closely at yourself some time.(Arab Proverb)

Dawn does not come to awaken a man a second time. (Arab Proverb)

Opportunities, like eggs, come one at a time. (American Proverb)

Drink and frankfurters for a dime; kill a man before his time. (American Proverb)

Do not confine your children to your own learning, for they were born in another time. (Chinese Proverb)

As long as time is not pressing one does not burn incense; when it becomes urgent one kisses the feet of Buddha. (Chinese Proverb)

There is always lots of time to die and to pay. (Catalonian Proverb)

The best time to plant a tree was twenty years ago. The second best time is today. (Chinese Proverb)

People live like birds in the woods: When the time comes, each must take flight. (Chinese Proverb)

One step at a time is good walking. (Chinese Proverb)

Nature, time and patience are the three great physicians. (Chinese Proverb)

Man who waits for roast duck to fly into mouth must wait very, very long time. (Chinese Proverb)

Lazy people always want to do everything at the same time. (Chinese Proverb)

If you must play, decide upon three things at the start: the rules of the game, the stakes, and the quitting time. (Chinese Proverb)

He who does not know what to do in his spare time is not a businessman. (Chinese Proverb)

Going into a country the first time, ask what is forbidden; on entering a village, ask what are the customs; on entering a private house, ask what should not be mentioned. (Chinese Proverb)

To get through the hardest journey we need take only one step at a time, but we must keep on stepping. (Chinese Proverb)

There is a time to fish and a time to dry the nets. (Chinese Proverb)

Transgressions should never be forgiven a third time. (Chinese Proverb)

When you have read a book for the first time, you get to know a friend; read it for a second time and you meet an old friend. (Chinese)

Whoever keeps his door locked all the time longs for it to be broken down. (Chinese)

You can't buy an inch of time with an inch of gold. (Chinese Proverb)

You can accompany a friend for a thousand miles but at some time you must take your leave. (Chinese Proverb)

Good counsel is no better than bad counsel, if it be not taken in time. (Danish Proverb)

A penny in time is as good as a dollar. (Danish Proverb)

If it's not your time, you won't be born and you won't die. (Corsican Proverb)

The tail of an ox says, "Time goes, time comes." (Native American Creole Proverb)

Time is not tied to a post, like a horse to the manger. (Danish Proverb)

No is a good answer when given in time. (Danish Proverb)

I may go over my reckoning, but not over my time. (Dutch Proverb)

Fools ask what's o'clock, but wise men know their time. (Dutch Proverb)

Not even the Lord of Light can turn back time, or undo what has been done.
(Darkovan Proverb)

You cannot drink and whistle at the same time. (Danish Proverb)

God often visits us, but most of the time we are not at home. (French Proverb)

Everything in time comes to him who knows how to wait. (French Proverb)

By continually scolding someone, they in time become accustomed to it and despise your reproof. (French Proverb)

A friend is known in time of need.
(French Proverb)

You may well have two legs but you still can't climb two trees at the same time.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Eat when the meal is ready, speak when the time is ripe. (Ethiopian Proverb)

To wash an ass's head is but loss of time and soap. (To reprove a fool is but lost labor.)

(French Proverb)

One cannot be at the oven and the mill at the same time.(French Proverb)

It is not enough to run; one must start in time.
(French Proverb)

He who is always drinking and stuffing, will in time become a ragamuffin.

(German Proverb)

You cannot have the bacon and the pig at the same time.(French Proverb)

Little and often makes a heap in time.
(German Proverb)

No one can blow and swallow at the same time.(German Proverb)

Time, wine, women, and fortune, are ever changing.(German Proverb)

Time chases love away and love chases the time away.(German Proverb)

Time brings everything, to those who can wait for it.(German Proverb)

Time and opportunity are in no man's sleeve.
(German Proverb)

Time and hour run through the roughest day.
(German Proverb)

A truth spoken before its time is dangerous.
(Greek Proverb)

By the time the fool has learned the game, the
players have dispersed.(Ghanaian Proverb)

You can't complain about the sea if you suffer
shipwreck for the second time.
(Icelandic Proverb)

He who slowly gets angry will stay angry for a
long time.(Hungarian Proverb)

The dog has four feet, but he does not walk in
four roads at the same time.(Haitian Proverb)

Time is a river of passing events -- a rushing
torrent.(Greek Proverb)

Passing from mouth to mouth it was learned
by a thousand, and by the time it came to be
heard by the king he learned of how a cow laid
an egg.(Greek Proverb)

For lazy people it is always party time.
(Greek Proverb)

Something done at the wrong time should be regarded as not done. (Indian Proverb)

He who has scalded himself once blows the next time. (Italian Proverb)

He that refuseth praise the first time does it because he would have it the second. (Italian Proverb)

He ought not to complain of the sea who returns to it a second time. (Italian Proverb)

Agree between yourselves (as to the time), quoth Arlotto, and I will make it rain. (Italian Proverb)

The right man comes at the right time. (Italian Proverb)

One cannot drink and whistle at the same time. (Italian Proverb)

A man cannot spin and reel at the same time. (Jewish Proverb)

When the time comes, even a rat becomes a tiger. (Japanese Proverb)

Time spent laughing is time spent with the Gods. (Japanese Proverb)

Too much hurry, and get there tomorrow; take time, get there today. (Jamaican Proverb)

A mouse in time may bite in two a cable.
(Latin Proverb)

When the time comes for you to live, there aren't enough years. (Jewish Proverb)

Time heals old pain, while it creates new ones.
(Jewish Proverb)

Time and words can't be recalled, even if it was only yesterday. (Jewish Proverb)

There's plenty of time to bemoan bad fortune once it arrives. (Jewish Proverb)

The day is short and work lasts a long time.
(Jewish Proverb)

Even Jupiter himself cannot be in love and wise at the same time. (Latin Proverb)

Bright enough in the dark, dull in time of day.
[Learned in what is of no use, ignorant of everything at all available.] (Latin Proverb)

Make good use of your time, it flies fast.
(Latin Proverb)

Lions in time of peace; deer in war.

(Latin Proverb)

In time of prosperity, friends will be plenty, In time of adversity, not one amongst twenty.

(Latin Proverb)

He will die before he's old who's wise before his time. (Latin Proverb)

He who is first in time has the prior right.

(Latin Proverb)

He who has received a kindness forgets it; he who has been injured remembers it.

(Latin Proverb)

He opens the theatre, and immediately closes it. (Latin Proverb)

You can't love Thetis and Galatea at the same time. (Latin Proverb)

With the idle it is always holy day time.

(Latin Proverb)

We have all been fools in our time.

(Latin Proverb)

Time has a forelock, but is bald behind.

(Latin Proverb)

They found no fault with Time, save that he fled. (Latin Proverb)

There is a time when nothing should be said, there is a time when some things may be said. but there is indeed no time in which everything can be said. (Latin Proverb)

There is a time and place for everything. (Latin Proverb)

The penalty attaching to evil deeds should be thought of in time. (Latin Proverb)

The happier the time, the more quickly it passes. (Latin Proverb)

Take time: much may be gained by patience. (Latin Proverb)

A stone thrown at the right time is better than a stone thrown at the wrong time. (Persian Proverb)

The day you are leaving is not the time to start your preparations. (Nigerian Proverb)

He who waits for a chance may wait for a long time. (Nigerian Proverb)

Work expands so as to fill the time available.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Who holds his peace and gathers stones, will find a time to throw them.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Time and the hour are not to be tied with a rope. (Portuguese Proverb)

It takes two days to learn everything about a man; to know animals you will need more time. (Persian Proverb)

What may be done at any time will be done at no time. (Scottish Proverb)

It will last out our time; if after us no grass grows, what does it matter to us? (Russian Proverb)

In the garden of time grows the flower of consolation. (Russian Proverb)

It's better to arrive on time than to be invited. (Spanish Proverb)

Fresh port and new wine, send a Christian to the churchyard. (Kill a man before his time.) (Spanish Proverb)

Before the time, great courage; when at the point, great fear. (Spanish Proverb)

What is done, is done for this time.
(Spanish Proverb)

Age and time do not wait for people.
(Traditional Proverb)

Slow fires will smolder for a long time.
(Thai Proverb)

A sheep cannot bleat in two different places at the same time. (Tanzanian Proverb)

To be a fool at the right time is also an art.
(Swiss Proverb)

Who has time yet waits for time, comes to a time of repentance. (Spanish Proverb)

When the iron is hot, then is the time to strike. (Spanish Proverb)

If I had a rose for every time I thought of you, I'd be picking roses for a lifetime.
(Traditional Proverb)

If a word spoken in its time is worth one piece of money, silence in its time is worth two.
(Traditional Proverb)

Have the wisdom to abandon the values of a time that has passed and pick out the constituents of the future. An environment must be suited to the age and men to their environment. (Traditional Proverb)

For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth, the time of pruning the vines has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land. (Traditional Proverb)

Difficult things take a long time, impossible things a little longer. (Traditional Proverb)
No one person can wear all the hats all the time. (Traditional Proverb)

Live in peace in a time of stress. (Traditional Proverb)

Life is like an onion you peel off one layer at a time, and sometimes you weep. (Traditional Proverb)

Just taking it one day at a time. (Traditional Proverb)

It's not easy taking problems one at a time when they refuse to get in line. (Traditional Proverb)

What can be done at any time is never done at all.
(Traditional Proverb)

We're running out of time babe. The dream will come no closer by itself. We got to run after it now...
(Traditional Proverb)

Time drinks up the essence of great actions which should be quickly done but are delayed.
(Traditional Proverb)

Time cures the sick man, not the ointment.
(Traditional Proverb)

Time and Patience would bring the snail to Jerusalem.
(Traditional Proverb)

The bird of time has but a little way to fly. And lo, the bird is on the wing.
(Traditional Proverb)

He that fears danger in time seldom feels it.
(Turkish Proverb)

Time is longer than a rope.
(Virgin Islander Proverb)

A watched clock never tells the time.
(Welsh Proverb)

A careful hyena lives a long time.
(Zimbabwean Proverb)

Copying everybody else all the time, the
monkey one day cut his throat,
(Zulu Proverb)

If the time has passed, there is no point in
preparing. (Yemeni Proverb)

Quicker by taking more time. (Traditional)

The land that time forgot. (Traditional Proverb)

Time slides like sand through your fingers.
(Traditional Proverb)

Time tries truth. (Traditional Proverb)

Live not for time, but eternity. (Traditional)

Time and I against any two. (Spanish Proverb)

He that neglects time, time will neglect.
(Spanish Proverb)

Time has strong teeth. (Norwegian Proverb)

Time has no respect for beauty.
(Polish Proverb)

Everything has its time. (Portuguese Proverb)
Money is not gained by losing time.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Third time is the charm.(Portuguese Proverb)

Third time lucky.(Portuguese Proverb)

Every seed knows its time.(Russian Proverb)

Laws are silent in time of war.(Russian)

Time builds castles, and time destroys them.
(Serbian Proverb)

Sleep not in time of peril.(Latin Proverb)

There is always a first time.(Latin Proverb)

Time flies with hasty step.(Latin Proverb)

Time flies.(Latin Proverb)

Time reveals all things.(Latin Proverb)

Time softens animosity.(Latin Proverb)

Time gives good advice.(Maltese Proverb)

Length of time rots a stone.(Latin Proverb)

Lost time is never found again.(Latin Proverb)

Better take time.(Latin Proverb)

Diverse grapes, through time, grow together
(Latin Proverb)

Time is a great healer.(Jewish Proverb)

Never is a long time.(Italian Proverb)

Time is an inaudible file.(Italian Proverb)

Lazy people have no spare time.(Japanese)

The unscrupulous succeed every time.
(Japanese Proverb)

Time and place make the thief.(German)

Time betrays and hangs the thief.(German)

Time brings roses.(German Proverb)

Time covers and discovers everything.
(German Proverb)

Time is anger's medicine.(German)

Time is the best counselor.(German Proverb)

Time is the best preacher.(German Proverb)

Time is the herald of truth.(German)

Time makes hay.(German Proverb)

Truth is the daughter of time.
(German Proverb)

What greater crime than loss of time?
(German Proverb)

Women are watches that keep bad time.
(German Proverb)

Time is the best adviser.(Greek Proverb)

There is no hand to catch time.
(Indian Proverb)

Time is a great story teller.(Irish Proverb)

A slothful man never has time.(Italian)

Friends are known in time of need.
(Italian Proverb)

Hour by hour time departs.(Italian Proverb)

Once upon a time, no time.(German Proverb)

One must glean at harvest time.
(German Proverb)

Time makes love pass.(French Proverb)

You have to give time some time.

(French Proverb)

Buy when it is market time.(German Proverb)

Love makes the time pass.(French Proverb)

A stitch in time saves nine.(French Proverb)

Good things require time.(Dutch Proverb)

Time and straw make medlars ripe.

(Dutch Proverb)

Time destroys all things.(Dutch Proverb)

Time fleeth away without delay.

(Dutch Proverb)

Time gained, much gained.(Dutch Proverb)

Time goes, death comes.(Dutch Proverb)

Time is God's and ours.(Dutch Proverb)

Time is money.(Dutch Proverb)

Time past never returns.(Dutch Proverb)

No time like the present.(English Proverb)

Time heals all wounds.(English Proverb)

Time is the soul of business.(English Proverb)

Wasting time is stealing from oneself.
(Estonian Proverb)

Time flies when you are among friends.
(Basque Proverb)

One step at a time.(Chinese Proverb)

Procrastination is the thief of time.
(Chinese Proverb)

Correction is good when administered in time.
(Danish Proverb)

Time waits for no man.(Danish Proverb)

Time will tell.(Danish Proverb)

Time works wonders.(Danish Proverb)

Sunshine all the time makes a desert.
(Arab Proverb)

TRAVEL:

To travel is to see. (Tswana Proverb)

Little wit makes Meikles travel.
(Scottish Proverb)

A new thing does not come to see who sits, but to see who travels. (Shona Proverb)

In fair weather, in calm waters and in peaceful travel, even a coachman knows how to sail.
(Sicilian Proverb)

It's a great advantage to love someone in your neighborhood: you see each other often and you don't have to travel. (Sicilian Proverb)

Early risers travel farther. (Romanian Proverb)

When the elderly ones in a house travel, the younger ones quickly grow in experience.
(Nigerian Proverb)

A person, who never travels, believes his mother's cooking is the best in the world.
(Kiganda Proverb)

If you love your son, let him travel.
(Japanese Proverb)

Much travel is needed to ripen a man's rawness. (English Proverb)

Notoriety travels farther away.
(Chinese Proverb)

To be sure that your friend is a friend, you must go with him on a journey, travel with him day and night, and go with him near and far. (Angolan Proverb)

The fool wanders; the wise man travels.
(Albanian Proverb)

Travel makes one a stranger. (African Proverb)

To travel is to see, to return is to talk.
(African Proverb)

Travel and you will see them, sit and they will come to you. (African Proverb)

He who would visit a vice, never has far to travel. (Arab Proverb)

No matter how much the wise man travels, he always lives in the same place.
(Chinese Proverb)

Travel east or travel west, a man's own house is still the best. (Dutch Proverb)

If you do not travel, you will marry your own sister. (Mozambican Proverb)

Ill news travels fast. (Italian Proverb)

Travel broadens the mind. (Italian Proverb)

Politeness travels on short fares.
(German Proverb)

Falsehood travels and grows. (Danish Proverb)

Bad news travels fast. (American Proverb)

When you're travelling, don't speak poorly of your neighbor. (Sicilian Proverb)

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TRUST:

Trust yourself and your horse.
(Serbo-Croatian Proverb)

As long as you don't trust, you won't be cheated.(Sicilian Proverb)

Trust not a horse's heel, nor a dog's tooth.
(Romanian Proverb)

In trust is treason.(Romanian Proverb)

Trust the virgin and don't run.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Trust in God -- but tie your camel tight.
(Persian Proverb)

Trust your best friend as you would your worst enemy.(Mexican Proverb)

The earth is not ours, it is a treasure we hold in trust for future generations.
(Namibian Proverb)

Trust is the biggest liability of all.(Klingon)

Trust your instincts.(Klingon Proverb)

Trust, but locate the doors.(Klingon Proverb)

Trust, but verify. (Klingon Proverb)

To trust is good; not to trust is better.
(Italian Proverb)

Never trust a spiteful man. (Irish Proverb)

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Once you lost the trust of someone, it is almost impossible to gain it back.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Trust no one till you have eaten a bushel of salt with him. (German Proverb)

Trust god and keep your powder dry.
(English Proverb)

First try and then trust. (English Proverb)

In guns we trust. (Colonial Proverb)

When there is trust, no proof is necessary
(Chinese Proverb)

Trust in God, but tie your camel.
(Arabic Proverb)

Trust in Allah, but tie your camel first.
(Arabic Proverb)

Trust Allah, but tie up your camel.

(Arabic Proverb)

Trust in god but lock your car.

(Albanian Proverb)

Do not trust flatterers. (Albanian Proverb)

Trust in Allah, but tie up your camel.

(Arab Proverb)

Love many, trust few and always paddle your own canoe. (American Proverb)

In God we trust; all others pay cash.

(American Proverb)

Trust not still water nor a silent man.

(Danish Proverb)

Trust not a skittish horse, nor a great lord,
when they shake their heads. (Danish Proverb)

Poor Trust is dead; Bad Pay killed him.

(English Proverb)

Trust not to God but upon good security.

(French Proverb)

Trust was a good man; trust-not was a better.

(Italian Proverb)

Trust not the praise of a friend nor the contempt of an enemy. (Italian Proverb)

Trust not a sword in the hands of a boy.
(Latin Proverb)

Trust no one, until you have eaten a peck of salt with him. (Latin Proverb)

Trust not tow with firebrands, not a woman with men. (Portuguese Proverb)

Trust not a new friend or an old enemy.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Trust in God, but mind your own business.
(Russian Proverb)

If you would make a thief honest, trust him.
(Spanish Proverb)

Trust not your money to one whose eyes are bent on the ground. (Spanish Proverb)

Trust not your gossip to a priest who has been a friar. (Spanish Proverb)

Trust in God upon good security.
(Spanish Proverb)

Trust not a dog that limps. (Portuguese)

Trust not a horse's heels.(Portuguese Proverb)

Trust not a woman, even when dead.
(Latin Proverb)

Trust not your all in one ship.(Latin Proverb)

Trust well rides away with the horse.
(German Proverb)

Trust, beware whom!(German Proverb)

Trust, but not too much.(German Proverb)

Trust me, but look to thyself.(Irish Proverb)

Sudden trust brings sudden repentance.
(German Proverb)

Swim on and don't trust.(French Proverb)

Trust is the mother of exasperation.
(French Proverb)

Trust makes way for treachery.(Arab Proverb)

Trust everybody, but thyself most.
(Danish Proverb)

Mistrust before you trust.(Arab Proverb)

TWIN:

Joy was born a twin. (English Proverb)

Twin fools: one doubts nothing, the other everything. (Albanian Proverb)

A mother of twin should have impartial breasts. (African Proverb)

It is not economical to go to bed early to save the candles if the result is twins.
(Chinese Proverb)

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(Chinese Proverb)

TYRANNY:

Don't love the one who loves you, it's tyranny.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Oh tyrant, your day will come. (Arabic Proverb)

Where law ends, tyranny begins. (Albanian)

Democracy is better than tyranny.
(Albanian Proverb)

Any excuse will serve a tyrant.

(Albanian Proverb)

The tyrant is only the slave turned inside out.

(Egyptian Proverb)

Fashion is a tyrant from which there is no deliverance; all must conform to its whimsical.

(French Proverb)

Love is a sweet tyranny, because the lover endureth his torments willingly.

(Traditional Proverb)

Custom is a tyrant. (Traditional Proverb)

Thus always to tyrants. (Latin Proverb)

Fashion is more powerful than any tyrant.

(Latin Proverb)

Beware the tyranny of the minority.

(Latin Proverb)

Secrecy is the beginning of tyranny.

(Italian Proverb)

U CATEGORY

UNCERTAINTY:

If you forsake a certainty for an uncertainty, you will lose both the certainty and the uncertainty. (Sanskrit Proverb)

Poverty with security is better than plenty in the midst of fear and uncertainty. (Albanian Proverb)

There are three uncertainties: woman, wind, and wealth. (Indian Proverb)

If you forsake a certainty and depend on an uncertainty, you will lose both the certainty and the uncertainty. (Indian Proverb)

It is precisely the uncertainty of this world that makes life worth living. (Japanese Proverb)

UNITY:

With unity there is strength. (Polish Proverb)

Unity can be equal to a thousand golden coins. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Unity is equal to a thousand golden coins.
(Kashmiri Proverb)

Unity is strength.(Kashmiri Proverb)

There is not strength without unity.
(Irish Proverb)

To describe a unity of a society.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Unity is power.(Arabic Proverb)

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(Irish Proverb)

V CATEGORY

VALUE:

Who has never been burned in the sun won't know the value of shadow.(Turkish Proverb)

Your value is set by your worth.
(Sicilian Proverb)

During sickness, you recognize the value of good health.(Sicilian Proverb)

There is no choosing between two things of no value. (Mexican Proverb)

Don't estimate the value of a badger skin before catching the badger. (Japanese Proverb)

Among the ignorant a little knowledge is of great value. (Kashmiri Proverb)

He knows the price of everything and the value of nothing. (Irish Proverb)

The dead do not know the value of white sheets. (Haitian Proverb)

A man's value is that which he sets upon himself. (French Proverb)

Try not to become a man of success but a man of value. (English Proverb)

If you would know the value of a ducat, try to borrow one. (English Proverb)

Stinginess demeans the value of man. (Arabic Proverb)

He who got out of his home lessened his value. (Arabic Proverb)

If you want to know the value of money, try borrowing some. (Albanian Proverb)

The dead man doesn't know the value of his coffin. (African Proverb)

A man who does no hard work will never know the value of rest. (African Proverb)

Not cheap without reason, nor dear without value. (Afghan Proverb)

Only with a new ruler do you realize the value of the old. (Burmese Proverb)

A good neighbor increases the value of your property. (Czech Proveb)

The cow does not know the value of her tail till she has lost it. (Danish Proverb)

It is not till the cow has lost her tail, that she discovers its value. (German Proverb)

Where there is no bridge the smallest plank is of great value. (Hungarian Proverb)

It is not good for all our wishes to be filled; through sickness we recognize the value of health; through evil, the value of good; through hunger, the value of food; through exertion, the value of rest. (Greek Proverb)

The turtle underestimates the value of fast feet. (Japanese Proverb)

What value is a needle without an eye? (Jewish Proverb)

It doubles the value of a gift to be well-timed. (Latin Proverb)

We learn the value of things more in their loss than in their enjoyment. (Latin Proverb)

Test the danger by the Carians. [Practise new experiments on things of little value.] (Latin Proverb)

The ass does not know the value of his tail till he has lost it. (Portuguese Proverb)

If you want to know the value of money, go and borrow some. (Spanish Proverb)

A woman's advice is of little value, but he who does not take it is a fool. (Spanish Proverb)

A little smile adds a great deal to your face value. (Traditional Proverb)

Only with a new leader do you realize the value of the old. (Traditional Proverb)

Only the man who crosses the river at night
knows the value of the light of day.

(Traditional Proverb)

We do not know the value of water until we go
dry. (Traditional Proverb)

An indispensable thing never has much value.
(Russian Proverb)

Peace gains a value from discord.
(Latin Proverb)

Every man has his value. (French Proverb)

VANITY:

Vanity of vanities, all is vanity.
(Romanian Proverb)

In my life of vanity i saw everything: a
righteous man dying in his righteousness, and
a wicked man living long after his evil deeds.
(Hebrew Proverb)

Pride that dines on vanity sups on contempt.
(Albanian Proverb)

Life is vanity. (African Proverb)

Treat everything of this world as mere vanity.
(Latin Proverb)

He that cometh in vanity departeth in
darkness.(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty's sister is vanity, and its daughter lust.
(Traditional Proverb)

An ounce of vanity can ruin a ton of merit.
(Traditional Proverb)

Vanity blossoms but bears no fruit.
(Nepalese Proverb)

Vanity has no greater foe than vanity.
(French Proverb)

VICE AND VIRTUE:

To get may rest on luck, to keep may rest on
virtue.(Swedish Proverb)

For the ugly vice of begging, there's the virtue
of not giving.(Venezuelan Proverb)

Need makes Virtue.(Scottish Proverb)

Of need make Virtue.(Scottish Proverb)

Virtue is a jewel of great price.

(Romanian Proverb)

Honour is the reward of virtue.(Romanian)

A fair woman without virtue is like palled wine.(Romanian Proverb)

Gratitude is the least of virtues; ingratitude is the worst of vices.(Paraguayan Proverb)

Gratitude ranks as the least of virtues, and the lack of gratitude is the worst of vices.
(Paraguayan Proverb)

Let someone else acknowledge your virtues.
(Maori Proverb)

Make a virtue of necessity.(Latin Proverb)

Adhere to virtue honorably.(Klingon Proverb)

One need not enjoy virtue.(Klingon Proverb)

Virtue is the reward.(Klingon Proverb)

To show one's fist to a blind man is neither a sin nor a virtue.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Patience is a virtue that causes no shame.
(Irish Proverb)

Love blinds the eyes to faults, and hatred blinds the eyes to virtues. (Hebrew Proverb)

My friend tells me of my virtue. my enemy notes my fault. (Hebrew Proverb)

To be simple is a pedestrian virtue, but to persevere in simplicity is a virtue of spiritual giants. (Hebrew Proverb)

Virtue bears its own fruits. (Hebrew Proverb)

To give quickly is a great virtue. (Hindu Proverb)

He forges a virtue on necessity. (Hungarian Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is as a flower without perfume. (French Proverb)

How many daily read the Word, and yet from vice are not deterred. (German Proverb)

The excess of a virtue is a vice. (Greek Proverb)

Poverty is no vice, but an inconvenience. (English Proverb)

Adversity is the touchstone of virtue. (English Proverb)

That which is a sin in others is a virtue in ourselves. (Chilean Proverb)

Aspire to the principle, behave with virtue, abide by benevolence, and immerse yourself in the arts. (Chinese Proverb)

Faults and virtues are but two sides of the same coin. (Chinese Proverb)

It is a little thing to starve to death; it is a serious matter to lose one's virtue. (Chinese Proverb)

Those who set their minds on virtue will do no evil. (Chinese Proverb)

Who tells me of my faults is my teacher; who tells me of my virtues does me harm. (Chinese Proverb)

Virtue is better than riches. (Bajan Proverb)

Virtue is power. (Bajan Proverb)

Fidelity is a noble virtue, yet justice is nobler still. (Albanian Proverb)

Charity is a virtue of the heart and not of the hand. (Albanian Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is a rose without fragrance. (Albanian Proverb)

Adversity does best discover virtue.
(Albanian Proverb)

Great events give scope for great virtues.
(Albanian Proverb)

When you enjoy loving your neighbor, it ceases to be a virtue. (Afghan Proverb)

He who would visit a vice, never has far to travel. (Arab Proverb)

Ask me what are my virtues, not about the color of my skin. (Arab Proverb)

The greatest virtue is like water; good for everything. (Chinese Proverb)

The door to virtue is heavy and hard to open.
(Chinese Proverb)

Riches add to the house, virtues to the man.
(Chinese Proverb)

Good behavior is a virtue for the man -- bad behavior is the virtue of a woman.
(Chinese Proverb)

Virtue becomes a wife; beauty becomes a concubine.(Chinese Proverb)

Virtue practiced to be seen is not real virtue; vice which fears to be seen is real vice.
(Chinese Proverb)

Virtue never dwells alone, it always has neighbors.(Chinese Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is like a rose without scent.(Danish Proverb)

As the virtue in the tree, such is the fruit.
(Danish Proverb)

Extol the virtue of water, but drink wine.
(Czech Proverb)

Virtue in the middle, said the Devil, when seated between two lawyers.(Danish Proverb)

Vice is most dangerous when it puts on the garb of virtue.(Danish Proverb)

Where there is discipline there is virtue; where there is peace there is plenty.(Danish Proverb)

Coffee has two virtues, it's wet and it's warm.
(Dutch Proverb)

Set out wisely at first; custom will make every virtue more easy and pleasant to you than any vice can be. (English Proverb)

Gratitude is the least of virtues, but ingratitude the worst of vices. (French Proverb)

Beauty, unaccompanied by virtue, is as a flower without perfume. (French Proverb)

Never trust a woman who mentions her virtue. (French Proverb)

Kindred without friends, friends without power, power without will, will without effect, effect without profit, profit without virtue, is not worth a rush. (French Proverb)

Work relieves us from three great evils, boredom, vice, and want. (French Proverb)

Virtue would not go far, if a little vanity walked not with it. (German Proverb)

Vice often rides triumphantly in the coach of virtue. (German Proverb)

To call war the soil of courage and virtue is like calling debauchery the soil of love. (German Proverb)

Great abilities produce great vices as well as virtues. (Greek Proverb)

First secure an independent income, then practice virtue. (Greek Proverb)

Hypocrisy is a homage that vice pays to virtue. (Indian Proverb)

Virtue comes not from chance but long study. (Italian Proverb)

Virtue never goes far without the company of idleness. (Jamaican Proverb)

Wisdom and virtue are like the two wheels of a cart. (Japanese Proverb)

Every virtue is but halfway between two vices. (Latin Proverb)

Courage is the mistress and queen of all virtues. (Latin Proverb)

No one ever suddenly reached the height of vice. (Latin Proverb)

Make a virtue of necessity. [Claim credit for compulsory rectitude.] (Latin Proverb)

It is easier to run from virtue to vice, than from vice to virtue. (Latin Proverb)

Virtue and valour rejoice in being put to the test. (Latin Proverb)

Vices creep into our hearts under the name of virtue. (Latin Proverb)

The sin for which you repent is the father of virtue; but a virtue that you talk about, is the mother of sin. (Malagasy Proverb)

He is no great heir that inherits not his ancestor's virtues. (Portuguese Proverb)

Poverty does not destroy virtue, nor does wealth bestow it. (Spanish Proverb)

A man's faults all conform to his type of mind. Observe his faults and you may know his virtues. (Traditional Proverb)

Not wine...men intoxicate themselves Not vice...men entice themselves. (Traditional Proverb)

Learning, jewels, virtues, good habits, polite manners, sweet speech, artistry accept them from whatever source offers. (Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is the mother of all virtue; all vice proceeds from ignorance. (Traditional Proverb)

Truth, self control, asceticism, generosity, non-injury, constancy in virtue these are the means of success, not caste or family.

(Traditional Proverb)

Welcome Vice, if it comes] alone.

(Traditional Proverb)

The willing contemplation of vice is vice

(Traditional Proverb)

Vice is often clothed in virtue's habit.

(Traditional Proverb)

Idleness is the mother of all vices.

(Traditional Proverb)

Concealed goodness is a sort of vice.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Outward appearances assuming the form of virtues.

(Latin Proverb)

Prudence is the charioteer of all virtues.

(Latin Proverb)

True happiness is places in virtue.

(Latin Proverb)

Vice is nourished by concealment.

(Latin Proverb)

Virtue our leader, fortune our companion.
(Latin Proverb)

Virtue, which parleys, is near a surrender.
(Latin Proverb)

Excess in anything becomes a vice.
(Latin Proverb)

Glory is the shadow of virtue.(Latin Proverb)

Virtue carries an empty purse.
(Japanese Proverb)

Virtue is not knowing but doing.
(Japanese Proverb)

Virtue is better than wealth.
(Kenyan Proverb)

Vices are learned without a master.
(Italian Proverb)

Adversity is the foundation of virtue.
(Japanese Proverb)

Pleasure is the greatest incentive to vice.
(Greek Proverb)

Poverty destroys all virtues.(Indian Proverb)

Virtue flourishes in misfortune.

(German Proverb)

Virtue never dies.(German Proverb)

Virtue subdues power.(German Proverb)

Virtue flourishes in misfortune.

(German Proverb)

Great men's vices are accounted sacred.

(German Proverb)

Vice hides under a cloak of virtue.(French)

He who spares vice wrongs virtue.

(French Proverb)

Ingratitude is the mother of every vice.

(French Proverb)

Patience is the virtue of the donkeys.

(French Proverb)

Poverty is not a vice.(French Proverb)

Sloth is the beginning of vice.(Dutch Proverb)

Virtue consists of action.(Dutch Proverb)

Virtue is its own reward.(Dutch Proverb)

Prosperity discovers vices, and adversity virtue. (English Proverb)

Beauty without virtue is a curse.
(Azerbaijani Proverb)

Patience is a virtue. (Chinese Proverb)

Repentance is the spring beneath our virtues.
(Chinese Proverb)

Virtue is not left to stand alone.
(Chinese Proverb)

Virtue: climbing a hill; vice: running down.
(Chinese Proverb)

Praise is the hire of virtue. (Danish Proverb)

Vice is learnt without a schoolmaster.
(Danish Proverb)

Where vice is vengeance follows.
(Darkovan Proverb)

VIOLENCE:

Nothing that is violent is permanent.
(Italian Proverb)

Opinions founded on prejudice are always sustained with the greatest violence.

(Jewish Proverb)

All breathing, existing, living, sentient creatures should not be slain nor treated with violence, nor abused, nor tormented, nor driven away. This is the pure unchangeable law.(Traditional Proverb)

Who has power in his hands has no need to lie; he uses violence.(Turkish Proverb)

Gentleness does more than violence.
(French Proverb)

Greatness is not achieved with violence.
(African Proverb)

W CATEGORY

WALKING:

You must crawl before walking.
(Welsh Proverb)

Who runs more, lacks walking.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A man without money is like the walking dead. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who is hurry, goes walking.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A dog may die from too much walking, but a fool dies from worrying about someone else's business. (Romanian Proverb)

If you're going to rest under the sun, it's better to keep walking. (Mexican Proverb)

Men are equal when they are going and walking. (Kikuyu Proverb)

Walking slowly, even the donkey will reach Lhasa. (Indian Proverb)

Walking over corpses. (Dutch Proverb)

If we are facing in the right direction, all we have to do is keep on walking.
(Buddhist Proverb)

All of life is a dream walking, all of death is a going home. (Chinese Proverb)

When a four-year child is still crawling instead of walking it is time to cry out.
(African Proverb)

The path is made by walking.(African)

One step at a time is good walking.
(Chinese Proverb)

If one is not in a hurry, even an egg will start walking.(Ethiopian Proverb)

If a centipede loses a leg, it does not prevent him from walking.(Senegalese Proverb)

When walking, walk. When eating, eat.
(Traditional Proverb)

Rare as walking on water.(Traditional Proverb)

Walking on cloud nine.(Traditional Proverb)

Walking on thin ice.(Traditional Proverb)

Rare as walking on water.(Traditional Proverb)

WAR AND PEACE:

In a battle between elephants, the ants get squashed.(Thai Proverb)

He who provokes a war must be sure that he knows how to fight.(Tongan Proverb)

The laziness of youths is worse than war.
(Tupuri Proverb)

A good beginning is half the battle.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

You'll know the good soldier in battle.
(Sicilian Proverb)

The best bed that a man can sleep on is peace.
(Somali Proverb)

The drums of war are the drums of hunger.
(South African Proverb)

Love is like war, begin when you like and leave
off when you can.(Spanish Proverb)

If our feet leave the earth we no longer live in
peace.(Sudanese Proverb)

For him who is accustomed to taking giving
away is a battle.(Swahili Proverb)

War has no eyes.(Swahili Proverb)

Owning land is like fighting a war.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Peace won't settle where a woman rules.
(Sicilian Proverb)

He that eats while he lasts, will be the war while he die. (Scottish Proverb)

Of all War, Peace is the final end. (Scottish Proverb)

Shro the ghuest the house is the war of. (Scottish Proverb)

Weapons bodes peace. (Scottish Proverb)

An overbearing wife and a shouting husband will never be in peace. (Sicilian Proverb)

In war, hunting, and love you suffer a thousand pains for one pleasure. (Sicilian)

Life is a battle. (Romanian Proverb)

The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong. (Romanian Proverb)

You must ask your neighbor if you shall live in peace. (Romanian Proverb)

A bad peace is better than a good quarrel. (Russian Proverb)

Do not praise yourself when going of to battle going into battle; praise yourself coming out of battle. (Russian Proverb)

Eternal peace lasts until the next war.

(Russian Proverb)

For some people war is war, for others - dear mother.

(Russian Proverb)

Peace and harmony is great treasure.

(Russian Proverb)

If we let people see that kind of thing, there would never again be any war.

(Polish)

During war, weapons aren't cleaned.

(Portuguese Proverb)

He who is well prepared has half won the battle.

(Portuguese Proverb)

The person who is well prepared has already won half of the battle.

(Portuguese Proverb)

He that would live in peace and rest, must hear, and see, and say the best.

(Romanian)

It is no longer good enough to Cry peace, We must Act peace, Live peace and Live In Peace.

(Native American Shenandoah Proverb)

Love yourself; get outside yourself and take action. focus on the solution; be at peace.

(Native American Sioux Proverb)

If you want to live in peace, you must not tell everything that you know, nor judge everything that you see. (Mexican Proverb)

Respect for the rights of others is peace. (Mexican Proverb)

You must not tell all that you know, nor judge all that you see, if you would live in peace. (Mexican Proverb)

When you lose the rhythm of the drumbeat of god, you are lost from the peace and rhythm of life. (Native American Cheyenne Proverb)

There can never be peace between nations until it is first known that true peace is within the souls of men. (Native American Lakota Proverb)

It is no longer good enough to cry peace. We must act peace, live peace and live in peace. (Native American Plains Proverb)

God speaks for the man who holds his peace. (Mexican Proverb)

A Klingon does not run away from his battles. (Klingon Proverb)

In war, there is nothing more honorable than victory. (Klingon Proverb)

Destroying an Empire to win a war is no victory. And ending a battle to save an Empire is no defeat.(Klingon Proverb)

Every once in a while, declare peace. It confuses the hell out of your enemies.
(Klingon Proverb)

If the warrior's spirit has not escaped, the battle is still going on.(Klingon Proverb)

Negotiation may cost far less than war, or infinitely more: for war cannot cost more than one's life.(Klingon Proverb)

Only an enemy without honor refuses to show himself in battle.(Klingon Proverb)

Peace is good for business.(Klingon Proverb)

War is good for business.(Klingon Proverb)

When a warrior goes to a battle, he does not abandon his friends.(Klingon Proverb)

Tomorrow's battle is won during today's practice.(Japanese Proverb)

One minute of patience can result in ten years of peace.(Italian Proverb)

A true friend, is one that will take a bullet for you in the war.(Italian Proverb)

No war is more bitter than the war of friends, but it does not last long.(Irish Proverb)

To a man prepared for war, peace is assured.
(Irish Proverb)

A man who rushes into battle does not realize that battle entails death.(Igbo Proverb)

A harvest of peace grows from seeds of contentment.(Indian Proverb)

Fighting a losing battle.(Indonesian Proverb)

Leave others in peace, care for yourself.
(Hungarian Proverb)

When a warrior goes to a battle, he does not abandon his friends.(Klingon Proverb)

Tomorrow's battle is won during today's practice.(Japanese Proverb)

One minute of patience can result in ten years of peace.(Italian Proverb)

A true friend, is one that will take a bullet for you in the war.(Italian Proverb)

No war is more bitter than the war of friends,
but it does not last long.(Irish Proverb)

To a man prepared for war, peace is assured.
(Irish Proverb)

A man who rushes into battle does not realize
that battle entails death.(Igbo Proverb)

A harvest of peace grows from seeds of
contentment.(Indian Proverb)

Fighting a losing battle.(Indonesian Proverb)

Leave others in peace, care for yourself.
(Hungarian Proverb)

The world is sustained by three things: justice,
truth and peace.(Hebrew Proverb)

War does not determine who is right, only who
is remaining.(Finnish Proverb)

One minute of patience can mean ten years of
peace.(Greek Proverb)

Better to eat beans in peace than to eat meat
in distress.(Guatemalan Proverb)

Neither money nor the devil can remain in
peace.(Gypsy Proverb)

Sex is like war, both are exciting but neither informative. (English Proverb)

Where there is peace, god is. (English Proverb)

It takes two blows to make a battle.
(English Proverb)

Make love like war. (English Proverb)

If you want peace, prepare for war.
(English Proverb)

He that makes a good war, makes a good peace. (English Proverb)

If you are a leader of peace, listen to the discourse of the petitioner. Be not abrupt with him; that would trouble him.
(Egyptian Proverb)

All weapons of war cannot arm fear.
(English Proverb)

In war, lies are as abundant as dirt.
(Corsican Proverb)

After a battle, everyone is a general.
(Czech Proverb)

God is our general in time of war. (Bosnian)

Don't use up your arrows before you go to battle. (Burmese Proverb)

Using up the arrows, before getting into battle. (Burmese Proverb)

A drop of sweat spent in a drill is a drop of blood saved in a battle. (Chinese Proverb)

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Solitude is enjoyed only when one is at peace with oneself. (Chinese Proverb)

The first blow is half the battle. (Chinese)

The merciful do not engage in war, and the righteous do not engage in finances. (Chinese Proverb)

The more you sweat in Peacetime, The less you bleed during War. (Chinese Proverb)

War is Death's feast. (Chinese Proverb)

You will never lose a battle if you know your own situation as well as that of the enemy.

(Chinese Proverb)

Even a fool, when he holds his peace, is counted wise.

(Biblical Proverb)

Peace wins over wealth.

(Albanian Proverb)

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A lion on me and an ostrich in war.

(Arabic Proverb)

Never get in a battle of wits without ammunition.

(Albanian Proverb)

It is better to keep peace than to make peace.

(Albanian Proverb)

You cannot exchange peace for war.

(African Proverb)

Wars are created by people too old to fight for those too young to die.

(African Proverb)

War is a bad chisel with which to curve out tomorrow.

(African Proverb)

Truth is the first victim of war.

(African Proverb)

If you do not have sandals, find some, if you do not have gun powder, find some for a score to settle with you on the battle grounds.

(Akan Proverb)

He who runs after good fortune runs away from peace.(African Proverb)

A good beginning is a halfway a battle won.

(African Proverb)

If you're not at the war front it's easy to assume we didn't put up a good fight.

(African Proverb)

Gossiping about the enemy can result in a war.(African Proverb)

Removing a piece of yam from the pot of yam doesn't stop the rest from cooking.

(African Proverb)

A regular fighter who discords peace is bound to be fought by his own anger.

(African Proverb)

Man's greatest battles are the ones he fights within himself.(African Proverb)

A man with too much ambition cannot sleep in peace.(African Proverb)

A man who never recognizes his mistakes will never know peace. (African Proverb)

Life without battle is life without victory. (African Proverb)

A man who is putting on his armor for war should not boast like a man who's taking it off. (African Proverb)

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The world will not find rest by just saying "The world will not find rest by just saying "peace." (Afghan Proverb)

A harvest of peace is produced from a seed of contentment. (American Proverb)

Peace is costly but it is worth the expense. (African Proverb)

It is easier to wage war with wise enemies than be at peace with foolish friends. (Afghan Proverb)

A woman's clothes are the price her husband pays for peace. (Bantu Proverb)

War is a disaster for winner and loser alike. (Arab Proverb)

The tree of silence bears the fruits of peace.
(Arab Proverb)

The most useful holy war is the one fought
against your own passions.(Arab Proverb)

When the white man wins, it is a battle.
(American Proverb)

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Let him who does not know what war is go to
war.(Chinese Proverb)

He who is sure of his victory will not start a
war.(Chinese Proverb)

Better one cow in peace than seven in trouble.
(Danish Proverb)

Better a little in peace and with right, than
much with anxiety and strife.(Danish Proverb)

The sword keeps the peace of the land.
(Danish Proverb)

Peace must be bought even at a high price.
(Danish Proverb)

Peace feeds, war wastes; peace breeds, war
consumes.(Danish Proverb)

Peace and a well-built house cannot be bought too dearly. (Danish Proverb)

Where money and counsel are wanting, it is best not to make war. (Danish Proverb)

At the wars as they do at the wars.
(French Proverb)

A cake eaten in peace, is worth two in trouble.
(French Proverb)

When Greek meets Greek, then comes the tug of war. (French Proverb)

War is much too serious a matter to be entrusted to the military. (French Proverb)

It is madness for a sheep to talk of peace with a wolf. (French Proverb)

Hear, see, and say nothing if you would live in peace. (French Proverb)

If you want peace, you must prepare for war.
(German Proverb)

Hussars pray for war, and the doctor for fever.
(German Proverb)

He who would prosper in peace, must suffer in silence. (German Proverb)

Better an unjust peace than a just war.
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(German Proverb)

Of war all can tattle, away from the battle.
(German Proverb)

War is pleasant to those who have not tried it.
(German Proverb)

One minute of patience, ten years of peace
(Greek Proverb)

War is to a man what bed is to a woman.
(Indian Proverb)

He who sweats more in peace, bleeds less in war.
(Italian Proverb)

Go early to market and as late as you can to battle.
(Italian Proverb)

The fear of war is worse than war itself.
(Italian Proverb)

Many return from the war who cannot give an account of the battle.
(Italian Proverb)

In the war of love who flies conquers.
(Italian)

If one soldier knew what the other thinks,
there would be no war. (Jewish Proverb)

A bad peace is better than a good war.
(Jewish Proverb)

Thirty-six plans of how to win the battle are
not so good as one plan to withdraw from the
fight. (Japanese Proverb)

The world exists on three things: truth,
justice, and peace. (Jewish Proverb)

Lions in time of peace; deer in war.
(Latin Proverb)

It is not allowed in war to blunder twice.
(Latin Proverb)

In times of peace we should think of war.
(Latin Proverb)

If you desire peace, be ever prepared for war.
(Latin Proverb)

When the war is over then comes help.
(Latin Proverb)

When the battle is over you make your
appearance. (Latin Proverb)

War gives no opportunity for repeating a mistake. (Latin Proverb)

War appears pleasant to those who have never experienced it. (Latin Proverb)

To win a war quickly takes long preparation. (Latin Proverb)

The position in which we were before the war. (Latin Proverb)

In peace be faithful; in war be valiant. (New Zealander Proverb)

A warrior dies in battle; a mountain climber on the rocks, but a farmer dies of old age. (New Zealander Proverb)

Where there are weapons, there will be wars. (Mexican Proverb)

One may teach another to speak, but none can teach another to hold his peace. (Polish Proverb)

An iron peace is better than a golden war. (Polish Proverb)

If a man would live in peace, he should be blind, deaf, and dumb. (Persian Proverb)

Money wins the battle, not the long arm.

(Portuguese Proverb)

In war, hunting, and love, for one pleasure a hundred pains. (Portuguese Proverb)

He who is well prepared has won the battle.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Better an egg in peace, than an ox in war.

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Better to eat bread in peace, then cake amid turmoil. (Slovak Proverb)

The war is lost for too much advice.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Peace is the well from which the stream of joy runs. (Scottish Proverb)

Peace lasts until the army comes, and the army lasts until peace comes. (Russian)

Eternal peace lasts only until the next war. (Russian Proverb)

He who has a handsome wife, a castle on the frontier, or a vineyard on the roadside, is never without war. (Spanish Proverb)

He who has a good looking wife, a castle on the river, or a vineyard on the roadside is never without war. (Spanish Proverb)

All are not soldiers who go to the wars. (Spanish Proverb)

A strong attack is half the battle won. (Spanish Proverb)

Love is like war: you begin when you like and leave off when you can. (Spanish Proverb)

It is courage that vanquishes in war, and not good weapons. (Spanish Proverb)

When fire and water are at war, it is the fire that loses. (Spanish Proverb)

War with all the world, and peace with England. (Spanish Proverb)

Tell not all you know, nor judge of all you see,
if you would live in peace. (Spanish Proverb)

Never advise a man to go to the wars, or to
marry. (Spanish Proverb)

When there is a war between fire and water,
fire loses. (Spanish Proverb)

A just war is better than an unjust peace
(Traditional Proverb)

Men will always lose the battle against cholera
and bureaucracy. (Tibetan Proverb)

For knowledge ... you should know that peace
is an indispensable condition of getting it.
(Traditional Proverb)

Do they prepare leather for a battle shield the
day they fight - Zar, Nigeria. (Traditional)

Better to be a dog in times of peace than a
human being in times of trouble
(Traditional Proverb)

Be willing to lose a battle in order to win the
war. (Traditional Proverb)

Battle doesn't need a purpose the battle is its
own purpose. (Traditional Proverb)

Peace lasts till the army comes, and the army lasts till peace comes. (Traditional Proverb)

Peace is the fruit of activity, not of sleep. (Traditional Proverb)

Peace begets prosperity Prosperity begets pride
Pride begets prejudice Prejudice begets war
War begets poverty. (Traditional Proverb)

In war, all suffer defeat, even the victors. (Traditional Proverb)

In pace, ut sapiens, aptarit idonea bello In
peace, like a wise man, he appropriately
prepares for war. (Traditional Proverb)

If you wish for peace, be ready for war. (Traditional Proverb)

Three can hold their peace, if two be away (Traditional Proverb)

The secret wall of a town is peace. (Traditional)

The arrogant army will lose the battle for sure (Traditional Proverb)

You are sitting in peace (unharmd) as the
nose of a cow that feeds among thorn trees and
shows no scars. Uganda, Uganda.
(Traditional Proverb)

To live in peace one must be blind, deaf, and mute. (Turkish Proverb)

Peace is worth buying. (Traditional Proverb)

To the fighting man peace is sure.
(Traditional Proverb)

Lose yourself in nature and find peace.
(Traditional Proverb)

Go in peace. (Traditional Proverb)

There is no other happiness but peace.
(Thai Proverb)

All is fair in love and war. (Spanish Proverb)

Peace and patience, and death with penitence.
(Spanish Proverb)

Many heroes appear after the war.
(Romanian Proverb)

Laws are silent in time of war.
(Russian Proverb)

Peace pays what war wins. (Serbian Proverb)

We won the war, but lost peace.
(Serbian Proverb)

Hypocrisy is the mother of peace.
(Moorish Proverb)

Peace be with you.(Latin Proverb)

Peace gains a value from discord.
(Latin Proverb)

Women's jars breed men's wars.
(Latin Proverb)

You war against heaven.(Latin Proverb)

Women's quarrels cause the men's wars.
(Japanese Proverb)

War begun, hell unchained.(Italian Proverb)

Who buys land buys war.(Italian Proverb)

Yielding stays war.(German Proverb)

After the war, aid.(Greek Proverb)

Ignorance is the peace of life.(Indian Proverb)

A dead man does not make war.(Italian)

Arms carry peace.(Italian Proverb)

He who has land has war.(Italian Proverb)

War makes robbers, and peace hangs them.
(French Proverb)

Whoso hath land hath war.(French Proverb)

A bold onset is half the battle.(German)

Away from the battle all are soldiers.
(German Proverb)

Councils of war never fight.(German Proverb)

Better keep peace than make peace.
(Dutch Proverb)

Money is the sinew of war.(Dutch Proverb)

Peace makes plenty.(English Proverb)

Where there is love, there is peace.
(Burmese Proverb)

War ends nothing.(Congolese Proverb)

Without war there can be no peace.
(Congolese Proverb)

Wars are caused by women and priests.
(Czech Proverb)

Nobody wages war with ghosts.(African)

Make love, not war. (American Proverb)

Peace is only possible after war.
(Arab Proverb)

WATER:

When you try to stay on the surface of the water, you sink; but when you try to sink, you float. (Zen Proverb)

Every course of water has its source. (Zulu)

Be not water, taking the tint of all colors.
(Syrian Proverb)

He who has his hand in the water is not like him who has his hand in the fire.
(Syrian Proverb)

Water only flows into rivers. (Tahitian Proverb)

Mold water into a shape. (Thai Proverb)

Having drunk the country's water, one should obey the country's laws. (Tibetan Proverb)

When drinking water, think about the source.
(Tibetan Proverb)

The fish, seeing the water has dried up,
struggles mightily in the mud.(Togolese)

One must fill the pitcher while the water is
flowing.(Turkish Proverb)

If a person is fated to drown, he'll lose his life
even in a teaspoon of water.(Yiddish Proverb)

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If the palm wine tapper is praised, he dilutes
the palm-wine with water.(Swahili Proverb)

If water is split, it cannot be gathered up.
(Swahili Proverb)

To a seamen of Kwale, death by water is common experience. (Swahili Proverb)

A handfull of water cannot be grasped.
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Water in a coconut shell is like an ocean to an ant. (Swahili Proverb)

Every man wisheth the water to his own milne. (Scottish Proverb)

Foul water slokens fire. (Scottish Proverb)

Send him to the sea and he will not get water.
(Scottish Proverb)

A granita doesn't cost much; still it's just water, wine is better.(Sicilian Proverb)

If you prune in April you'll fill your barrels not with wine, but with water.(Sicilian Proverb)

In Polizzi you'll find water, fog, kites, priests with children, commissions and delegates.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Ring the bells for whoever eats snails and drinks water, because he's dead.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Sister Nicola said: Don't put the pasta basket in the water until it's boiling.(Sicilian Proverb)

Do not spit into a well. It may be useful to drink water.(Russian Proverb)

Like two drops of water.(Russian Proverb)

One would like to eat fish, but would not like to get into the water.(Russian Proverb)

All overs are ill but over the water.
(Scottish Proverb)

Ane may lead a Horse to the water, but four and twenty cannot gar him drink.

(Scottish Proverb)

No safe wading in an unknown water.

(Romanian Proverb)

The devil loves no holy water.

(Romanian Proverb)

Water afar off quenches not fire.

(Romanian Proverb)

Water flows, rocks remain.

(Romanian Proverb)

When the house is burned down, you bring water.

(Romanian Proverb)

Where there are reeds, there is water.

(Romanian Proverb)

Beware of a quiet dog and still water.

(Russian Proverb)

A cat that has been scalded is afraid of cold water.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Frost on the mutt, water on the bed.

(Portuguese Proverb)

In April, tons of water.(Portuguese Proverb)

Water by Saint John's takes oil and doesn't give bread.(Portuguese Proverb)

Do not fear a stain that disappears with water.
(Puerto Rican Proverb)

Cast no dirt into the well that hath given you water.(Romanian Proverb)

Come with the wind, go with the water.
(Romanian Proverb)

Goslings lead the geese to water.
(Romanian Proverb)

A clay pot of water is never hot-tempered.
(Nigerian Proverb)

When the water goes uphill, the frog sings
AbuAta.(Persian Proverb)

A pad that breaks a pot of water does not remain on the head.(Nigerian Proverb)

A friend is like a water source for a long journey.(Nilotic Proverb)

Live near water, and ask not about sustenance.(Omani Proverb)

He doesn't see water, otherwise he is a skilled swimmer. (Persian Proverb)

he makes the water muddy to fish.
(Persian Proverb)

The water doesn't move. (Persian Proverb)

Water does not trickle out of his hand.
(Persian Proverb)

The frog does not tire in the water.
(Ngandi Proverb)

Water has leaked under her/his skin.
(Persian Proverb)

Some birds avoid the water, ducks seek it.
(Nigerian Proverb)

Water is muddy at the fountainhead.
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If the river sounds, it's because it has water.
(Mexican Proverb)

Where the river makes a sound, you can be sure it's carrying water. (Mexican Proverb)

Three things cause sorrow to flee; water, green trees, and a beautiful face. (Moroccan Proverb)

Take the drowning child from the water before scolding it. (Native American Grebo Proverb)

Listening to a liar is like drinking warm water.
(Native American Plains Proverb)

Don't think there are no sharks because the water is calm. (Malagasy Proverb)

People are like eels in the water, they wander this way and that. (Malagasy Proverb)

She is as undecided as an orphan: if she does not wash her hands, she will be told that she is a dirty child; if she washes her hands she will be told that she is wasting water.

(Malagasy Proverb)

They who drink the water from the Manangareza river always come back to Madagascar. (Malagasy Proverb)

Without the forest, there will be no more water, without water, there will be no more rice. (Malagasy Proverb)

Don't think there are no crocodiles just because the water's calm. (Malawian Proverb)

Do not be tricked into thinking that there are no crocodiles just because the water is still. (Malay Proverb)

Do not think that placid water is without crocodiles. (Malay Proverb)

When the water rises, the fish eat the ants; when the water falls, the ants eat the fish. (Laotian Proverb)

Like a fish out of water. (Latin Proverb)

Hunger pushes the hippopotamus out of the water. (Luo Proverb)

Drinking fake ale is better than drinking water. (Klingon Proverb)

Those who get to the river early drink the cleanest water. (Kenyan Proverb)

Although dying of thirst, i drink not the water of a stolen fountain. (Japanese Proverb)

Let the past drift away with the water. (Japanese Proverb)

The flow of water and the future of human beings are uncertain. (Japanese Proverb)

The friendship of water and fish. (Japanese)

The intimacy of water and fish. (Japanese Proverb)

Trash accumulates in stagnant water. (Japanese Proverb)

Dem give yu basket fi carry water. (Jamaican Proverb)

Frog never gargle him troat till him tas'e fresh water. (Jamaican Proverb)

You never miss the water till the well has run dry. (Irish Proverb)

He who only drinks water does not get drunk.
(Irish Proverb)

Only those who were born to hang are not
afraid of the water.(Irish Proverb)

When the river sounds, it's because it carries
water.(Irish Proverb)

A slave boy is blamed no matter what he does:
If he does not wash his hands, he is accused
of being dirty. If he washes his hands, he is
accused of wasting water.(Igbo Proverb)

He has stirred up, or threw a stone into, still
water.(Hungarian Proverb)

He that is afraid of water, will not get into the
boat.(Hungarian Proverb)

He that is afraid of water, will not get into the
boat.(Hungarian Proverb)

He was thrown into deep water.
(Hungarian Proverb)

He would drown him in a spoonful of water.
(Hungarian Proverb)

I am king, you a king: who is to fetch the
water?(Hindi Proverb)

A poor man cooks with water. (Hungarian)

Blood will not turn water. (Hungarian Proverb)

Come hell or high water. (Hungarian Proverb)

Give a Hungarian a glass of water and a Gypsy fiddler and he will become completely drunk. (Hungarian Proverb)

He could not earn enough to buy even cold water. (Hungarian Proverb)

He drives the water to the mill of somebody. (Hungarian Proverb)

From the ditch to the water jump. (Finnish)

Water is the oldest medicine. (Finnish Proverb)

Water runs a whole mile downstream easier than an inch upstream. (Finnish Proverb)

A scalded cat fears cold water. (French)

He carries fire and water. (French Proverb)

It is strange! The ox eats hay and the dog eats bread, while the donkey carries wine but drinks water. (Galla Proverb)

No matter how long a log may float in the water, it will never become a crocodile.

(Gambian Proverb)

In wine there is wisdom. In beer there is strength. In water there is bacteria.

(German Proverb)

Little drops of water, little grains of sand, make the mighty ocean and the pleasant land.

(German Proverb)

If two selfish young men sit next to a pot of water, the water spills out on the ground.

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We never know the worth of water until the well is dry.

(English Proverb)

Wipe wi' the water and wash wi' the towel.

(English Proverb)

You can't free a fish from water.

(English Proverb)

Who handles water is bound to get wet.

(Estonian Proverb)

Who has burnt himself with soup will blow on water as well. (Estonian Proverb)

Who leaves the boat on water is miserable.

(Estonian Proverb)

It is foolish for someone to remain thirsty when he is in the midst of water.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

The son of the Nile thirsts for water.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

You think of water when the well is empty.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Swimming is easy if someone holds your head above water. (Faroese Proverb)

Dip the pitcher into the water enough and it finally breaks. (El Salvadoran Proverb)

A straight stick looks crooked in the water.

(English Proverb)

When the water level decreases, the ice will crack. (Dutch Proverb)

Where the dike is lowest the water first runs over. (Dutch Proverb)

Every century, water finds its riverbed. (Corsican Proverb)

Water ends up in the sea. (Corsican Proverb)

Water erodes slopes. (Corsican Proverb)

Feeling it from his water. (Dutch Proverb)

storm in a glass of water. (Dutch Proverb)

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Water in August: Oil and ferment. (Corsican)

Water in July is good for nothing. (Corsican Proverb)

Water makes mud, wine cleans the blood. (Corsican Proverb)

Only in water can you learn to swim. (Czech Proverb)

Friendship between gentlemen appears indifferent but is pure like water.

(Chinese Proverb)

Water spilled can never be retrieved.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you are going to drown, do not try it in shallow water.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

Water thrown out is hard to put back into the container.

(Chinese Proverb)

Water washes up everything but shame.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

We know the worth of water when the well is dry.

(Chinese Proverb)

You can take a horse to water, but you cannot make him drink.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

Words are mere bubbles of water, but deeds are drops of gold.

(Chinese Proverb)

Collect the water while it rains.

(Burmese Proverb)

A mare who has had a foal will never again drink pure water.

(Corsican Proverb)

Water can wear away even the hardest rock.
(Burmese Proverb)

A dragon will be teased by a shrimp in a shoal water; a tiger will be bullied by a dog on a treeless plain.(Chinese Proverb)

Dripping water can eat through a stone.
(Chinese Proverb)

Fish cannot survive in absolutely clear water.
(Chinese Proverb)

Fish for the moon in the water.(Chinese)

Fish in muddled water.(Chinese Proverb)

Friendship between gentlemen appears indifferent but is pure like water.(Chinese)

If the well is distant, its water does not quench the thirst of the pilgrim.(Chinese Proverb)

It is better to start weaving your fishing nets than merely coveting fish at the water.
(Chinese Proverb)

The melon seller does not announce, The melon seller does not announce, "Bitter melons." Distant water does not put out a nearby fire.(Chinese Proverb)

If a man gives you a basket to carry water, it means that he hates you.(Belizean Proverb)

When asked, When asked, "What news from the sea?" The fish replied "I have a lot to say, but my mouth is full of water."
(Armenian Proverb)

Water does run, but blood does clod.(Bajan)

There is no hiding place on the water surface.
(Balari Proverb)

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O! my sister that depend on men; you are believing in water in a sieve.(Arabic Proverb)

Money finds money, water finds the puddle.
(Arabic Proverb)

Like a fish in water.(Arabic Proverb)

If the water is available you need not clean up with sand.(Arabic Proverb)

He fishes in unclear water.(Arabic Proverb)

You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make it drink.(Albanian Proverb)

When the water's high, the boat's high.

(Albanian Proverb)

The passions are like fire and water: good servants but bad masters.(Albanian Proverb)

Many drops of water make an ocean.

(Albanian Proverb)

If you do not know how to fish, do not stir up the water.(Albanian Proverb)

Advice, like water, takes the form of the vessel which it is poured into.(Albanian Proverb)

Don't throw dirt into the well that gives you water.(Albanian Proverb)

You can take a goat to the river, but you can't make it drink the water.(African Proverb)

When the bells are in water they can't make any sound.(African Proverb)

When all the water has gone, only the largest stones will remain on the riverbed.

(African Proverb)

Water that has been begged for does not quench the thirst.(African Proverb)

Water from another man's calabash tests differently. (African Proverb)

You don't punish a fish by throwing it in water. (African Proverb)

You can take a goat to the river, but you can't make it drink the water. (African Proverb)

There is no way you can pour water into a basket and expect the water to remain. (African Proverb)

The toad that wanted to avoid the rain fell in the water. (African Proverb)

Until a crab finds itself in a very hot pot of soup, it will never understand that water can be both cold and hot. (African Proverb)

Those who arrive to the spring first, drink the purest water. (African Proverb)

Indecision is like a stepchild: if he does not wash his hands, he is called dirty, if he does, he is wasting water. (African Proverb)

A fish will not live out of water but will prefer air to hot water. (African Proverb)

Running water can never jump over a hole in the ground. (African Proverb)

Even boiled water can extinguish a fire.
(African Proverb)

Do not run away from a pond of water.
(African Proverb)

A village without the elderly is like a well
without water. (African Proverb)

Do not insult a crocodile while your feet are
still in the water. (African Proverb)

Being a swimmer and spending time in the
water does not make you a fish.
(African Proverb)

A gentle politician doesn't promise to build
bridges where there is no water.
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In the absence of water lizards can claim to be
crocodiles. (African Proverb)

Being a swimmer and spending time in the water does not make you a fish.(African)

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(African Proverb)

Without investigating the water, don't take off your shoes.(Afghan Proverb)

The pot of water falls from your head when you have just reached the door of your homestead.(Acholi Proverb)

Where water is the boss, there must the land obey.(African Proverb)

The water can only flow thanks to the well.
(African Proverb)

Return to old watering holes for more than water; friends and dreams are there to meet you.(African Proverb)

Only a fool tests the depth of the water with both feet.(African Proverb)

Heaven is dark and yet out of it streams clear water.(Afghan Proverb)

A little water is a sea to an ant.(Afghan)

Do not bathe if there is no water.(Burmese)

A child without a mother is like a fish in shallow water.(Burmese Proverb)

If you wish to drown, do not torture yourself with shallow water.(Bulgarian Proverb)

If you want to drown yourself, don't torture yourself with shallow water.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

When the ass was invited to the wedding feast he said, "They need more wood and water."
(Bosnian Proverb)

Boil the water and the scum will rise to the top.(Berber Proverb)

Don't throw out the baby with the bath water.
(American Proverb)

The power of the crocodile is in the water.
(Bantu Proverb)

When asked, "What news from the sea?" The fish replied "I have a lot to say, but my mouth is full of water."(Armenian Proverb)

To ask a favor from a miser is like trying to make a hole in water.(Armenian Proverb)

A mule can swim seven different strokes but the moment he sees the water he forgets them all. (Armenian Proverb)

An unjust king is like a river without water. (Arab Proverb)

Don't stand by the water and long for fish; go home and weave a net. (Chinese Proverb)

For people who love even water is sweet. (Chinese Proverb)

Enough shovels of earth make a mountain, enough pails of water a river. (Chinese Proverb)

The heart of the wise man lies quiet like limpid water. (Cameroonian Proverb)

The remedy for dirt is soap and water. The remedy for dying is living. (Chinese Proverb)

The greatest virtue is like water; good for everything. (Chinese Proverb)

One cannot manage too many affairs; like pumpkins in water, one pops up while you try to hold down the other. (Chinese Proverb)

Ill gotten gains are like snow that is sprinkled with hot water. (Chinese Proverb)

How can you put out a fire set on a cart-load of firewood with only a cup of water.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who sees heaven in the water sees the fishes in the trees.(Chinese Proverb)

There are people that fish and those who just disturb the water.(Chinese Proverb)

When men are friendly the water is sweet.
(Chinese Proverb)

Well water is not an enemy of spring water.
(Chinese Proverb)

Weaving a net is better than praying for fish at the edge of the water.(Chinese Proverb)

Water that has reached its level does not flow.
(Chinese Proverb)

Water from far away is no good for a fire close by.(Chinese Proverb)

Water does not stick to the mountain, and vengeance does not stick to a big heart.
(Chinese Proverb)

Water can do without fishes, fishes cannot do without water.(Chinese Proverb)

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Water and words are easy to pour but impossible to recover. (Chinese Proverb)

Unjustly obtained wealth is as snow sprinkled with hot water. (Chinese Proverb)

Whenever the water rises, the boat will rise too. (Chinese Proverb)

When you drink water, remember where the mountain spring is. (Chinese Proverb)

When you drink the water, remember the spring. (Chinese Proverb)

When the waterfalls the stone becomes visible. (Chinese Proverb)

When the deal is done, discuss it no more; it is difficult to collect dispersed water. (Chinese Proverb)

Why jump in the water before the ship turns over. (Chinese Proverb)

He knows the water best who has waded through it. (Danish Proverb)

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Don't throw away dirty water before you have more clean water. (Danish Proverb)

Extol the virtue of water, but drink wine. (Czech Proverb)

You can make a mule cross the river but you can't make him drink the water.

Everyone tries to make the water flow to his mill. (Corsican Proverb)

Wood may remain ten years in the water, but it will never become a crocodile. (Congolese Proverb)

No matter how hard you throw a dead fish in the water, it still won't swim. (Congolese Proverb)

Prepare yourself for when the water comes up to your knees. (Congolese Proverb)

Don't buy a boat that is under water. (Congolese Proverb)

It is hard to sail without wind, and to grind without water. (Danish Proverb)

It is too late to learn to swim when the water is up to your lips. (Danish Proverb)

It is hard to sail without wind, and to grind without water. (Danish Proverb)

He who was born to be hanged will not be drowned, unless the water go over the gallows. (Danish Proverb)

The heron blames the water because he cannot swim. (Danish Proverb)

Onions, smoke, and a shrew, make a good man's eyes water. (Danish Proverb)

It is a bad well that you have to fill with water. (Dutch Proverb)

Can a mill go with the water that's past? (Darkovan Proverb)

Water can float a boat or sink it. (Darkovan Proverb)

You may take a horse to the water, but you can't make him drink. (Danish Proverb)

You may force an ox to the water, but you cannot make him drink. (Danish Proverb)

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Where the dike is lowest the water first runs out. (Dutch Proverb)

Fish must swim three times: once in the water, a second time in the sauce, and a third time in wine in the stomach.
(French Proverb)

Every one draws the water to his own mill.
(French Proverb)

Every miller draws the water to his own mill.
(French Proverb)

The water is the same on both sides of the boat. (Finnish Proverb)

The fly on the back of a water buffalo thinks that it's taller than the buffalo. (Filipino)

The fool is thirsty in the midst of water.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink. (English Proverb)

Never say, Fountain, I will not drink of thy water. (French Proverb)

It is in vain to lean the ox to the water if he is not thirsty.(French Proverb)

He carries fire in one hand, water in the other.
(French Proverb)

When the dog is drowning every one brings him water.(French Proverb)

We never know the worth of water till the well is dry.(French Proverb)

There is no worse water than still water.
(French Proverb)

The word of a woman is as a little feather on the water.(French Proverb)

The mountaineer's ass carries wine and drinks water.(French Proverb)

The cart ruins the road, the woman the man, the water the wine.(French Proverb)

Spit not in the well, you may have to drink its water.(French Proverb)

Friendship is a plant we must often water.
(German Proverb)

It is a bad well into which one must put water.
(German Proverb)

If I am to be drowned, it shall be in clean water. (German Proverb)

Friendship is a plant we must often water. (German Proverb)

Fir and water are good servants, but bad masters. (German Proverb)

A monk in his cloister, a fish in the water, a thief in the gallows. (German Proverb)

A fish should swim thrice: in water, in sauce, and in wine. (German Proverb)

When you put your nose into the water your cheeks get wet as well. (Georgian Proverb)

I have a lot to say, said the fish, but my mouth is full of water. (Georgian Proverb)

You do not fatten pigs with pure water. (French Proverb)

When the words are said, the holy water is made. (French Proverb)

Water quenches the thirst but does not teach you how to sing. (German Proverb)

Water is the strongest drink; it drives mills. (German Proverb)

The surface of the water is beautiful, but it is no good to sleep on. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Where water has been, water will come again. (German Proverb)

All the water in the sea doesn't even reach the knees of the man who fears not death. (Indian Proverb)

A coconut shell full of water is a sea to an ant. (Indian Proverb)

He who wants to go fishing must not be afraid of the water. (Hungarian Proverb)

The toad likes water, but not when it's boiling. (Guinean Proverb)

No matter how often a pitcher goes to the water it is broken in the end. (Irish Proverb)

If you go into a goat stable, bleat; if you go into a water buffalo stable, bellow. (Indonesian Proverb)

Don't bargain for fish which are still in the water. (Indian Proverb)

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If you go into a goat stable, bleat; if you go into a water buffalo stable, bellow. (Indonesian)

If you enter a goat stable, bleat; if you enter a water buffalo stable, bellow.
(Indonesian Proverb)

Calm water does not mean there are no crocodiles. (Indonesian Proverb)

There are three things that refresh the heart and reduce your grief water, flowers, and a beautiful woman. (Indian Proverb)

The word of a woman is a bundle of water.
(Indian Proverb)

One person can burn water, while another can't even burn oil. (Indian Proverb)

One man can burn water, whereas another cannot even burn oil. (Indian Proverb)

He would drown in a spoonful of water.
(Italian Proverb)

He who would have clear water should go to the fountain head. (Italian Proverb)

From snow whether cooked or pounded you will get nothing but water. (Italian Proverb)

Don't cross the water unless you see the bottom. (Italian Proverb)

Water, smoke, and a vicious woman, drive men out of the house. (Italian Proverb)

Water after does not quench a fire at hand. (Italian Proverb)

Three things drive a man out of doors: smoke, dropping water, and a shrew. (Italian Proverb)

There is no use in saying, I will not go such a way, nor drink of such a water. (Italian Proverb)

The scalded dog fears hot water, and afterwards, cold. (Italian Proverb)

The river does not swell with clear water. (Italian Proverb)

The donkey won't drink if he can't see water. (Italian Proverb)

There is no use in saying, I will not go such a way, nor drink of such a water. (Italian Proverb)

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If you're fated to drown, you may die in a teaspoon of water. **(Jewish Proverb)**

If a man is destined to drown, he will drown even in a spoonful of water. **(Jewish Proverb)**

He who runs away from the fire, falls in the water. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Don't throw away the old bucket until you know whether the new one holds water. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Beware of still water, a still dog, and a still enemy. **(Jewish Proverb)**

Water will always take the form of the vase it fills. **(Japanese Proverb)**

If you are in a boat you are more afraid of fire than you are of water. **(Japanese Proverb)**

Forgiving the unrepentant is like drawing pictures on water. **(Japanese Proverb)**

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Cast no dirt into the well that gives you water.
(Korean Proverb)

Two burdens: to Moses water, to God the world.(Jewish Proverb)

The well that is most often used gives the purest water.(Jewish Proverb)

Have a care of a silent dog and a still water.
(Latin Proverb)

Fire, water, and government know nothing of mercy.(Latin Proverb)

Be on your guard against a silent dog and still water.(Latin Proverb)

He even begrudges the water with which he washes.(Latin Proverb)

He is separated from the water by a plank.
(Latin Proverb)

A woman who likes to wash will find water.
(Luxembourgan Proverb)

The mill cannot grind with the water that is past.(Latin Proverb)

Don't think there are no crocodiles because the water is calm.(Malay Proverb)

Just as a bamboo cane forms a round jet of water, so taking counsel together makes men of one mind. (Malawian Proverb)

Crime leaves a trail like a water beetle; like a snail, it leaves its silver track; like a horse-mango, it leaves its smell. (Malawian Proverb)

Indecision is like the stepchild: if he doesn't wash his hands, he is called dirty; if he does, he is wasting the water. (Malagasy Proverb)

Done in by his own trade like a water merchant in the rain. (Malagasy Proverb)

The stone in the water does not know how hot the hill is, parched by the sun. (Nigerian Proverb)

The crocodile does not die under the water so that we can call the monkey to celebrate its funeral. (Nigerian Proverb)

Some birds avoid the water, ducks look for it. (Nigerian Proverb)

It is only the water that is spilled; the bowl is not broken! (Mauritanian Proverb)

Smack a tray of water and you get to wash your face. (Malay Proverb)

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Water teaches us to weep, wine teaches us to sing. (Polish Proverb)

Tasty fish have to swim three times: once in the water, then in butter, and finally in wine. (Polish Proverb)

Fish, to taste right, must swim 3 times -- in water, in butter and in wine. (Polish Proverb)

Fish, to taste good, must swim three times: in water, in butter, and in wine. (Polish Proverb)

Whoever can walk on water is probably made of straw. (Persian Proverb)

One good word puts out the flames better than a bucket of water. (Portuguese Proverb)

If you want clear water, draw it from the spring. (Portuguese Proverb)

A good word quenches more than a cauldron of water. (Portuguese Proverb)

Water teaches us to weep, wine teaches us to sing. (Polish Proverb)

A lobster loves water, but not when he's being cooked in it. (Senegalese Proverb)

We'll never know the worth of water till the well go dry. (Scottish Proverb)

You can take a horse to water, but you can't make him drink. (Rwandan Proverb)

Who falls in the water will hold on to the foam to save himself. (Russian Proverb)

Water does not run under a lying stone. (Russian Proverb)

The dog learns to swim when the water reaches his ears. (Russian Proverb)

A blind man's stroke, which raises a dust from beneath water. (Spanish Proverb)

He! He! He! You begin with the meal before the water is boiling! (South African Proverb)

In the ocean, one does not need to sow water. (Somali Proverb)

The frog likes water, but not boiling water.
(Senegalese Proverb)

Spilled water is better than a broken jar.
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If you want to thrash your wife, ask her for a drink of water in the sun. (Spanish Proverb)

From snow, whether baked or boiled, you will get nothing but water. (Spanish Proverb)

Don't be afraid of a spot that can be removed with water. (Spanish Proverb)

When fire and water are at war, it is the fire that loses. (Spanish Proverb)

If your enemy is up to his waist in water, give him your hand; if the water reaches his shoulders, stand on his head.

(Spanish Proverb)

The first drink with water, the second without water, the third like water. (Spanish Proverb)

On dry land even brackish water is good.

(Spanish Proverb)

Water in the mouth before eating; water in the eyes when the bill comes. (Tibetan Proverb)

The rubbish we speak is like froth on the water, actions are drops of gold.

(Tibetan Proverb)

To a man wine is like water is to the boat; it can carry him or guzzle him up.

(Thai Proverb)

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(Tibetan Proverb)

To a man wine is like water is to the boat; it can carry him or guzzle him up. (Thai)

The heart of a woman is as capricious as a drop of water on a lotus leaf. (Thai)

A young crocodile does not cry when he falls in the water. (Sudanese Proverb)

Who is to carry the cat to the water?
(Spanish Proverb)

When you eat new bread, don't drink water.
(Spanish Proverb)

When there is a war between fire and water,
fire loses. (Spanish Proverb)

Don't empty the water jar until the rain falls.
(Traditional Proverb)

Before enlightenment chop wood, carry water.
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(Traditional Proverb)

As much use as a yard of pump water.
(Traditional Proverb)

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As much use as a yard of pump water.
(Traditional Proverb)

Once you pour the water out of the bucket it's
hard to get it back in it. (Traditional Proverb)

No one can see their reflection in running water. It is only in still water that we can see.

(Traditional Proverb)

Mother, may I go out to swim
Yes, my darling daughter
Hang your clothes on a hickory limb
- But don't go near the water.

(Traditional Proverb)

Like swift water, an active mind never stagnates.

(Traditional Proverb)

Rivers do not drink their own water. Trees do not eat their own fruit. Clouds do not swallow their own rain. What great ones have is always for the benefit of others.

(Traditional Proverb)

Riches: A dream in the night. Fame: A gull floating on water.

(Traditional Proverb)

We do not know the value of water until we go dry.

(Traditional Proverb)

Water floats a ship. Water sinks a ship.

(Traditional Proverb)

The miracle is not to fly in the air or to walk on the water but to walk on the earth.

(Traditional Proverb)

The only difference between the cucumber and water is the moving of the teeth.

(Tunisian)

You feel like a fish out of water.

(Traditional Proverb)

You don't wash blood away with blood but with water. (Turkish Proverb)

The army is the poison and the people are the water in which the poison is mixed.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The word "enough" does not exist for water, fire, and women. (Ukrainian Proverb)

What runs but never gets tired Water.

(Traditional Proverb)

You are in hot water. (Traditional Proverb)

Chop wood, carry water. (Zen Proverb)

The horse that arrives early gets good drinking water. (Zulu Proverb)

Three remedies of the physicians of Myddfai: water, honey, and labour. (Welsh Proverb)

What runs but never gets tired Water.

(Traditional Proverb)

Plain as water. (Traditional Proverb)

Rare as walking on water. (Traditional Proverb)

Walking on water. (Traditional Proverb)

Water doesn't run uphill. (Traditional Proverb)

Water it down. (Traditional Proverb)

Like a duck out of water. (Traditional Proverb)

Makes your mouth water. (Traditional Proverb)

Muddy the water. (Traditional Proverb)

Happy as a duck in water.
(Traditional Proverb)

Don't cross the stream to find water.
(Swedish Proverb)

You should always prefer wind to water.
(Thai Proverb)

Silent water is dangerous water.
(Spanish Proverb)

Water for oxen, wine for kings.
(Spanish Proverb)

Drawn wells have sweetest water.
(Persian Proverb)

Brackish water is sweet in a drought.

(Portuguese Proverb)

The fisherman fishes in troubled water.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Water washes everything. (Portuguese Proverb)

What water gives, water takes away.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Water never loses its way. (Russian Proverb)

Waves will rise on silent water. (Scottish)

Water and milk do not mix. (Somali Proverb)

Drawn wells have sweetest water. (Persian)

Brackish water is sweet in a drought.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Revolutions are not made with rose water.

(Latin Proverb)

The pig prefers mud to clean water.

(Latin Proverb)

Fish don't get caught in deep water.

(Malawian Proverb)

Where there are birds, there is water.

(Namibian Proverb)

Where there is fish, there is water.

(Japanese Proverb)

Water cannot be forced uphill.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Softly, barber, the water scalds.

(Italian Proverb)

Still water breeds vermin. (Italian Proverb)

The mill does not grind without water.

(Italian Proverb)

The scalded dog fears cold water.

(Italian Proverb)

Thick wine is better than clear water.

(Italian Proverb)

Water past will not turn the mill.

(Italian Proverb)

Running water carries no poison.

(Italian Proverb)

Worldly prosperity is like writing on water.

(Indian Proverb)

A drop of water breaks a stone.

(Italian Proverb)

Dirty water does not wash clean.

(Italian Proverb)

Dirty water will quench fire. (Italian Proverb)

Stagnant water grows stinking.

(German Proverb)

Dumb dogs and still water are dangerous.

(German Proverb)

Muddied water does not reflect.

(French Proverb)

A scalded cat dreads cold water.

(French Proverb)

Any water puts out fire. (French Proverb)

Believe that, and drink some water.

(French Proverb)

Foul water will quench fire. (English Proverb)

Good words cool more than cold water.

(English Proverb)

A coward sweats in water. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Water always finds a way out.

(Cameroonian Proverb)

Flowing water never gets dirty.

(Chinese Proverb)

In still water are the largest fish.

(Danish Proverb)

Blood is thicker than water. (Afghan Proverb)

You cannot turn blood into water.

(Albanian Proverb)

The lazy ox drinks dirty water.

(American Proverb)

WEATHER:

When there is killing weather, the dogs grow fat, when there is. (Tywa Proverb)

When the cat hops around, bad weather is on the way. (Sicilian Proverb)

When the weather changes, the beast sneezes. (Sicilian Proverb)

A low fog leaves good weather.

(Sicilian Proverb)

In fair weather, in calm waters and in peaceful travel, even a coachman knows how to sail.

(Sicilian Proverb)

A red sky means either water or wind; if it doesn't rain, it will be fair weather.

(Sicilian Proverb)

As the weather goes, so goes the patient.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Break the soil when it's moist, plow with the warm weather, and do the seeding on time.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Harvest the grapes as soon as they mature while there is still good dry weather.

(Sicilian Proverb)

After a storm comes fair weather, after sorrow comes joy.

(Russian Proverb)

After a storm fair weather, after sorrow joy.

(Russian Proverb)

After black clouds, clear weather.

(Romanian Proverb)

After the storm comes the good weather.

(Portuguese Proverb)

For the bad weather, a cheerful face.

(Nicaraguan Proverb)

A bird does not change its feathers because the weather is bad. (Nigerian Proverb)

All weather is passing. (Norwegian Proverb)

After bad weather comes fine weather.

(Maltese Proverb)

A woman's heart and spring weather.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you wait, there will come nectar - like fair weather. (Japanese Proverb)

Weather, husbands, and sons come as you take them. (Italian Proverb)

There are seven different kind of weather in one autumn night. (Icelandic Proverb)

Believe in women as in the weather in April.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Cursing the weather is never good farming.

(English Proverb)

Don't worry about the weather or the government. (Corsican Proverb)

Humid weather, smelly air.(Corsican Proverb)

After rain comes fair weather.(Dutch Proverb)

There is no such thing as bad weather, only bad clothing.(African Proverb)

Thatch your roof before rainy weather, dig your well before you become parched with thirst.(Chinese Proverb)

A good pilot is not known when the sea is calm and the weather fair.(Danish Proverb)

It is easy to sit at the helm in fine weather.
(Danish Proverb)

Put no faith in a drunkard's prophecy, another man's dog, or the weather at any season.
(Darkovan Proverb)

Weather, wind, women, and fortune change like the moon.(French Proverb)

The weather, fleecy clouds, and a made up woman don't last long.(French Proverb)

If the weather is fine, put on you cloak; if it rains, do as you please.(French Proverb)

The good seaman is known in bad weather.
(Italian Proverb)

April weather, woman's love, rose-leaves, dice,
and card-luck, change every moment.

(German Proverb)

If you wait long enough, it will be good
weather. (Japanese Proverb)

When God pleases, it rains in fair weather.
(Spanish Proverb)

Advice from your friends in like the weather,
some of it is good, some of it is bad.
(Traditional Proverb)

No weather is ill when the wind is still.
(Traditional Proverb)

Three feet of ice does not result from one day
of cold weather. (Traditional Proverb)

When your joints all start to ache, rainy
weather is at stake. (Traditional Proverb)

Smoke curling downward, poor weather.
(Traditional Proverb)

Under the weather. (Traditional Proverb)

Women are as fickle as April weather.
(German Proverb)

Bad birds seldom bring good weather.

(Icelandic Proverb)

Everyone can navigate in fine weather.

(Italian Proverb)

After clouds comes clear weather.

(German Proverb)

Fie upon a cloak in fair weather!

(French Proverb)

After rain, fine weather. (French Proverb)

WEEDS:

Ill weeds waxes weil. (Scottish Proverb)

Dig the hoe in well in the vineyard and pull out the bad growth and the weed.

(Sicilian Proverb)

On fat land grow foulest weeds.

(Romanian Proverb)

De bes a field mus' hab weed. (Jamaican)

A man of words and not of deeds is like a garden full of weeds. (English Proverb)

For the sake of the flowers, the weeds are watered. (Arabic Proverb)

No garden without its weeds.
(Albanian Proverb)

A good garden always has weeds.
(Albanian Proverb)

Heaps of good cotton stocks get chopped up from association with the weeds.
(African American Proverb)

Don't water your friend's garden when yours is full of weeds. (African Proverb)

Arrogance is a weed that grows mostly on a dunghill. (Arab Proverb)

The corn is not choked by the weeds but by the negligence of the farmer. (Chinese)

To an optimist every weed is a flower; to a pessimist every flower is a weed.
(Finnish Proverb)

If you let the weeds grow for a year you will need seven to clear them. (German Proverb)

Woo the widow whilst she is in weeds.
(German Proverb)

Your own wealth is flowers and wine; the other man's is but weeds. (Indian Proverb)

A man of words and not deeds, Is like a garden full of weeds. (Italian Proverb)

Criticizing another's garden doesn't keep the weeds out of your own. (Italian Proverb)

One who wants to keep their yard tidy does not reserve a plot for the weeds.
(Italian Proverb)

The evil weed produces the largest number of weeds. (Maltese Proverb)

A lot of weeds will grow in a stagnant pond.
(Spanish Proverb)

If I wanted an easy care garden, I would have planted weeds. (Traditional Proverb)

It is better to remove the weeds from your own garden, before you start with your neighbors.
(Traditional Proverb)

There was a young lady of Leeds Who
swallowed six packets of seeds In a month,
silly lass She was covered in grass And she
couldn't sit down for the weeds
(Traditional Proverb)

Weed 'um and reap.(Traditional Proverb)

Weed out.(Traditional Proverb)

Lost like a ball in high weeds.
(Traditional Proverb)

Bless my weeds.(Traditional Proverb)

Every garden may have some weeds.
(Traditional Proverb)

Grow like a weed.(Traditional Proverb)

Ill seed, ill weed(Traditional Proverb)

Weeds last the season.(Swedish Proverb)

Ill weeds are not hurt by frost.(Spanish)

Ill weeds grows apace.(Latin Proverb)

Weeds never die.(German Proverb)

Weeds want no sowing.(German Proverb)

Ill weed grows fast.(Dutch Proverb)

The frost hurts not weeds.(Dutch Proverb)

Weeds never perish.(Belgian Proverb)

WILL AND DETERMINATION:

Everyone wants to go to heaven; the desire is there but the fortitude is not.(Sicilian Proverb)

Endurance pierces marble.(Moroccan Proverb)

No undertaking is difficult if pursued with perseverance.(Filipino Proverb)

Diligence is the vehicle on the paths of Mountains of Books; endurance is the vessel on the courses of the Seas of Learning.
(Chinese Proverb)

Perseverance can reduce an iron rod to a sewing needle.(Chinese Proverb)

Strong souls have willpower, weak ones only desires.(Chinese Proverb)

the key to all things is determination.(Arabic)

Persistence will accomplish more than force.
(Albanian Proverb)

Perseverance is failing nineteen times and succeeding the twentieth.(Albanian Proverb)

Having beauty doesn't mean understanding the perseverance of marriage.(African Proverb)

Don't underestimate the determination of a quiet person. (African Proverb)

Behind every sweaty face of a cattle rustler is a story of determination and courage. (African Proverb)

Life is not a continuum of pleasant choices, but of inevitable problems that call for strength, determination, and hard work. (Indian Proverb)

To endure what is unendurable is true endurance. (Japanese Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence. (Traditional Proverb)

Perseverance kills the game. (Spanish Proverb)

Money grows on the tree of persistence. (Japanese Proverb)

Perseverance brings success. (Dutch Proverb)

Everything is best when new, a friend and wine are best when old. (Turkish Proverb)

Wine should not be watered. (Sicilian Proverb)

Wooden casks make good wine.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Fresh port and new wine, send a Christian to the churchyard. (Spanish Proverb)

Friends and wine should be old.

(Spanish Proverb)

The oil merchant handles gold and diamonds; the grain merchant does business with silver, but the wine merchant is a poor man.

(Sicilian Proverb)

The old woman doesn't want fun, she wants bread, wine, and fire. (Sicilian Proverb)

White wine strengthens the hip.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Wine in moderation is a stomach tonic.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Wine is as sweet as honey but it can be abused. (Sicilian Proverb)

For sulphur, wheat, wine, and wool, come to the towns of Sicily. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you have to get drunk, you must do it with good wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you prune in April you'll fill your barrels not with wine, but with water. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want to stay full of good health, always eat eggs and drink wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

Man loses his good judgment over women and wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

The choice oil is from the surface, the best wine is from the middle, and the best honey is from the bottom. (Sicilian Proverb)

Quhen wine is in, wits out. (Scottish Proverb)

A good vineyard provides bread, wine, and firewood. (Sicilian Proverb)

A granita doesn't cost much; still it's just water, wine is better. (Sicilian Proverb)

Castedduvitanu, Castelvetrano, rich in eggplants and good wine. (Sicilian Proverb)

The choice oil is from the surface, the best wine is from the middle, and the best honey is from the bottom. (Sicilian Proverb)

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A good vineyard provides bread, wine, and firewood. (Sicilian Proverb)

The best wine is that a body drinks of another man's cost. (Romanian Proverb)

Wine is a turncoat, first a friend, then an enemy. (Romanian Proverb)

Wine is a turncoat. (Romanian Proverb)

Wine makes glad the heart of man.
(Romanian Proverb)

Intoxication is not the wine's fault but man's.
(Russian Proverb)

When the wine is run out, you stop the leak.
(Russian Proverb)

Youth is intoxication without wine; old age,
wine without intoxication. (Peruvian Proverb)

gaming, women and wine, while they laugh,
they make men pine. (Romanian Proverb)

Youth is intoxication without wine; old age,
wine without intoxication. (Peruvian Proverb)

Speak plain -- call bread bread, and wine
wine. (Mexican Proverb)

Some men build a wine cellar after only
finding one grape. (Lebanese Proverb)

At the first cup man drinks wine, at the second wine drinks wine, at the third wine drinks man. (Japanese Proverb)

Wine is the best broom for troubles.
(Japanese Proverb)

With the first glass a man drinks wine, with the second glass the wine drinks the wine, with the third glass the wine drinks the man.
(Japanese Proverb)

Without wine, even beautiful cherry blossoms have small attraction. (Japanese Proverb)

Beware of the vinegar of sweet wine.
(Italian Proverb)

Wine is old men's milk. (Italian Proverb)

Sweet is the wine but sour is the payment.
(Irish Proverb)

The wine is sweet, the paying bitter. (Irish)

Wine divulges truth. (Irish Proverb)

He preaches water and drinks wine.
(Hungarian Proverb)

In wine there is truth. (Hungarian Proverb)

Like Mrs Bodo he talks about something else when asked to pay for the wine.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Wine renews the passion of lovers, and the hatred of enemies.(Hebrew Proverb)

It is only one bad palm tree that spoils the whole lot of palm wine.(Ghanaian Proverb)

Wine sets an edge to wit.(English Proverb)

It is a good wind that blows a man to the wine.
(English Proverb)

Beer before wine, you'll feel fine. Wine before beer, you'll feel queer.(English Proverb)

Water makes mud, wine cleans the blood.
(Corsican Proverb)

Cheese, wine, and a friend must be old to be good.(Cuban Proverb)

If the sea were made of wine, how many drunkards there would be.(Corsican Proverb)

Blessed wine, cursed drinking.(Bulgarian)

It does not matter if your tavern sits in a remote location so long as the smell of your wine is appealing.(Chinese Proverb)

No melon peddler cries, No melon peddler
cries, "Bitter melons." No wine dealer says,
"Sour wine."(Chinese Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine
(Chinese Proverb)

Wine does not intoxicate a man -- a man
intoxicates himself.(Chinese Proverb)

Today is wine, and tomorrow is an assignment
(Arabic Proverb)

The jar broke and the wine spilled.
(Arabic Proverb)

Wine, women and food give gladness to the
heart.(Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

You don't have to climb the palm wine tree to
drink palm wine.(African Proverb)

Wine is the drunkard's blanket.(African)

Wine is not for the wretched.(African Proverb)

A long lasting visitor grinds the wine.
(African Proverb)

Even the Judge was drunk when the wine was
free.(Afghan Proverb)

He who is drunk from wine can sober up, he who is drunk from wealth cannot.

(African Proverb)

When the wine is free even the judge drinks it.

(Afghan Proverb)

A thousand cups of wine do not suffice when true friends meet, but half a sentence is too much when there is no meeting of minds.

(Chinese Proverb)

Pleasure for one hour, a bottle of wine.
Pleasure for one year a marriage; but pleasure for a lifetime, a garden.

(Chinese Proverb)

No melon peddler cries, "Bitter melons." No wine dealer says, "Sour wine."

(Chinese)

Just as a medicine may not cure a serious illness, wine will certainly not dispel your grief.

(Chinese Proverb)

If you have money and wine, your friends will be many.

(Chinese Proverb)

Three glasses of wine end a hundred quarrels.

(Chinese Proverb)

A lord without land, is like a cask without wine.

(Danish Proverb)

Extol the virtue of water, but drink wine.
(Czech Proverb)

The barrel can only yield the wine that's in it.
(Corsican Proverb)

Dominies come for your wine, and officers for
your daughters.(Dutch Proverb)

When the wine is in the man, the wit is in the
can.(Dutch Proverb)

When the wine goes in the wit goes out.
(Dutch Proverb)

Fish must swim three times: once in the
water, a second time in the sauce, and a third
time in wine in the stomach.(French Proverb)

A restive morsel needs a spur of wine.
(French Proverb)

A good bottle of wine does not need a cork.
(French Proverb) - More French Proverbs...

A glaring sunny morning, a woman that talks
Latin, and a child reared on wine, never come
to a good end.(French Proverb)

A friend to my table and wine, is no good
neighbor.(French Proverb)

They forgive the wine but they hang the bottle.
(French Proverb)

The wine is not known by the hoops.
(French Proverb)

The cart ruins the road, the woman the man,
the water the wine. (French Proverb)

Since the wine is drawn it must be drunk.
(French Proverb)

The cart ruins the road, the woman the man,
the water the wine. (French Proverb)

In the looking-glass we see our form, in wine
the heart. (German Proverb)

If the landlady is fair, the wine is fair.
(German Proverb)

Friendship with the French is like their wine;
exquisite but short lived. (German Proverb)

A fish should swim thrice: in water, in sauce,
and in wine. (German Proverb)

Wine will not keep in a foul vessel.
(French Proverb)

Where the hostess is handsome the wine is
good. (French Proverb)

Where the hostess is beautiful the wine is
tasty.(French Proverb)

Never listen to these three advisers: wine, the
night, and love.(German Proverb)

Time, wine, women, and fortune, are ever
changing.(German Proverb)

Who loves not women, wine, and song,
remains a fool his whole life long.
(German Proverb)

When the wine runs to waste in the cellar, he
mends the cask.(German Proverb)

Women and wine, game and deceit, Make the
wealth small and the wants great.
(German Proverb)

Wine upon beer is very good cheer; beer upon
wine consider with fear.(German Proverb)

O Strangers by Anacreon's tomb who pass,
Shed o'er it wine, in life he lov'd his glass
(Greek Proverb)

A meal without wine is like a day without
sunshine.(Italian Proverb)

A cask of wine works more miracles than a
church full of saints.(Italian Proverb)

A barrel that contains the wine will retain the drop in its staves. (Irish Proverb)

Your own wealth is flowers and wine; the other man's is but weeds. (Indian Proverb)

When you drink milk under the palm tree, people will say that it is palm wine. (Indian Proverb)

He who likes drinking is always talking of wine. (Italian Proverb)

He is a fool who boasts of four things: that he has good wine, a good horse, a handsome wife, and plenty of money. (Italian Proverb)

Drink water like an ox, wine like the king of Spain. (Italian Proverb)

Sometimes the lees are better than the wine. (Italian Proverb)

If the wine comes in, good sense goes out. (Jewish Proverb) - More Jewish Proverbs...

The matchmaker gets three cups of wine when he succeeds and three slaps on the cheek when he fails. (Korean Proverb)

Where there is no wine, we need medicine. (Jewish Proverb)

The rabbi drinks the wine and asks the others to be happy. (Jewish Proverb)

But now I was a rich man, three things have left me bare; dice, wine, and women, these three have made me poor. (Latin Proverb)

Music induces more madness in many than wine. (Latin Proverb)

If he should ask for wine, box his ears. (Latin Proverb)

If all men were on an equality, the consequence would be that all must perish: for who would till the ground? who would sow it? Who would plant? who would press wine? (Latin Proverb)

Some men will build a wine cellar when they have found just one grape. (Lebanese Proverb)

You have spoilt the wine by adding water to it. (Latin Proverb)

Wisdom is overshadowed by wine. (Latin Proverb)

Wine mars beauty and destroys the freshness of youth. (Latin Proverb)

Wine is given to bring mirth not drunkenness.
(Latin Proverb)

Wine in the bottle does not quench thirst.
(Latin Proverb)

Wine hath drowned more men than the sea.
(Latin Proverb)

Water teaches us to weep, wine teaches us to sing.
(Polish Proverb)

One sip of wine is an antidote against death,
cupfuls poison life.
(Persian Proverb)

A rash man, a skin of good wine, and a glass
vessel, do not last long.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Water teaches us to weep, wine teaches us to
sing.
(Polish Proverb)

Tasty fish have to swim three times: once in
the water, then in butter, and finally in wine.
(Polish Proverb)

Old truths, old laws, old friends, old books,
and old wine are best.
(Polish Proverb)

Fish, to taste right, must swim 3 times -- in
water, in butter and in wine.
(Polish Proverb)

When your wine is finished, conversation ends; when your money has been spent, you lose your friends. (Serbian Proverb)

The first marriage is a plate of honey, the second a glass of wine, and the third is a cup of poison. (Serbian Proverb)

Wine bears no blame -- only the drunkard. (Russian Proverb)

There's no harm in wine; it's drunkenness that is at fault. (Russian Proverb)

It is better to have bread left over than to run short of wine. (Spanish Proverb)

He who hangs out a branch wants to sell his wine. (Spanish Proverb)

Fresh port and new wine, send a Christian to the churchyard. (Kill a man before his time.) (Spanish Proverb)

Four things put a man beside himself--women, tobacco, cards, and wine. (Spanish Proverb)

For a bad night, a mattress of wine. (Spanish Proverb)

Every cask smells of the wine it contains. (Spanish Proverb)

There is no such witness as a good measure of wine. (Spanish Proverb)

The cask smells of the wine it contains.
(Spanish Proverb)

Spilled wine is a sign of happiness, but break the bed and all will have long faces.
(Spanish Proverb)

Sour wine, old bacon, and rye bread keep a house rich. (Spanish Proverb)

To a man wine is like water is to the boat; it can carry him or guzzle him up.
(Thai Proverb)

After the rain the grass will grow; after wine, conversation. (Swedish Proverb)

When it rains in August, it rains honey and wine. (Spanish Proverb)

Every tub smells of the wine it holds
(Traditional Proverb)

Drink wine, and have the gout; drink no wine, and have the gout too. (Traditional Proverb)

Not wine...men intoxicate themselves Not vice...men entice themselves. (Traditional)

It is well to remember that there are five reasons for drinking the arrival of a friend, one's present or future thirst, the excellence of the wine, or any other reason.

(Traditional Proverb)

In water one sees one's own face. But in wine one beholds the heart of another

(Traditional Proverb)

The sharper is the berry, the sweeter is the wine.

(Traditional Proverb)

Wine that isn't paid for is drunk twice.

(Turkish Proverb)

Drink a glass of wine after your soup and you will be stealing a ruble from the doctor.

(Ukrainian Proverb)

Wine from a pot is better than water from a well.

(Yugoslavian Proverb)

Wine wears no breeches.

(Spanish Proverb)

There is truth in wine.

(Spanish Proverb)

Water for oxen, wine for kings.

(Spanish Proverb)

Drink wine upon figs.

(Spanish Proverb)

Good wine needs no crier. (Spanish Proverb)

Good wine sells itself. (Spanish Proverb)

From the sweetest wine, the tarest vinegar.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Of oil, wine, and friends, the oldest.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Vodka is the aunt of wine. (Russian Proverb)

Sour grapes will ne'er make sweet wine.
(Latin Proverb)

Wine brings forth the truth. (Latin Proverb)

Wine carries no rudder. (Latin Proverb)

Wine gladdeneth the heart of man.
(Latin Proverb)

Wine is one thing, drunkenness another.
(Latin Proverb)

Wine is the mirror of the mind. (Latin Proverb)

A poor cask often holds good wine.
(Latin Proverb)

Vinegar is the son of wine. (Jewish Proverb)

Wine tops the list of all medicines.

(Jewish Proverb)

Old wine is good for the stomach.

(Jewish Proverb)

Vinegar is the son of wine.(Jewish Proverb)

Wine tops the list of all medicines.

(Jewish Proverb)

When wine enters modesty departs.

(Italian Proverb)

When wine sinks, words swim.

(Italian Proverb)

Strong is the vinegar of sweet wine.

(Italian Proverb)

Thick wine is better than clear water.

(Italian Proverb)

When the wine's in the wit's out.

(Italian Proverb)

Wine and women make fools of everybody.

(German Proverb)

Wine makes secrets float to the surface.

(German Proverb)

Beware of vinegar made of sweet wine.

(Italian Proverb)

Good wine makes good blood.(Italian Proverb)

He cries wine, and sells vinegar.

(Italian Proverb)

Sweet wine makes sour vinegar.

(German Proverb)

Good wine is milk for the aged.

(German Proverb)

Wine poured out is not wine swallowed.

(French Proverb)

Wine wears no mask.(French Proverb)

Good wine needs no sign.(French Proverb)

Good wine needs no vine.(French Proverb)

Beautiful grapes often make poor wine.

(French Proverb)

Good wine needs no bush.(Dutch Proverb)

Good wine praises itself.(Dutch Proverb)

Old friends and old wine are best.

(Danish Proverb)

WINTER:

So not roast all your corn in the winter.

(Togolese Proverb)

Who wants yoghurt in winter must carry a cow in his pocket.(Turkish Proverb)

When there's a clear horizon in winter, there'll be the devil to pay.(Sicilian Proverb)

Lots of winter, lots of summer.

(Swedish Proverb)

There are four things to which you should not lend credence: love of women, the charity of friars, sun in the winter, and clouds in the summer.(Sicilian Proverb)

Use your time in May to stock up for winter.

(Sicilian Proverb)

When the Sirocco blows in the winter, you can expect rain at any moment.(Sicilian Proverb)

By Saint Candelora day if it's not snowing or raining, winter is over.(Sicilian Proverb)

By the feast of Saint Candelora winter is over.

(Sicilian Proverb)

During the winter eat long fishes, during the summer eat short fishes. (Sicilian Proverb)

If the winter doesn't winter, and the summer doesn't summer, the farmstead will be in trouble. (Sicilian Proverb)

On Saint Candelora day, if it's snowing or raining, there'll be another forty days of winter. (Sicilian Proverb)

In the kingdom of hope, there is no winter. (Russian Proverb)

In the land of hope, there is never any winter. (Russian Proverb)

The first snow does not mean winter, nor the first love marriage. (Russian Proverb)

A bush does not grow berries in winter. (Polish Proverb)

The rich man gets his ice in the summer and the poor man gets his in the winter. (Polish Proverb)

The fireside is the tulip bed of a winter day. (Persian Proverb)

Winter either bites with its teeth or lashes with its tail. (Montenegro Proverb)

Winter finds out what summer lays up. (Montenegro Proverb)

A kind word warms a man through three winters. (Kurdish Proverb)

An autumn day feeds a whole winter. (Khakas Proverb)

He who does not collect in summer, will heat little in winter. (Hungarian Proverb)

The wolf, dog does not eat the winter. (Hungarian Proverb)

The winter does not go without looking backward. (Finnish Proverb)

Autumn is the hush before winter. (French)

Love is worn like a wreath through the summers and the winters. (Hawaiian Proverb)

Winter's thunder is summer's wonder. (English Proverb)

Much bread grows in a winter night. (English Proverb)

No summer, but has its winter.

(English Proverb)

Candlemas, Candlemas, whether windy or rainy, winter has ended. (Corsican Proverb)

Lord, make us shepherds in spring and swineherds in winter. (Corsican Proverb)

The bad fortune of Zoza: in winter it sees not the sun and in summer it sees not the moon. (Corsican Proverb)

A kind word warms for three winters. (Chinese Proverb)

more lost than the winter moon. (Arabic Proverb)

Longer than the winter's night. (Arabic Proverb)

In spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to what the woman has been thinking all winter. (Albanian Proverb)

The bee, from her industry in the summer, eats honey all the winter. (Belgian Proverb)

A fat woman is a blanket for the winter. (Arab Proverb)

Better the cold blast of winter than the hot breath of a pursuing elephant.

(Chinese Proverb)

The pine stays green in winter, wisdom in hardship.

(Chinese Proverb)

Just because men do not like the cold, Heaven will not stop the winter.

(Chinese Proverb)

If Candlemas day be sunny and bright, winter will have another flight; if Candlemas day be cloudy with rain, winter is gone and won't come again.

(Darkovan Proverb)

The rich man has his ice in the summer and the poor man gets his in the winter.

(Dutch Proverb)

The winter does not leave without a backward glance.

(Finnish Proverb)

The summer comes and kisses the child, the winter comes and kills it.

(Estonian Proverb)

He who passes a winter's day passes one of his mortal enemies.

(French Proverb)

The interested friend is a swallow on the roof. (Prepared to leave at the approach of winter.)

(French Proverb)

An old man loved is a winter with flowers.
(German Proverb)

The old one who is loved is like a winter flower. (German Proverb)

True friendship does not freeze in the winter.
(German Proverb)

Those who don't pick roses in summer won't pick them in winter either. (German Proverb)

No matter how long the winter, spring is sure to follow. (Guinean Proverb)

Whoever feeds the wolf in the winter will be eaten by him in the spring. (Greek Proverb)

They who sing through the summer must dance in the winter. (Italian Proverb)

Even the hardest of winters fears the spring.
(Lithuanian Proverb)

Winter will ask you what you did during the summer. (Romanian Proverb)

A fair day in winter is the mother of a storm.
(Romanian Proverb)

An old man in love is like a flower in winter.
(Portuguese Proverb)

You can do nothing about governments and winter. (Slovenian Proverb)

A man without a wife is like a man in winter without a fur cap. (Russian Proverb)

The winter is gone, the spring is come, a fly for those who us good have done.
(Spanish Proverb)

A tough apple skin means a hard winter.
(Traditional Proverb)

A Summer fog for fair, a Winter fog for rain.
(Traditional Proverb)

A single kind word keeps one warm for three winters. (Traditional Proverb)

A kind word warms a man throughout three winters. (Traditional Proverb)

When the summer is winter, and the winter is summer, it is a sorry year. (Spanish Proverb)

For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth, the time of pruning the vines has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land.
(Traditional Proverb)

Memory is the power to gather roses in winter.
(Traditional Proverb)

The wagon rests in winter, the sleigh in summer, the horse never. (Traditional Proverb)

Who doffs his coat on a winter day will gladly put it on in May. (Traditional Proverb)

A woman's beauty cannot warm a winter's night. (Ukranian Proverb)

A son-in-law's friendship is a winter's sun.
(Spanish Proverb)

Spring succeeds to winter. (Latin Proverb)

Winter is summer's heir. (Latin Proverb)

Winter never rots in the sky. (Latin Proverb)

Consider how long the winter will last.
(Latin Proverb)

Winter comes fast on the lazy. (Irish Proverb)

One crow does not make a winter.
(German Proverb)

WISDOM AND KNOWLEDGE:

If you want people to think you are wise, agree with them. (Yiddish Proverb)

Understanding is something we're sure the other fellow hasn't got. (Yiddish Proverb)

It takes a wise man to learn from his mistakes, but an even wiser man to learn from others. (Zen Proverb)

Wisdom is in the head and not in the beard. (Swedish Proverb)

Better than the young man's knowledge is the old man's experience. (Tibetan Proverb)

Knowing just one word of wisdom is like knowing a hundred ordinary words. (Tibetan Proverb)

The wise pursue understanding; fools follow the reports of others. (Tibetan Proverb)

Not all those who are old are wise. (Togolese Proverb)

A fool may sometimes give a wise man counsel. (Vietnamese Proverb)

Adversity brings wisdom.(Vietnamese Proverb)

A person who doesn't know but knows that he doesn't know is a student; teach him. A person who knows but who doesn't know what he knows is asleep; awaken him. But a person who knows and knows that he knows is wise; follow him.(Traditional Proverb)

It takes two turbans to make a wise head.
(Turkish Proverb)

Literally: Go out for a day, get a full basket of knowledge.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Patience is the mother of all wisdom.
(Welsh Proverb)

The best knowledge is to know yourself.
(Welsh Proverb)

The strength of a nation is its knowledge.
(Welsh Proverb)

From a pound of talk, an ounce of understanding.(Yemeni Proverb)

If you seek a reputation for wisdom, agree with everyone.(Yiddish Proverb)

True wisdom is born with white hair.
(Sicilian Proverb)

We learn by standing on the shoulders of the wise.(Sicilian Proverb)

Who has money, spouts wisdom.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Who teaches another, acquires more knowledge.(Sicilian Proverb)

A madman does not lack wisdom.
(Somali Proverb)

To be without knowledge is to be without light.
(Somali Proverb)

Knowledge is like a lion; it cannot be gently embraced.(South African Proverb)

Don't talk too much -- your ignorance exceeds your knowledge.(Spanish Proverb)

What a fool does in the end, the wise do in the beginning.(Spanish Proverb)

Wisdom can be found travelling.
(Sri Lankan Proverb)

A warning to the wise is a blessing, to the fool an insult.(Swahili Proverb)

Great wit drives away wisdom.
(Swahili Proverb)

He who nurses vengeance is not called wise.
(Swahili Proverb)

When a fool becomes enlightened, the wise man is in trouble. (Swahili Proverb)

Few words sufficeth to a wise man.
(Scottish Proverb)

For fault of wise men fools sits on binks.
(Scottish Proverb)

Half a tale is enough to a wise man.
(Scottish Proverb)

He is wise, when he is well can had him sa.
(Scottish Proverb)

Knowledge is eith born about.
(Scottish Proverb)

Penny wise, pound fool. (Scottish Proverb)

There can be no peace without understanding.
(Senegalese Proverb)

A wealthy man is a wise man: a poor man knows nothing. (Sicilian Proverb)

Accumulation of riches brings wisdom.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Each wrinkle is an ounce of wisdom.

(Sicilian Proverb)

In the olive grove, a wise man at the feet and a wild man at the head. (Sicilian Proverb)

Knowledge is no match for luck.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Knowledge without practice is nothing.

(Romanian Proverb)

Oppression makes a wise man mad.

(Romanian Proverb)

When god will punish, he will first take away the understanding. (Romanian Proverb)

Who has not understanding, let him have legs.

(Romanian Proverb)

Wisdom is better than strength.

(Romanian Proverb)

Wise men have their mouth in their heart, fools their heart in their mouth.

(Romanian Proverb)

Wise men learn by other men's harms; fools, by their own. (Romanian Proverb)

There is only one good - knowledge; there is only one evil - ignorance. (Russian Proverb)

Anes wood, never wise, ay the worse. (Scottish Proverb)

Better be happy nor wise. (Scottish Proverb)

Too much bragging drives away wisdom. (Filipino Proverb)

Folly lives next door to knowledge. (Polish Proverb)

Keep learning because knowledge is the key to power. (Polish Proverb)

With gold in your pocket you are wise, you are handsome, and you dance well too. (Polish Proverb)

If a rich man ate a snake, they would say it was because of his wisdom. (Portuguese Proverb)

If old age was the same as wisdom, any old donkey would be a celebrated Justice. (Portuguese Proverb)

Much laughter, short wisdom. (Portuguese Proverb)

The fear of God is the beginning of all wisdom.
(Portuguese Proverb)

A good wife's a goodly prize, saith Solomon the wise.(Romanian Proverb)

A word to a wise man is enough.
(Romanian Proverb)

Few words to the wise suffice.
(Romanian Proverb)

Half a word is enough for a wise man.
(Romanian Proverb)

It is one word of advice that one needs to give to a wise man, and that word keeps multiplying in his mind.(Nigerian Proverb)

The supreme treasure is knowledge, the middle treasure is children, and the lowest treasure is material wealth.
(Mongolian Proverb)

Angels bend down their wings to a seeker of knowledge.(Moroccan Proverb)

Even as a solid rock is unshaken by the wind, so are the wise unshaken by praise or blame.
(Moroccan Proverb)

He who lacks knowledge derides his neighbor,
but the man of understanding holds his
tongue.(Moroccan Proverb)

The heart of a fool is in his mouth, the mouth
of a wise man is in his heart.
(Moroccan Proverb)

The same destiny awaits both the wise man
and the fool.(Moroccan Proverb)

If we wonder often, the gift of knowledge will
come.(Native American Arapaho Proverb)

Knowledge that is not used is abused.
(Native American Cree Proverb)

Wisdom comes only when you stop looking for
it and start living the life the Creator intended
for you.(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Knowledge is rooted in all things--the world is
a library.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Seek wisdom, not knowledge. Knowledge is of
the past, Wisdom is of the future.
(Native (American Lumbee Proverb)

One head cannot hold all wisdom.
(Maasai Proverb)

In a fight with a fool it's a wise man who quits.
(Malagasy Proverb)

Wisdom is folly unless a wise man guides it.
(Manx Proverb)

If a rich man eats a snake, people call it wisdom; if a poor man does the same thing, people call it derangement.
(Lebanese Proverb)

The chief's wisdom is a mesh of old stories, good and bad.(Luo Proverb)

Foolishness first, then wisdom.
(Maasai Proverb)

Beware of the Vulcan greed for knowledge.
(Klingon Proverb)

Never confuse wisdom with luck.
(Klingon Proverb)

Wisdom and serenity should not unduly weigh down a person.(Kashmiri Proverb)

Knowledge has bitter roots but sweet fruits.
(Italian Proverb)

Any fool carries an umbrella on a wet day, but the wise man carries it every day.
(Irish Proverb)

If you have only two pennies left in the world, with the first penny, you should buy rice to feed your family. With the second penny, say the wise Japanese, you should buy a lily. The Japanese understand the importance of dreaming... (Japanese Proverb)

With money in your pocket, you are wise, and you are handsome, and you sing well too. (Jewish Proverb)

Among the ignorant a little knowledge is of great value. (Kashmiri Proverb)

Food is no more important than wisdom, The beginning of wisdom is the fear of God. (Irish Proverb)

He may die of wind but he'll never die of wisdom. (Irish Proverb)

The wise bird flies lowest. (Irish Proverb)

There's never a wise man without fault. (Irish Proverb)

Though wisdom is good in the beginning it is better at the end. (Irish Proverb)

Two things that go for loss-turf on a mountain and the wisdom of a poor man. (Irish Proverb)

Wisdom is what makes a poor man a king, a weak person powerful, a good generation of a bad one, a foolish man reasonable.

(Irish Proverb)

Women are stronger than men, they do not die of wisdom.(Irish Proverb)

Useless wisdom is double foolishness.

(Icelandic Proverb)

A man can pose as a wise when searching for wisdom, but if he believes to have find it, is a fool. (Iranian Proverb)

Only a heart can find the way to another heart. A wise man can laugh at his jokes.

(Iranian Proverb)

A closed mouth--a wise head.(Irish Proverb)

A glutton lives to eat, a wise man eats to live.

(Irish Proverb)

A hint is sufficient for the wise.(Irish Proverb)

He who has no knowledge, understanding of something, should not engage in, or interfere with it.(Hungarian Proverb)

The person who trusts is happy; the person who doubts is wise.(Hungarian Proverb)

Wise men learn by others' harm.

(Hungarian Proverb)

Knowledge is like the sun - it dispels the darkness.(Hebrew Proverb)

The air of the land of Israel makes one wise.

(Hebrew Proverb)

The hearts of fools are in their mouths but the mouths of the wise are in their hearts.

(Hebrew Proverb)

Those who train themselves in wisdom cultivate true courage.(Hebrew Proverb)

Wisdom without morality is like a ring without a gem.(Hebrew Proverb)

When anger comes, wisdom goes.

(Hindi Proverb)

A little bit of experience is better than a barrel full of knowledge.(Finnish Proverb)

What adds to knowledge, adds to pain.

(Finnish Proverb)

Wise in the morning is wiser in the evening.

(Finnish Proverb)

A word to the wise.(French Proverb)

Fools build houses, wise men buy them.
(German Proverb)

Great things are done more through courage
than through wisdom.(German Proverb)

In wine there is wisdom. In beer there is
strength. In water there is bacteria.
(German Proverb)

A drop of wisdom is better than a sea of gold.
(Greek Proverb)

Age brings experience, and a good mind
wisdom.(Greek Proverb)

All receive advice. Only the wise profit from it.
(Greek Proverb)

Even from an enemy a man can learn wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

All knowledge is not taught in one school.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

Knowledge is gained in many schools.
(Hawaiian Proverb)

A book gives knowledge, but it is life that gives
understanding.(Hebrew Proverb)

A person slow to anger has great understanding; one with a quick temper exalts foolishness. (Hebrew Proverb)

Books provide knowledge, life furnishes understanding. (Hebrew Proverb)

Even if a fool remains silent, he is considered wise. (Hebrew Proverb)

One can love and be wise. (English Proverb)

Some men are wise, and some are otherwise. (English Proverb)

The most manifest sign of wisdom is a continual cheerfulness. (English Proverb)

The wind in one's face makes one wise. (English Proverb)

The wit of one man, the wisdom of many. (English Proverb)

Though old and wise, yet still advise. (English Proverb)

Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise. (English Proverb)

Wise men make proverbs but fools repeat them. (English Proverb)

Wise men o sitting.(English Proverb)

When a wise man dies, the heavens lament.
(Eskimo Proverb)

Wise is who admits he is still ignorant.
(Estonian Proverb)

It is a great point of wisdom to find out one's
own folly.(English Proverb)

Knowledge is power.(English Proverb)

No man can play the fool so well as the wise
man.(English Proverb)

Experience is the mother of knowledge.
(English Proverb)

He is a fool who cannot be angry; but he is a
wise man who will not.(English Proverb)

He that marries ere he be wise, will die ere he
thrive.(English Proverb)

Wise people can't answer the most foolish
questions.(Dutch Proverb)

The idle remarks of the rich are taken as
maxims of wisdom by the poor.
(Ecuadorian Proverb)

If you are wise, look after your house; love your wife without alloy. (Egyptian Proverb)

Knowledge is in the head, not in the copybook. (Egyptian Proverb)

Wise rising gives joy. (Egyptian Proverb)

A fool can ask more questions in an hour than a wise man can answer in seven years. (English Proverb)

A house well-furnished makes a woman wise. (English Proverb)

A little knowledge is dangerous. Drink deep, or taste not the puritan waters. (English Proverb)

Alms giving never impoverished, stealing never enriched, and prosperity never made wise. (English Proverb)

Doubt is the beginning, not the end, of wisdom. (English Proverb)

A still tongue maketh a wise head. (Dutch Proverb)

A word is enough to the wise. (Dutch Proverb)

The wise man looks ahead. (Biblical Proverb)

Wisdom is more precious than rubies.

(Biblical Proverb)

Seek wisdom like a beggar.(Burmese Proverb)

Wisdom is in the books.(Burmese Proverb)

Wise man's anger never comes out.

(Burmese Proverb)

Be not disturbed at being misunderstood; be disturbed rather at not being understanding.

(Chinese Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women.

(Chinese Proverb)

Great doubts deep wisdom.(Chinese Proverb)

Intelligence is endowed, but wisdom is learned.(Chinese Proverb)

Making a thousand decisions, even the wise will make a mistake.(Chinese Proverb)

No wisdom to silence.(Chinese Proverb)

Not until just before dawn do people sleep best; not until people get old do they become wise.(Chinese Proverb)

Wisdom is attained by learning when to hold one's tongue. (Chinese Proverb)

The person who recognizes his major mistakes is on the road to wisdom. (Colombian Proverb)

Nobody is born wise. (Bajan Proverb)

Words of wisdom comes out of simple people mouths. (Arabic Proverb)

Wisdom consists of ten parts: nine parts silence, and one part a few words.
(Arabic Proverb)

The most praised form of fluency is silence when talk isn't wise. (Arabic Proverb)

Take wisdom from the wise - not everyone who rides a horse is a jockey. (Arabic Proverb)

Send a wise man and don't advise him.
(Arabic Proverb)

In the desert of life the wise travel by caravan, while the fool prefers to travel alone.
(Arabic Proverb)

In the desert of life the wise person travels by caravan, while the fool prefers to travel alone.
(Arabic Proverb)

The wise are as rare as eagles that fly high in the sky. (Bantu Proverb)

Knowledge is light. (Bedouin Proverb)

Complete idiot who can keep silent, to a wise man is similar. (Bengali Proverb)

Even a fool, when he holds his peace, is counted wise. (Biblical Proverb)

Great men are not always wise.
(Biblical Proverb)

He that troubles his own house shall inherit the wind: and the fool shall be servant to the wise of heart. (Biblical Proverb)

He that walks with wise men shall be wise, but a companion of fools shall be destroyed.
(Biblical Proverb)

Forgetness is the plague of knowledge.
(Arabic Proverb)

Consult the wise and do not disobey him.
(Arabic Proverb)

A word to the wise is sufficient.
(Arabic Proverb)

With age comes wisdom.(Albanian Proverb)

Wise men learn from other men's mistakes;
fools insist on learning from their own.
(Albanian Proverb)

Wisdom doesn't always speak in Greek and
Latin.(Albanian Proverb)

To be proud of knowledge is to be blind with
light.(Albanian Proverb)

Through wisdom is a house built, and by
understanding it is established.
(Albanian Proverb)

The heart has arguments with which the
understanding is unacquainted.
(Albanian Proverb)

The fool wanders; the wise man travels.
(Albanian Proverb)

None but the wise man can employ leisure
well.(Albanian Proverb)

Knowledge is the sister of folly.
(Albanian Proverb)

Knowledge is proud that he knows so much;
wisdom is humble that he knows no more.
(Albanian Proverb)

Knowledge conquered by labour becomes a possession. (Albanian Proverb)

It is better to sit with a wise man in prison than with a fool in paradise. (Albanian Proverb)

In a perch is no broth, in a foolish person is no wisdom. (Albanian Proverb)

He is a fool who cannot be angry but a wise man who will not. (Albanian Proverb)

From errors of others a wise man corrects his own. (Albanian Proverb)

Follow the wise few rather than the vulgar many. (Albanian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom and memory the mother. (Albanian Proverb)

Cunning is the ape of wisdom. (Albanian Proverb)

Change of fortune hurts a wise man no more than a change of the moon. (Albanian Proverb)

Authority without wisdom is like a heavy axe without an edge. (Albanian Proverb)

A thimbleful of experience is worth a tubful of knowledge. (Albanian Proverb)

A fool can ask more questions in a minute than a wise man can answer in an hour.

(Albanian Proverb)

Wise sayings are men. (African Proverb)

Wisdom outweighs strength. (African Proverb)

Wisdom is like a good skin bag every man carries his own. (African Proverb)

When many trees fall on top of one another, a wise man removes the one on top first.

(African Proverb)

What makes a fool excited now a wise person had heard before and isn't excited.

(African Proverb)

There is a wise reason why a cock can't sound like a turkey. (African Proverb)

The words of the wise become sweet the day after. (African Proverb)

The sayings of the wise are like the sharp sticks that shepherds use to guide sheep.

(African Proverb)

The palm-wine we drink, some people can drink it and remain wise; others lose all their senses. (African Proverb)

The mouth of an elderly man is without teeth,
but never without words of wisdom.

(African Proverb)

The mind of a fool is like a broken pot it will
hold no wisdom.(African Proverb)

Sorrow may sadden your face but it sharpens
your understanding.(African Proverb)

Remember the wisdom of your ancestors in
order to become wise.(African Proverb)

One who causes others misfortune also
teaches them wisdom.(African Proverb)

Old men and women in the village are books of
history and wisdom.(African Proverb)

Lack of knowledge is darker than night.
(African Proverb)

Knowledge without wisdom is like water
without sand.(African Proverb)

Knowledge is like a garden, if you don't
cultivate it you cannot harvest it.
(African Proverb)

Knowledge is better than wealth, you have to
look after wealth, but knowledge looks after
you.(African Proverb)

It is from listening to old men that you learn wisdom. (African Proverb)

If you're filled with pride then you will not have room for wisdom. (African Proverb)

If you fill your head with pride you will lack space for wisdom. (African Proverb)

If wisdom is measured by the size of the beard then the goat is a philosopher king.
(African Proverb)

Hooting all right and sleeping all day, doesn't make an owl wise. (African Proverb)

He is a wise man who has no worries about the things he doesn't have but he rejoices for those things that he has. (African Proverb)

Having little knowledge is like having your hands tied around your neck like a slave.
(African Proverb)

Don't underestimate the wisdom of ancestors.
(African Proverb)

Don't be stupid to replace wisdom with knowledge because you will lose understanding. (African Proverb)

A man with a good will is not only rich but also wise. (African Proverb)

When a hundred men call a wise man a fool, then he becomes a fool. (Albanian Proverb)

The fool sucks wisdom, as he porter sups, And cobblers grow fine speakers in their cups. (African Proverb)

People think that the poor are not as wise as the rich, for if a man be wise, why is he poor? (African Proverb)

A fool may chance to put something into a wise man's head. (African Proverb)

It is better to carry stones with a wise man than accept the meal of a madman. (Armenian Proverb)

No woman can make a wise man out of a fool, but every woman can change a wise man into a fool. (Argentine Proverb)

Wit is folly unless a wise man hath the keeping of it. (Arab Proverb)

Wisdom consists of ten parts -- nine parts of silence and one part with few words. (Arab Proverb)

There are five ways in which to become wise: be silent, listen, remember, grow older and study. (Arab Proverb)

Knowledge is a treasure, but practice is the key to it. (Arab Proverb)

Knowledge acquired as a child is more lasting than an engraving on stone. (Arab Proverb)

If a rich man ate a snake, they would say it was because of his wisdom; if a poor man ate it, they would say it was because of his stupidity. (Arab Proverb)

An imbecile can manage his own affairs better than a wise man the affairs of other people. (Arab Proverb)

Deep doubts, deep wisdom; small doubts, little wisdom. (Chinese Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women. Wisdom is the beauty of men. (Chinese Proverb)

Be not disturbed at being misunderstood; be disturbed at not understanding. (Chinese Proverb)

A single conversation with a wise man is better than ten years of study. (Chinese Proverb)

A single conversation across the table with a wise man is worth a month's study of books.
(Chinese Proverb)

The heart of the wise man lies quiet like limpid water.
(Cameroonian Proverb)

The pine stays green in winter, wisdom in hardship.
(Chinese Proverb)

The palace leads to fame, the market to fortune, and loneliness to wisdom.
(Chinese Proverb)

The fool does what he can't avoid, the wise man avoids what he can't do.
(Chinese Proverb)

The conversation of the wise concerns ideas; that of the intelligent is about ideas; the common folk talk about food.
(Chinese Proverb)

The beginning of wisdom is to call things by their right names.
(Chinese Proverb)

No matter how much the wise man travels, he always lives in the same place.
(Chinese Proverb)

Knowledge that is not replenished diminishes every day.
(Chinese Proverb)

He who travels a lot becomes wise; he who is wise stays home.(Chinese Proverb)

Great doubts deep wisdom. Small doubts little wisdom.(Chinese Proverb)

When you cease to strive to understand, then you will know without understanding.
(Chinese Proverb)

Fair words please the fool, and sometimes the wise.(Danish Proverb)

Wisdom is easy to carry but difficult to gather.
(Czech Proverb)

When the fool knows when to be silent, he would be sitting among the wise.
(Czech Proverb)

Riches and favor go before wisdom and art.
(Danish Proverb)

Many a fool might pass for a wise man if he would only keep his mouth shut.
(Danish Proverb)

Much wisdom is smothered in a poor man's head.(Dutch Proverb)

He has a ton of knowledge, but the bottom is out.(Dutch Proverb)

Half a word to the wise is enough.

(Dutch Proverb)

A miser's money takes the place of wisdom.

(Dutch Proverb)

A fool may meet with good fortune, but the wise only profits by it.

(Dutch Proverb)

A fool may give a wise man counsel.

(Dutch Proverb)

A fool may chance to say a wise thing.

(Dutch Proverb)

A fool by chance may say a wise thing.

(Dutch Proverb)

Wise men do not quarrel with each other.

(Danish Proverb)

He that's a wise man by day is no fool by night.

(English Proverb)

A fool may ask more questions in an hour than a wise man can answer in seven years.

(English Proverb)

Wise men sue for offices, and blockheads get them.

(Dutch Proverb)

Wisdom is a good purchase, though we pay dear for it. (Dutch Proverb)

Wisdom in the man, patience in the wife, brings peace to the house and a happy life. (Dutch Proverb)

Were fools silent, they would pass for wise. (Dutch Proverb)

Tis altogether vain to learn wisdom, and yet live foolishly. (Dutch Proverb)

Tis a wise child that knows its own father. (Dutch Proverb)

Soon ripe, soon rotten; soon wise, soon foolish. (Dutch Proverb)

Our wisdom is no less at Fortune's mercy than our wealth. (Dutch Proverb)

God and man think him a fool who brags of his of his own great wisdom. (French Proverb)

For a wise man a fool is a good advisor. (French Proverb)

Fools are more useful to the wise than wise are to fools. (French Proverb)

Fair, good, rich, and wise, is a woman four stories high. (French Proverb)

Economy is the wealth of the poor and the wisdom of the rich. (French Proverb)

An ounce of luck is worth a pound of wisdom. (French Proverb)

The heart of a fool is in his mouth and the mouth of the wise man is in his heart. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is the sister of folly. (English Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is like fire without light. (English Proverb)

To love and to be wise are two different things. (French Proverb)

They will be hushed by a good deed who laugh at a wise speech. (French Proverb)

The wise do as much as they should, not as much as they can. (French Proverb)

The fool who is silent passes for wise. (French Proverb)

Riches serve a wise man, but command a fool.
(French Proverb)

It is a wise man who lives with money in the bank, it is a fool who dies that way.
(French Proverb)

If youth but had the knowledge and old age the strength.(French Proverb)

If everyone were wise, a fool would be the prize.(German Proverb)

He who conceits himself wise, has an ass near at hand.(German Proverb)

Experience is the teacher of jesters and the intelligence of the wise.(German Proverb)

Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise.(German Proverb)

A dram of discretion is worth a pound of wisdom.(German Proverb)

It is not always good to be wise.
(German Proverb)

Much wisdom is lost in poor men's mouths.
(German Proverb)

The biggest fools are those who are paid to be wise. (German Proverb)

When God means to punish a nation, He deprives its rulers of wisdom.
(German Proverb)

To question a wise man is the beginning of wisdom. (German Proverb)

Wisdom is not like money to be tied up and hidden. (Ghanaian Proverb)

He who trusts is happy; the doubter is wise.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Knowledge is like a garden: if it is not cultivated, it cannot be harvested.
(Guinean Proverb)

Think with the wise, but talk with the vulgar.
(Greek Proverb)

Gray hair is a sign of age, not of wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

Even from a foe a man may learn wisdom.
(Greek Proverb)

Better a drop of wisdom than an ocean of gold.
(Greek Proverb)

A fool knows his own business better than a wise man knows that of others.

(Italian Proverb)

A fool gives full vent to his anger, but a wise man keeps himself under control.

(Italian Proverb)

A fool finds pleasure in evil conduct, but a man of understanding delights in wisdom.

(Italian Proverb)

A fool finds no pleasure in understanding but delights in airing his own opinions.

(Italian Proverb)

You can convince an ignorant man easily you can convince a wise man more easily. But a man who knows a little and thinks himself to be perfect, not even Brahma can convince.

(Indian Proverb)

To the world wisdom is folly; to the wise the world is foolish.

(Indian Proverb)

He is not a wise man who cannot play the fool on occasions.

(Italian Proverb)

Give the wise man a hint and leave him to act.

(Italian Proverb)

From listening comes wisdom, and from speaking repentance.(Italian Proverb)

Even the fool says a wise word sometimes.
(Italian Proverb)

An ounce of discretion is better than a pound of knowledge.(Italian Proverb)

A wise man and a fool together, know more than a wise man alone.(Italian Proverb)

When God punishes a land, he deprives it leaders of wisdom.(Italian Proverb)

The virtue of silence is a great piece of knowledge.(Italian Proverb)

The loquacity of fools is a lecture to the wise.
(Italian Proverb)

The fool has to do at last what the wise did at first.(Italian Proverb)

That which the wise man does first, the fool does last.(Italian Proverb)

He's a wise man that leads passion by the bridle.(Italian Proverb)

It is better to be in hell with a wise man than in heaven with an idiot.(Jewish Proverb)

If you have money, men think you are wise, handsome, and able to sing like a bird.

(Jewish Proverb)

If God wants people to suffer, he sends them too much understanding.(Jewish Proverb)

Better a slap from a wise man than a kiss from a fool.(Jewish Proverb)

A fool who can keep silent is counted among the wise.(Jewish Proverb)

A fool says what he knows, and a wise man knows what he says.(Jewish Proverb)

Wisdom is lost in a fat man's body.
(Japanese Proverb)

Wisdom and virtue are like the two wheels of a cart.(Japanese Proverb)

The speaker may well be a fool but the listener is wise.(Japanese Proverb)

Only through suffering and sorrow do we acquire the wisdom not found in books.
(Japanese Proverb)

Knowledge without wisdom is a load of books on the back of an ass.(Japanese Proverb)

If man has no tea in him, he is incapable of understanding truth and beauty.
(Japanese Proverb)

Wise men learn by other men's mistakes, fools by their own.(Italian Proverb)

Wise lads and old fools were never good for anything.(Italian Proverb)

A nod for a wise man, and a rod for a fool.
(Latin Proverb)

A drop of luck is worth a cask of wisdom.
(Latin Proverb)

Wise men philosophize as the fools live on.
(Korean Proverb)

With money in your pocket you are wise, you are handsome, and you sing well too.
(Jewish Proverb)

When the wise man gets angry, he stops being wise.(Jewish Proverb)

When a fool has the cow by the horns, the wise man can milk it.(Jewish Proverb)

He is wise, who suits himself to the occasion.
(Latin Proverb)

Correct a wise man, and he will be grateful; correct a fool, and he will not only give a deaf ear, but send you off with a flea in your ear.

(Latin Proverb)

Arms are of little service abroad unless directed by the wisdom of counselors at home.

(Latin Proverb)

It is the very backbone of wisdom not to trust too hastily. (Latin Proverb)

In chatter a river, in understanding but a single drop. (Latin Proverb)

He is a wise man who accommodates himself to all circumstances. (Latin Proverb)

If a rich man eats a snake people say, "This is wisdom!" If a poor man eats a snake people say, "This is folly!" (Lebanese Proverb)

Wisdom is overshadowed by wine.

(Latin Proverb)

The stupid fear fortune, the wise endure it.

(Latin Proverb)

The misfortune of the foolish is a warning to the wise. (Latin Proverb)

The foolish fear Fortune, the wise endure her.
(Latin Proverb)

As the wise man looks for a bridge the fool
crosses the river.(Persian Proverb)

A little nod is enough for the wise man; an ass
needs a fist.(Moroccan Proverb)

Wise men talk about ideas, intellectuals about
facts, and the ordinary man talks about what
he eats.(Mongolian Proverb)

Of the good we have an understanding, for
fools we keep a stick upstairs.
(Mongolian Proverb)

Beauty without wisdom is like a flower in the
mud.(Romanian Proverb)

The man of sense does not hang up his
knowledge.(Portuguese Proverb)

An empty purse, and a finished house, make a
man wise, but too late.(Portuguese Proverb)

An empty purse and a new house make a man
wise, but too late.(Portuguese Proverb)

Thinking well is wise; planning well, wiser; but
doing well is the wisest and best of all.
(Persian Proverb)

Once I had the strength but no wisdom; now I have the wisdom but no strength.

(Persian Proverb)

It is a wise man who can laugh at his own jokes.

(Persian Proverb)

A fool, if he holds his tongue, passes for wise.

(Spanish Proverb)

Knowledge without practice makes but half an artist.

(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

Knowledge is not the main thing, but deeds.

(Sierra Leonean Proverb)

A foolish fox is caught by one leg, but a wise one by all four.

(Serbian Proverb)

A man is known by the eye, and the face discovers wisdom.

(Scottish Proverb)

If the fool has a hunchback no one remarks about it; if a wise man has a boil everybody talks about it.

(Russian Proverb)

It is a wise son that knows his own father.

(Spanish Proverb)

Don't talk too much, because your ignorance is greater than your knowledge.

(Spanish Proverb)

What the fool does at last the wise man does at first. (Spanish Proverb)

Though the speaker be a fool, let the hearer be wise. (Spanish Proverb)

There are three "too much" and three "too little" that can bring a fool down: too much spending and too little money; too much talking and too little knowledge; and too much boasting and too little earnings.

(Spanish Proverb)

The old for want of ability, and the young for want of knowledge, let things be lost.

(Spanish Proverb)

That's a wise delay which makes the road safe.

(Spanish Proverb)

So wise, so young, they say, do ne'er live long.

(Spanish Proverb)

Men can acquire knowledge, but not wisdom. Some of the greatest fools ever known were learned men. (Spanish Proverb)

All beings hate pains therefore one should not kill them. This is the quintessence of wisdom not to kill anything. (Traditional Proverb)

A questioning man is halfway to being wise.
(Traditional Proverb)

A man remains wise as long as he seeks wisdom. The minute he thinks he has found it, he becomes a fool. (Traditional Proverb)

A good man says no slowly a wise man says no at once. (Traditional Proverb)

A fool dreams of wealth a wise man, of happiness. (Traditional Proverb)

A father deserted by a wise son is like being caught in a shower without a felt.
(Tibetan Proverb)

If you search for the laws of harmony, you will find knowledge. (Traditional Proverb)

If there were no fools, how would we recognize the wise. (Traditional Proverb)

He who is slow to anger has great understanding, but he who has a hasty temper exalts folly. (Traditional Proverb)

He is so wise, that he goes upon the ice three days before it freezes. (Traditional Proverb)

Dip your tongue in wisdom, then give counsel.
(Traditional Proverb)

Have the wisdom to abandon the values of a time that has passed and pick out the constituents of the future. An environment must be suited to the age and men to their environment. (Traditional Proverb)

From the persistence of noise comes the insistence of rage. From the emergence of tone comes the divergence of thought. From the enlightenment of music comes the wisdom of ... silence. (Traditional Proverb)

From the faults of another, a wise man will correct his own. (Traditional Proverb)

Every man must act in the rhythm of his time ... such is wisdom. (Traditional Proverb)

By others faults the wise correct their own. (Traditional Proverb)

Better a wise foe than a foolish friend. (Traditional Proverb)

At the base of a monument of a falcon protecting its young at the Air Force Academy. Man's flight through life is sustained by the power of his knowledge. (Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is boundless but the capacity of one man is limited. (Traditional Proverb)

As to deserving, know that the gift of Heaven is free this gift of Knowledge is so great that no effort whatever could hope to 'deserve' it.

(Traditional Proverb)

Physical consciousness is indispensable for the achievement of knowledge.

(Traditional Proverb)

Mercy to living beings, self restraint, truth, honesty, chastity and contentment, right faith and knowledge, and austerity are but the entourage of morality.

(Traditional Proverb)

Listen to advice and accept correction, then in the end you will be wise.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge, humbles a great person, astonishes the common, and puffs up the small.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is the mother of all virtue; all vice proceeds from ignorance.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is not what you can remember, but what you cannot forget.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is consciousness of reality. Reality is the sum of the laws that govern nature and of the causes from which they flow.

(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge becomes power only when we put it into use.(Traditional Proverb)

In pace, ut sapiens, aptarit idonea bello In peace, like a wise man, he appropriately prepares for war.(Traditional Proverb)

We mustn't confuse mastery with mimicry, knowledge with superstitious ignorance.(Traditional Proverb)

We hate delays by others, but sometimes it makes us wise.(Traditional Proverb)

True teaching is not an accumulation of knowledge it is an awaking of consciousness which goes through successive stages.(Traditional Proverb)

The sign of wisdom is a continual cheerfulness.(Traditional Proverb)

A stupid friend is a greater plague than a wise enemy.(Turkish Proverb)

No one will say, "My father is incontinent." Everyone will say, "He is a man of advice and wisdom."(Tunisian Proverb)

Zeal is fit only for the wise but is found mostly in fools.(Traditional Proverb)

Wisdom is like a baobab tree no one individual can embrace it.(Traditional Proverb)

Wisdom is a comb given to a man once he is bald.(Traditional Proverb)

The fool sings a love song to his wife, the wise man will talk about his dog.(Turkish Proverb)

A spoon does not know the taste of soup, nor a learned fool the taste of wisdom.
(Welsh Proverb)

If you want to gather a lot of knowledge, act as if you are ignorant.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Better a wise man's servant than an idiot's master.(Vietnamese Proverb)

Fools love not the wise, drunkards love not the sober.(Ukranian Proverb)

Your body is the temple of knowledge.
(Traditional Proverb)

Silence is music to a wise man.
(Turkish Proverb)

Adversity and loss make a man wise.
(Welsh Proverb)

Adversity brings knowledge, and knowledge wisdom. (Welsh Proverb)

The best candle is understanding.
(Welsh Proverb)

Three things it is best to avoid: a strange dog, a flood, and a man who thinks he is wise.
(Welsh Proverb)

Reason is the wise man's guide, example the fool's. (Welsh Proverb)

Penny wise is often pound foolish.
(Traditional Proverb)

Proverbs are the people's wisdom.
(Traditional Proverb)

The way of knowledge is narrow.
(Traditional Proverb)

They who increase knowledge, increase sorrow. (Traditional Proverb)

Understanding develops by degrees.
(Traditional Proverb)

Now is the watchword of the wise.
(Traditional Proverb)

Love is one thing, knowledge is another.
(Traditional Proverb)

Beauty Passes, wisdom remains.
(Traditional Proverb)

Experience is the mother of wisdom.
(Traditional Proverb)

Friendship is love with understanding.
(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge in youth is wisdom in age.
(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge is not necessarily wisdom.
(Traditional Proverb)

A fool wonders. A wise man asks.
(Traditional Proverb)

To love and be wise is impossible.
(Spanish Proverb)

When drink enters, wisdom departs.
(Spanish Proverb)

Wise men learn at another's expense.
(Norwegian Proverb)

Doubt is the key to knowledge.
(Persian Proverb)

Thinking is the essence of wisdom.

(Persian Proverb)

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

(Portuguese Proverb)

To love and be wise is incompatible.

(Portuguese Proverb)

Adversity makes a man wise, not rich.

(Romanian Proverb)

Under a ragged coat lies wisdom.

(Romanian Proverb)

Be wise, but pretend to be ignorant.

(Russian Proverb)

Wisdom is born; stupidity is learned.

(Russian Proverb)

It is easy to advise the wise. (Serbian Proverb)

Gold without wisdom is but clay.

(Slovak Proverb)

Wisdom does not come overnight.

(Somali Proverb)

A fool is a wise man's ladder.

(South African Proverb)

Success makes a fool seem wise.

(Latin Proverb)

Wisdom does not consist in dress.

(Latin Proverb)

Experience purchased by suffering teaches wisdom.

(Latin Proverb)

He who increases knowledge, increases sorrow.

(Latin Proverb)

Laugh, if you are wise.

(Latin Proverb)

Limit your inquiry after knowledge.

(Latin Proverb)

A word is sufficient for the wise.

(Latin Proverb)

Consideration is the parent of wisdom.

(Latin Proverb)

Dare to be wise.

(Latin Proverb)

Education serves our life, wisdom commands it.

(Latin Proverb)

Wealth gets in the way of wisdom.

(Japanese Proverb)

Rivalry of scholars advances wisdom.

(Jewish Proverb)

Silence is a fence around wisdom.

(Jewish Proverb)

Talking comes by nature, silence by wisdom.

(Jewish Proverb)

We add wisdom to knowledge.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Wise men change their minds, fools never.

(Italian Proverb)

Boasting begins where wisdom stops.

(Japanese Proverb)

Too much wisdom is folly. (German Proverb)

Without knowledge, without sin.

(German Proverb)

Wonder is the beginning of wisdom.

(Greek Proverb)

Useless wisdom is double foolishness.

(Icelandic Proverb)

A quiet tongue shows a wise head.

(Irish Proverb)

Continual cheerfulness is a sign of wisdom.
(Irish Proverb)

Foolish boys, wise men. (Italian Proverb)

He who succeeds is reputed wise.
(Italian Proverb)

Honest men marry soon, wise men never.
(Italian Proverb)

One cannot love and be wise. (German Proverb)

Pearls of wisdom. (German Proverb)

Penny wise, and pound foolish.
(German Proverb)

Solitude is the nurse of wisdom.
(German Proverb)

Speaking comes by nature, silence by
understanding. (German Proverb)

Bought wisdom is best. (German Proverb)

Adversity makes a man wise. (French Proverb)

After mischance everyone is wise.
(French Proverb)

A still tongue makes a wise head.

(Dutch Proverb)

His money takes the place of wisdom.

(Dutch Proverb)

Wise rats run from a falling house.

(Dutch Proverb)

Action is the proper fruit of knowledge.

(English Proverb)

Zeal without knowledge is a runaway horse.

(English Proverb)

The fool speaks, the wise man listens.

(Ethiopian Proverb)

Experience is the father of wisdom.

(Belgian Proverb)

Knowledge is better than riches.

(Cameroonian Proverb)

No wisdom like silence. (Chinese Proverb)

Wise men are never in a hurry.

(Chinese Proverb)

He who rises early will gather wisdom.

(Danish Proverb)

When wisdom fails, luck helps.

(Danish Proverb)

Wisdom is the least burdensome travelling pack. (Danish Proverb)

Wisdom rides upon the ruins of folly.

(Danish Proverb)

Wise care keeps what it has gained.

(Danish Proverb)

Repetition is the mother of knowledge.

(African Proverb)

Arrogance diminishes wisdom.

(Arab Proverb)

Doubt is the key to all knowledge.

(Arab Proverb)

WOMAN:

He who listened to the woman suffered famine at harvest time. (Zambian Proverb)

Chicken are beautiful because of their feathers, women are beautiful because of their make-up. (Thai Proverb)

Without a woman's help, a man cannot set up a tent. (Tibetan Proverb)

The one who is looking for a wife doesn't speak contemptuously of women. (Tshi Proverb)

Demand a kiss from a fat woman, and be ready to receive a sweet taste.
(Turkish Proverb)

If they say there is a wedding in the sky, women would try to put up a ladder.
(Turkish Proverb)

If you search for a faultless woman, you will remain a bachelor. (Turkish Proverb)

Women have no court. (Ugandan Proverb)

You must judge a woman by the taste of her soup. (Ugandan Proverb)

Loving a woman who scorns you is like licking honey from a thorn. (Welsh Proverb)

The man brings the goods, but the woman maintains it. (Sicilian Proverb)

Women always tend to the bad.
(Sicilian Proverb)

There are four things to which you should not lend credence: love of women, the charity of friars, sun in the winter, and clouds in the summer.(Sicilian Proverb)

There isn't a Pentecost without a Sirocco nor a woman without a bow. (Sicilian Proverb)

Who drives donkeys and believes women, will never see the face of paradise.(Sicilian Proverb)

Women and cloth should not be bought in the evening.(Sicilian Proverb)

Women can't keep secrets.(Sicilian Proverb)

Women, fire, and the sea are perilous for man. (Sicilian Proverb)

Men for tea, women for talk.(Somali Proverb)

The most dangerous thing a man needs is woman.(Somali Proverb)

Your woman should be in the house or in the grave.(Somali Proverb)

When you have touched a woman, you have struck a rock.(South African Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow; the devil comes with a bellows.(Spanish Proverb)

Go to friends for advice, woman for love,
strangers for charity and relatives for nothing.
(Spanish Proverb)

No woman is ugly when she is dressed.
(Spanish Proverb)

The man who does not love a horse cannot
love a woman.(Spanish Proverb)

The wind changes every day; a woman
changes every second.(Spanish Proverb)

The cook does not have to be a beautiful
woman.(Shona Proverb)

A house without a woman impoverishes.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A lazy woman is never virtuous.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A silent woman is a good woman.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A vain woman is not worth a nickel.
(Sicilian Proverb)

A woman is like a cat: the more you pet her
the better she feels.(Sicilian Proverb)

Being in love with a married woman is living on borrowed time.(Sicilian Proverb)

Better a woman who is dark-skinned and gracious, than one who is light-skinned and insipid.(Sicilian Proverb)

Chiaramonte, a mountain of gold, every woman is a treasure.(Sicilian Proverb)

Donkeys and women beat them with a stick, to keep them at task.(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't despise a man under a cape nor a woman in tatters.(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't let yourself get far away from your jackasses, women, and oxen.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Don't trust a woman who laughs.
(Sicilian Proverb)

For the man a great sweat, for the woman a great physical pain.(Sicilian Proverb)

From twenty to thirty, neither pulling nor pushing, from thirty on up a woman is of no further use.(Sicilian Proverb)

Leave the hot fire and help the woman in labor.(Sicilian Proverb)

God protect you from the man who looks down at the ground and the woman who looks up to heaven. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you want a beautiful woman, hurry to Siracusa : if you want her ugly, run to Terranova, go to Rosolini if you want her lazy and to Spaccaforno if you're looking for one to try. (Sicilian Proverb)

Inexperienced young men are better off not marrying: Stay away from women! You'll be better off. (Sicilian Proverb)

Many are the lords of the cities and the slaves of women. (Sicilian Proverb)

One hair from the head of a woman pulls more than a ship's Hauser. (Sicilian Proverb)

Peace won't settle where a woman rules. (Sicilian Proverb)

Salt comes from the sea and every bad thing comes from the woman. (Sicilian Proverb)

The constancy of women is like rain in July. (Sicilian Proverb)

Play, women, and wine undo men laughing. (Romanian Proverb)

When an ass climbs a ladder, we may find wisdom in women. (Romanian Proverb)

When the candles are out, all women are fair. (Romanian Proverb)

Woeful is the household that wants a woman. (Romanian Proverb)

Women are as changeable as the wind. (Romanian Proverb)

Women are the devil's nets. (Romanian Proverb)

A dog is wiser than a woman; it does not bark at its master. (Russian Proverb)

As chicken is not a bird, woman is not a human being. (Russian Proverb)

I'll come again, said the woman who got caught in wing of the windmill. (Scanian Proverb)

A good yeoman makes a good woman. (Scottish Proverb)

It's easier for the horses when the woman gets off the cart. (Polish Proverb)

Where devil cannot go, he will send a woman.
(Polish Proverb)

A woman is never to have her own will.
(Puritan Proverb)

A bad woman is worse than a bad man.
(Romanian Proverb)

A spaniel, a woman, and a walnut-tree, the more they're beaten the better they be.
(Romanian Proverb)

A woman is flax, man is fire, the devil comes and blows the bellows.(Romanian Proverb)

Gaming, women and wine, while they laugh, they make men pine.(Romanian Proverb)

An old woman is not old in a song she dances well.(Nigerian Proverb)

Even an old woman may run when a goat carries her snuff-box.(Nigerian Proverb)

When a woman has ten children, there is nothing that happens in the night that she does not know about.(Nigerian Proverb)

Wounded to death by the words of an evil woman.(Norse Proverb)

When a woman prepares a dish which others find unpalatable, she says that she prepared it to suit her own taste. (Nigerian Proverb)

Let him speak soft words and offer wealth who longs for a woman's love. (Norse Proverb)

The speech of a maiden should no man trust nor the words which a woman says; for their hearts were shaped on a whirling wheel and falsehood fixed in their breasts.

(Norse Proverb)

You are sure to marry a woman either beautiful or ugly; If ugly she will be a punishment; if beautiful, you will share her with others. Therefore do not marry.

(Pakistani Proverb)

The most desirable woman is always the one who belongs to someone else.

(Mexican Proverb)

A knife does not fear thorns, a woman fears man. (Mongo Proverb)

Instruct a man, you instruct an individual. Instruct a woman, you instruct a nation.

(Moroccan Proverb)

Like a gold ring in a pig snout is a woman without discretion. (Moroccan Proverb)

A man or a woman with many children has many homes.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

A nation is not conquered until the hearts of its women are on the ground. Then it is finished, no matter how brave its warriors or how strong their weapons.

(Native American Lakota Proverb)

A woman can raise you to heaven and can dump you in hell.

(Maltese Proverb)

A woman is like a lemon; you squeeze her and throw her away.

(Maltese Proverb)

At night all women are alike.

(Maltese Proverb)

Believe not a swearing man and a weeping woman.

(Maltese Proverb)

He who makes a fool of himself on account of a woman is well nigh ruined.

(Maltese Proverb)

If the man lets a woman know what he has got in his saving box, she will marry him for his money.

(Maltese Proverb)

Women have got long hair and short sense.

(Maltese Proverb)

Being but a woman, raise not the sword.
(Latin Proverb)

A woman is as old as she wants to tell you she is.(Luxembourgan Proverb)

Women have no upright words, but only crooked ones.(Kikuyu Proverb)

A shy woman is worth a city, a shy man is worth a goat.(Kurdish Proverb)

If you educate a woman, you have educated a population.(Kiganda Proverb)

A man changing his abode is like a woman marrying.(Kikuyu Proverb)

A market can be spoilt by one woman.
(Kikuyu Proverb)

The woman whose sons have died is richer than a barren woman.(Kikuyu Proverb)

Never trust a woman, even if she has borne you seven children.(Japanese Proverb)

The tongue of woman is her sword, which never rusts.(Japanese Proverb)

Choose neither a woman nor linen by candle light.(Italian Proverb)

Men are as old as they feel, women as old as they look.(Italian Proverb)

Who takes an eel by the tail and a woman at her word, may say he holds nothing.
(Italian Proverb)

Woman , impromptu; man, on reflection.
(Italian Proverb)

An excuse is nearer to a woman than her apron.(Irish Proverb)

Any man who owns a cow can always find a woman to milk her.(Irish Proverb)

Don't be ever in court or a castle without a woman to make your excuse.(Irish Proverb)

Eight lives for the men and nine for the women.(Irish Proverb)

Everything dear is a woman's fancy.
(Irish Proverb)

If you meet a red-haired woman, you'll meet a crowd.(Irish Proverb)

It's difficult to trust a woman.(Irish Proverb)

Man to the hills, woman to the shore.
(Irish Proverb)

Marry a woman from Truagh and you marry all Truagh.(Irish Proverb)

One woman understands another.
(Irish Proverb)

Only a fool would prefer food to a woman.
(Irish Proverb)

That which is nearest a woman's heart is the first to come out.(Irish Proverb)

The pride of women and the pride of priests.
(Irish Proverb)

There are three creatures beyond ruling - a mule, a pig and a woman.(Irish Proverb)

There is nothing wickeder than a woman of evil temper.(Irish Proverb)

There is nothing sharper than a woman's tongue.(Irish Proverb)

Three things you cannot comprehend: the mind of a woman, the working of the bees, and the ebb and flow of the tide.(Irish Proverb)

'Tis as hard to see a woman cry, as a goose go barefoot.(Irish Proverb)

When the old woman is hard pressed, she has to run. (Irish Proverb)

Where comes a cow the wise man lay down, there follows a woman, and where comes a woman follows trouble. (Irish Proverb)

Women are shy and shame prevents them from refusing a man. (Irish Proverb)

Women are stronger than men; they do not die of wisdom. (Irish Proverb)

An unlucky girl may make a good woman. (Icelandic Proverb)

If only the wind would turn before I go home, said the woman rowing against the wind. (Icelandic Proverb)

A wayward woman is like the weaver bird. She uses her perch on one tree to scout other trees. (Igbo Proverb)

A woman can beat the devil. (Irish Proverb)

A woman like a goat, a woman of rushing visits. (Irish Proverb)

A woman like a goose, a sharp pecking woman. (Irish Proverb)

A woman like a lamb, a quiet friendly woman.
(Irish Proverb)

A woman like a pig, a sleepy-headed woman.
(Irish Proverb)

A woman like a sheep, an affable friendly woman.(Irish Proverb)

A woman like a sickle, a strong stubborn woman.(Irish Proverb)

A woman told me that a woman told her.
(Irish Proverb)

Money is best when counted, a woman is best when beaten.(Hungarian Proverb)

Three women, a goose and two women make a whole fair.(Hungarian Proverb)

Who can find a woman of valor? Her price is far above rubies.(Hebrew Proverb)

Women don't know what a secret is.
(Hebrew Proverb)

A nut is good if broken, a woman if beaten.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Believe in women as in the weather in April.
(Hungarian Proverb)

A sauna makes a woman most beautiful one hour after the bath. (Finnish Proverb)

A healthy woman is a successful woman. (French Proverb)

Who knows what women can be when they are finally free to become themselves? (French Proverb)

Women will believe any lie that is wrapped in praise. (French Proverb)

A woman is a flower in a garden; her husband is the fence around it. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A woman is like a rat: even if it grows up in your house, it steals from you. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A woman is like mahogany: the older she is, the better she is. (Haitian Proverb)

Getting married with a woman is nothing; it's assuming the responsibility of marriage that counts. (Haitian Proverb)

A beautiful ornament looks best on a beautiful woman. (Hebrew Proverb)

Old men, when they marry young women, make much of death. (English Proverb)

There was never a conflict without a woman.
(English Proverb)

Who has a woman has an eel by the tail.
(English Proverb)

Women in mischief are wiser than men.
(English Proverb)

Women's counsel is cold. (English Proverb)

A man is who knows to marry a woman and
buy a horse. (Estonian Proverb)

One woman never praises another.
(Estonian Proverb)

Who lets a woman slap him is as humiliated
as if a pig has bitten. (Estonian Proverb)

One who plants grapes by the road side, and
one who marries a pretty woman, share the
same problem. (Ethiopian Proverb)

When there are many women, the cabbage will
be spoiled. The slimming of an elephant and
the losses of a rich man are not noticeable.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

Man, woman, and devil, are the three degrees
of comparison. (English Proverb)

Many women, many words; many geese, many turds. (English Proverb)

Men make houses, women make homes.
(English Proverb)

No mischief but a woman or a priest is at the bottom of it. (English Proverb)

Heaven hath no rage like love to hatred turned, Nor Hell a fury like a woman scorned.
(English Proverb)

Hell has no fury like a woman scorned.
(English Proverb)

That which in the beautiful woman is grace, in the ugly woman turns to disgrace.
(El Salvadoran Proverb)

A house well-furnished makes a woman wise.
(English Proverb)

A man is as old as he feels, a woman as old as she looks. (English Proverb)

A worthy woman is the crown of her husband.
(English Proverb)

March sun ages women. (Corsican Proverb)

Set aside emergencies and help a woman giving birth. (Corsican Proverb)

The pubic hair of a woman mounting is stronger than two pairs of ox descending. (Corsican Proverb)

The woman makes the man. (Corsican Proverb)

There isn't a Saturday without sun, nor a woman without love. (Corsican Proverb)

When the month of May arrives, women's hair grows and penises become strong. (Corsican Proverb)

Women, problems. (Corsican Proverb)

Women's tears are fountains of malice. (Corsican Proverb)

A man possesses beauty in his quality and a woman possesses quality in her beauty. (Cuban Proverb)

If 'almost' did not exist, said the woman, "then I would have shot a hare." (Danish Proverb)

A good surgeon must have a hawk's eye, a lion's heart and a woman's hand. (Dominican Proverb)

Money tempts women, women tempt men.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

What the devil is unable to do, he asks a woman to do?(Bulgarian Proverb)

An unmarried woman is not honored, even if she has 10 brothers.(Burmese Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women.
(Chinese Proverb)

No man is a hero to his woman.
(Chinese Proverb)

A thin cat and a fat woman are the shame of a household.(Corsican Proverb)

An idle woman is up to no good.
(Corsican Proverb)

Quarrelling is peculiar to the woman who has got male children.(Bajan Proverb)

When a woman is hungry, she says, "Roast something for the children that they might eat."(Ashanti Proverb)

The men are the wool of the tribe, but the women are the ones who weave the pattern.
(Arabic Proverb)

The man and his woman is like the grave and its dead. (Arabic Proverb)

The hump of the ox that has grown old must be eaten by women. (Bajan Proverb)

To seek a woman to the belly. (Bajan Proverb)

He who gets the grace of the women is neither hungry nor thirsty. (Bengali Proverb)

If someone says, "There is a wedding ceremony in the clouds", then the women would soon arrive with their ladders. (Arabic Proverb)

Wine, women and food give gladness to the heart. (Ancient Egyptian Proverb)

Women and donkeys need the stick. (Amharic Proverb)

One sent by a woman does not fear death. (Amharic Proverb)

Women are like books: too much gilding makes men suspicious that the binding is the most important part. (Albanian Proverb)

Where the woman wears the breeches, she has a good right to them. (Albanian Proverb)

When the candles are all out, all women are fair. (Albanian Proverb)

Thrift is to a man what chastity is to a woman. (Albanian Proverb)

In spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to what the woman has been thinking all winter. (Albanian Proverb)

A man without ambition is like a woman without looks. (Albanian Proverb)

A little bit of powder and a little bit of paint make a woman look like what she ain't. (Albanian Proverb)

A diplomat is a man who always remembers a woman's birthday but never her age. (Albanian Proverb)

The beauty of a woman becomes useless if there is no one to admire it. (African Proverb)

No matter how big a child is, he cannot deny that he was once carried on the back of a woman. (African Proverb)

Music and women should not be dated. (African Proverb)

Getting only a beautiful woman is like planting a vine on the roadside everyone feeds on it.
(African Proverb)

An old woman is always uneasy when dry bones are mentioned in a proverb.
(African Proverb)

A woman is never old when it comes to the dance she knows.(African Proverb)

A woman is like a bee treat her well and she will make honey, treat her badly and she will go wild.(African Proverb)

A man will never heed the voice of a woman until it is too late.(African Proverb)

A home without a woman is like a barn without a yam.(African Proverb)

A barren woman is like a leaking pot.
(African Proverb)

Women have no chief.(Acholi Proverb)

A man chases a woman until she catches him.
(American Proverb)

A lady is a woman who makes it easy for a man to be a gentleman.(American Proverb)

The success of a man is through the soles of his feet, that of a woman is from her legs.

(African Proverb)

If you are threatened by a man, sleep at night, if it is by a woman then stay awake.

(African Proverb)

A woman is like a banana; one alone can turn the whole bunch rotten.

(African Proverb)

A house without a woman is like a fire without a bucket.

(Bulgarian Proverb)

With tender words you have less luck with a woman than with jewels.

(Berber Proverb)

Sleep with a woman and she will make sure you wake up.

(Basque Proverb)

Beware of women with beards and men without beards.

(Basque Proverb)

He who longs too much for a child will marry a pregnant woman.

(Bambara Proverb)

A pregnant woman is not afraid if you threaten her with what you made her pregnant with.

(Bambara Proverb)

The only sword that never rests is the tongue of a woman.

(Armenian Proverb)

The hunt is like a dance for men, for the women the dance is the hunt.

(Austrian Proverb)

The dowry that a woman brings is like a bell; every time she passes by she hits you with the clapper.(Armenian Proverb)

If a woman hears that something unusual is going on in heaven, she would find a ladder to go and look.(Armenian Proverb)

A woman is like the moon, some nights it is silver others gold.(Armenian Proverb)

No woman can make a wise man out of a fool, but every woman can change a wise man into a fool.(Argentine Proverb)

You will get no nourishment from the flesh of a woman.(Arab Proverb)

Men laugh with their heart, women only with their mouth.(Arab Proverb)

If you want to take revenge on a man, send him a really beautiful woman.(Arab Proverb)

Heaven on earth is to be found on horseback, reading books and between a woman's breasts.(Arab Proverb)

Conversation is like making love; the man is the question, the woman the answer, and the union of both will bear fruit. (Arab Proverb)

A fat woman is a blanket for the winter. (Arab Proverb)

Beauty is the wisdom of women. Wisdom is the beauty of men. (Chinese Proverb)

A young woman with an old man is really someone else's woman. (Chinese Proverb)

A patient woman can roast an ox with a lantern. (Chinese Proverb)

A curious woman is capable of turning around the rainbow just to see what is on the other side. (Chinese Proverb)

Women and cats in the house, men and dogs in the street. (Catalonian Proverb)

The folly of a man is not broadcast like that of a woman. (Cameroonian Proverb)

The virtue of a woman does not go deep but her passion knows no limit. (Chinese Proverb)

The tongue of a woman is the sword that is never allowed to rust. (Chinese Proverb)

The spirit of women is made of quicksilver;
their heart of wax. (Chinese Proverb)

The scholar builds the cities, the woman
knocks them down. (Chinese Proverb)

The most highly praised woman is the one
about whom no one speaks. (Chinese Proverb)

The fangs of the green snake and the sting of a
wasp don't really make poison -- that is only
to be found in a woman's heart.
(Chinese Proverb)

The first decision of a woman is the most
intelligent and the last decision most
dangerous. (Chinese Proverb)

The advice of a clever woman can ruin a
strong town. (Chinese Proverb)

Never does a woman lie in a more cunning way
than when she tells the truth to someone who
doesn't believe her. (Chinese Proverb)

Man is the head of the family, woman the neck
that turns the head. (Chinese Proverb)

It's not the beauty of a woman that blinds the
man, the man blinds himself. (Chinese Proverb)

Good behavior is a virtue for the man -- bad behavior is the virtue of a woman.

(Chinese Proverb)

When a woman talks to you, smile but do not listen. (Chinese Proverb)

When a man is crazy about a woman only she can cure him. (Chinese Proverb)

What is lighter than a feather? The wind!
Lighter than the wind? The spirit! Lighter than the spirit? The woman! Lighter than the woman? Nothing at all! (Chinese Proverb)

Women are as beautiful as flowers when they are forty years old. (Chinese Proverb)

Had it not been for an if, the old woman would have bitten a wolf. (Danish Proverb)

A woman may be ever so old, if she take fire she will jump. (Danish Proverb)

Wait for a month before you praise a horse, and for a year before you praise a woman. (Czech Proverb)

If a woman doesn't know what she has to answer then the sea is dry. (Czech Proverb)

The mouth of a woman takes no holiday.
(Native American Creole Proverb)

A man without a woman is a tree without leaves and branches.(Corsican Proverb)

To have a woman is bad; to lose her is worse.
(Danish Proverb)

The man loves with his head, the woman thinks with her heart.(Danish Proverb)

That bench is well adorned that is filled with virtuous women.(Danish Proverb)

Silence is a wonderful jewel for a woman but she seldom wears it.(Danish Proverb)

Kind words and few are a woman's ornament.
(Danish Proverb)

He that looketh on a woman to lust after her, hath committed adultery already with her in his heart.(Dutch Proverb)

Arms, women, and books should be looked at daily.(Dutch Proverb)

All women are good Lutherans -- they would rather preach than hear mass.(Dutch Proverb)

A hundred men can make an encampment,
but it requires a woman to make a home.

(Dutch Proverb)

There is nothing so evil as the mind of a
virtuous woman.(Darkovan Proverb)

If you lie down with a man, you may rise up as
a woman.(Darkovan Proverb)

Call a woman a harlot and you make her one.
(Darkovan Proverb)

All women are alike when the lamp is out.
(Darkovan Proverb)

When a woman is not singing, she is not
working much either.(Egyptian Proverb)

Women who are often at the looking-glass
seldom spin.(Dutch Proverb)

Six hours for a man, seven for a woman, and
eight for a fool.(English Proverb)

Fortune is a woman; if you neglect her to-day,
expect not to regain her to-morrow.
(French Proverb)

Fair, good, rich, and wise, is a woman four
stories high.(French Proverb)

As changeable is the moon so is the opinion of the woman. (French Proverb)

A woman would rather swallow her teeth than her tongue. (French Proverb)

A woman ,who accepts, sells herself; a woman who gives, surrenders. (French Proverb)

A silent woman is a gift from God.
(French Proverb)

A man of straw is worth a woman of gold.
(French Proverb)

A good burgundy does a lot for women, especially when men drink it. (French Proverb)

A glaring sunny morning, a woman that talks Latin, and a child reared on wine, never come to a good end. (French Proverb)

A foolish woman is known by her finery.
(French Proverb)

Woman without man is like a field without seed. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Men fear danger, women only the sight of it.
(Ethiopian Proverb)

A home without a woman is like a barn without cattle. (Ethiopian Proverb)

Weather, wind, women, and fortune change like the moon. (French Proverb)

There never was a looking-glass that told a woman she was ugly. (French Proverb)

The word of a woman is as a little feather on the water. (French Proverb)

The handsomest woman can only give what she has. (French Proverb)

The cart ruins the road, the woman the man, the water the wine. (French Proverb)

The beauty of a woman does not make a man richer. (French Proverb)

Tell a woman once she is beautiful and the devil will repeat it ten times. (French Proverb)

Take a woman's first advice and not her second. (French Proverb)

Never trust a woman who mentions her virtue. (French Proverb)

Man is fire, woman is tow, and the devil comes and blows. (French Proverb)

It is nothing at all, only a woman drowning.
(French Proverb)

If you want to understand men, study women.
(French Proverb)

However treacherous the sea may be, women are still more so. (French Proverb)

He who trusts a woman and leads an ass will never be free from plague. (French Proverb)

Fortune is like women: loves youth and is fickle. (German Proverb)

Every woman would rather be handsome than good. (German Proverb)

Between a woman's "Yes" and "No" there is no room for the point of a needle.
(German Proverb)

April weather, woman's love, rose-leaves, dice, and card-luck, change every moment.
(German Proverb)

A woman, a dog, and a walnut tree, the more you beat them the better they be.
(German Proverb)

A sack full of fleas is easier to watch than a woman. (German Proverb)

If women were really good, God would be married. (Georgian Proverb)

Women, money, and wine have their balm and their harm. (French Proverb)

Women believe the strangest of lies as long as they are wrapped up in praise.
(French Proverb)

Man without woman, is head without body;
woman without man, is body without head.
(German Proverb)

It is easier to guard against a bushel of fleas than a woman. (German Proverb)

Put the light out, and all women are alike.
(German Proverb)

Only believe in the faith of a woman as you would believe in miracles. (German Proverb)

One hair of a woman draws more than a bell-rope. (German Proverb)

Where a woman rules the house, the devil is serving-man. (German Proverb)

Weapons, women, and locks must be guarded at all times. (German Proverb)

Time, wine, women, and fortune, are ever changing. (German Proverb)

Three women, three geese, and three frogs, make a fair. (German Proverb)

If a woman gets rich she changes into a man. (Ghanaian Proverb)

A woman is like a blanket: If you cover yourself with it, it bothers you; if you throw it aside you will feel the cold. (Ghanaian Proverb)

Women prefer to be beautiful rather than good. (German Proverb)

Women are never at a loss for words. (German Proverb)

Women and wine, game and deceit, make the wealth small and the wants great. (German Proverb)

Women and maidens must be praised, whether truly or falsely. (German Proverb)

Women and fishes are best in the middle. (German Proverb)

Woman's beauty, the forest echo, and rainbows, soon pass away. (German Proverb)

Who's the man that was never fooled by a woman. (German Proverb)

Who takes an eel by the tail or a woman by her word, grasp as he will, holds nothing fast. (German Proverb)

Who loves not women, wine, and song, remains a fool his whole life long. (German Proverb)

Wherever there is mischief, there is sure to be a priest and a woman in it. (German Proverb)

Where the devil can't go himself, he sends an old woman. (German Proverb)

A man without a woman is only half a man. (Indian Proverb)

A house without a woman is the devil's own lodging. (Indian Proverb)

If women were not vain, men could teach them how to be. (Hungarian Proverb)

You don't know a man before he takes a woman. (Haitian Proverb)

A man of straw needs a woman of gold. (Italian Proverb)

Women in state affairs are like monkeys in glass-houses. (Irish Proverb)

Women do not drink liquor, but it disappears when they are present. (Irish Proverb)

The three most beautiful sights: a potato garden in bloom, a ship under sail, and a woman after the birth of a child. (Irish Proverb)

It's as hard to see a woman crying as it is to see a barefooted duck. (Irish Proverb)

Without men in the neighborhood all the women are chaste. (Indian Proverb)

When a woman laughs an experienced man will know how much it will cost him. (Indian Proverb)

War is to a man what bed is to a woman. (Indian Proverb)

To give jewels to a donkey is as stupid as giving a eunuch to a woman. (Indian Proverb)

There are three uncertainties: woman, wind, and wealth. (Indian Proverb)

The word of a woman is a bundle of water. (Indian Proverb)

There are three things that refresh the heart and reduce your grief water, flowers, and a beautiful woman. (Indian Proverb)

The spouse of a woman is a man, the spouse of a man is his livelihood. (Indian Proverb)

Happy is the woman whose husband does not speak to her. (Indian Proverb)

He who takes a woman gives away his freedom. (Italian Proverb)

A woman's in pain, a woman's in woe, a woman is ill, when she likes to be so. (Italian Proverb)

Water, smoke, and a vicious woman, drive men out of the house. (Italian Proverb)

The woman who gives is seldom good; the woman who accepts is in the power of the giver. (Italian Proverb)

Six hours sleep for a man, seven for a woman, and eight for a fool. (Italian Proverb)

It is better to irritate a dog than an old woman. (Italian Proverb)

In men every mortal sin is venial, in women every venial sin is mortal. (Italian Proverb)

Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned.

(Italian Proverb)

Men were born with bread in their hands
women were born with empty hands.

(Jewish Proverb)

Lend everyone your ears, give a hand to your
friends but give your lips only to a woman.

(Jewish Proverb)

It is better to talk to a woman and think of
God, than talk to God and think of a woman.

(Jewish Proverb)

Breasts adorn a woman and make a man look
ugly.

(Jewish Proverb)

Be careful not to make a woman weep.

(Jewish Proverb)

An old man in the house is a burden, but an
old woman is a treasure.

(Jewish Proverb)

A man without a woman cannot defend
himself against seductions.

(Jewish Proverb)

Pears and women are the sweetest in the parts
that are heaviest.

(Japanese Proverb)

Men and women are never placed too far apart
to be near.

(Japanese Proverb)

A beautiful woman is like an axe in one's life.
(Japanese Proverb)

Women know a point more than the devil.
(Italian Proverb)

Women and hens are lost by too much
gadding. (Italian Proverb)

Women always speak the truth, but not the
whole truth. (Italian Proverb)

The man is a river, the woman a lake.
(Kurdish Proverb)

If God didn't like beautiful women, he wouldn't
have made them. (Kurdish Proverb)

He who loves a woman is a nephew of the sun.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Better one day a man than ten days a woman.
(Kurdish Proverb)

After dinner a Kuru kills a man or kidnaps a
woman. (Kurdish Proverb)

A woman is a fortress, a man her prisoner.
(Kurdish Proverb)

Woman was born three days earlier than the
devil. (Korean Proverb)

The nicest woman is your own; the nicest harvest is your neighbors. (Korean Proverb)

Women can keep only one secret -- their own. (Jewish Proverb)

When a divorced man marries a divorced woman, there are four people in that marital bed. (Jewish Proverb)

Ugliness is the only guardian angel a woman has. (Jewish Proverb)

There are three things that attract: a house for its inhabitants, a woman for her spouse, and a bargain for a customer. (Jewish Proverb)

Silence is a fine jewel for a woman, but it is little worn. (Jewish Proverb)

Fire, the sea, and woman; these are three ills. (Latin Proverb)

England is the paradise of women, the hell of horses, and the purgatory of servants. (Latin Proverb)

But now I was a rich man, three things have left me bare; dice, wine, and women, these three have made me poor. (Latin Proverb)

A woman is to be from her house three times:
when she is christened, married and buried.
(Latin Proverb)

A woman for a general, and the soldiers will be
women.(Latin Proverb)

A store-house of evil is a woman if she is
depraved.(Latin Proverb)

A silent woman is always more admired than a
noisy one.(Latin Proverb)

It is safer to irritate a dog than an old woman.
(Latin Proverb)

In courtship a man pursues a woman until
she catches him.(Latin Proverb)

A man finds many faults in a woman when he
wants to divorce, and finds many charms in
one's fiancé.(Malagasy Proverb)

A woman is at her strongest when she faints.
(Luxembourg Proverb)

A woman is as old as she wishes to tell you.
(Luxembourg Proverb)

A man's eyes are for seeing, a woman's for
being seen.(Luxembourg Proverb)

Women when injured are generally not easily appeased. (Latin Proverb)

The laughter, the tears, and the song of a woman are equally deceptive. (Latin Proverb)

The fox loves cunning, the wolf covets the lamb, and a woman longs for praise. (Latin Proverb)

Silence is the greatest ornament in a woman. (Latin Proverb)

Expect trust from a dog but not from a woman. (Persian Proverb)

Debts are like women, once you have them you can't get rid of them. (Persian Proverb)

A man's servant can live for a hundred years; the slave of a woman dies in six months. (Persian Proverb)

A coquettish woman is like a shadow -- as you chase her she runs away, and if you run away, she chases after you. (Persian Proverb)

The woman is cold water that kills you; deep water that you drown in. (Nigerian Proverb)

The advice of a woman ends with "Oh, if I had only known!" (Nigerian Proverb)

Now the marriage begins, says the woman who has been beaten with thorns.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is the woman whose child has been eaten by a witch who best knows the evils of witchcraft.

(Nigerian Proverb)

Never marry a woman who has bigger feet than you. (Mozambican Proverb)

The house does not rest upon the ground, but upon a woman. (Mexican Proverb)

The looking glass is the enemy of ugly women. (Romanian Proverb)

Nothing is more changeable than time and a woman. (Romanian Proverb)

A tent without a woman is like a violin with no strings. (Romanian Proverb)

Women are supernumerary when present, and missed when absent. (Portuguese Proverb)

Trust not tow with firebrands, not a woman with men. (Portuguese Proverb)

No woman is ugly if she is well dressed. (Portuguese Proverb)

goose, a woman, and a goat, are bad things
lean.(Portuguese Proverb)

When a woman knows no more how to
answer, she must be dried up.
(Polish Proverb)

The devil can swallow a woman but he can't
digest her.(Polish Proverb)

Love enters a man through his eyes, woman
through her ears.(Polish Proverb)

Women are just like cats -- they always land
on their feet.(Persian Proverb)

A mule and a woman do what is expected of
them.(Spanish Proverb)

A melon and a woman are hard to know.
(Spanish Proverb)

A handsome woman is either silly or vain.
(Spanish Proverb)

He has not married a woman for she is the
equal of a man.(South African Proverb)

Man is the head and woman is the crown
upon it.(Slovak Proverb)

You would do better to sit on a powder keg than on the knee of a woman.

(Russian Proverb)

The man is the flame, the woman the glow.

(Russian Proverb)

After all, every man is the son of a woman.

(Russian Proverb)

A wise man sees only water in the tears of a woman.

(Russian Proverb)

Keeping a woman to her word is like trying to hold an eel by its tail.

(Spanish Proverb)

Italians talk to women, Frenchmen to the learned, and the Spaniard talks to God.

(Spanish Proverb)

Confide in a woman and a magpie if you want something to be broadcast.

(Spanish Proverb)

Beware of a bad woman, and put no trust in a good one.

(Spanish Proverb)

Between the "yes" and "no" of a woman you can't place a pin.

(Spanish Proverb)

A young woman is to an old man the horse that he rides to hell.

(Spanish Proverb)

To a woman and a magpie tell your secrets in the marketplace. (Spanish Proverb)

They took away the mirror from me because I was ugly, and gave it to the blind woman. (Spanish Proverb)

There is little use in watching a bad woman. (Spanish Proverb)

The only chaste woman is the one who has not been asked. (Spanish Proverb)

The oaths of one who loves a woman are not to be believed. (Spanish Proverb)

The nightingale will run out of songs before a woman runs out of conversation. (Spanish Proverb)

The more a woman admires her face, the more she ruins her house. (Spanish Proverb)

The fox knows a lot, but a woman in love knows even more. (Spanish Proverb)

The fear of women is the basis of good health. (Spanish Proverb)

A woman may suffer in many ways but never in silence. (Traditional Proverb)

A woman is like a horse He who can drive her is her master.(Traditional Proverb)

A woman can hide her love for 40 years, but her disgust and anger not for one day.
(Traditional Proverb)

A book, a woman and money given to others never come back. Or if they do, they come back polluted and torn.(Traditional Proverb)

The heart of a woman is as capricious as a drop of water on a lotus leaf.(Thai Proverb)

A woman is the last judgment of the man.
(Swedish Proverb)

Women, melons, and cheese are bought by the weight.(Spanish Proverb)

Women and wine rid a man of his common sense.(Spanish Proverb)

Women and melons are at their best when they are really ripe.(Spanish Proverb)

Women and calendars are good only for a year.(Spanish Proverb)

Paradise can be found on the back of horses, in books and between the breasts of women.
(Traditional Proverb)

Money is best when acquired by one's own hands. It is not so good when inherited. It is bad when it is a brother's. It is worst when it is a woman's. (Traditional Proverb)

When a woman is openly bad she is then at her best. (Traditional Proverb)

Six men give a doctor less to do than one woman. (Traditional Proverb)

A woman has advice only for another woman. (Turkish Proverb)

The anger of a woman is mighty and the devil's trickery weak. (Tunisian Proverb)

If there is any profit in partnership, two will share a woman. (Tunisian Proverb)

Women workers in old watch factories got poisoning by licking brushes used for applying radium compound to watch faces. (Traditional Proverb)

Women must have their wills while they live, because they make none when they die. (Traditional Proverb)

A ship and a woman are ever repairing. (Welsh Proverb)

Women are like raindrops: some fall on palaces, others on rice fields.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The boat follows the helm, the woman follows her husband.

(Vietnamese Proverb)

The word "enough" does not exist for water, fire, and women.

(Ukranian Proverb)

If you marry a young woman, make sure your friends stay outside.

(Ukranian Proverb)

If the devil is powerless, send him a woman.

(Ukranian Proverb)

A woman is not a harmonica that you put aside when you have used it.

(Ukranian Proverb)

If a woman sees a stick for beating her rival, she will throw it away in the woods.

(Ugandan Proverb)

With wealth one wins a woman.

(Ugandan Proverb)

A woman is attractive when she is somebody else's wife.

(Zimbabwean Proverb)

Three women make a market.

(Traditional Proverb)

Women, wind, and fortune, soon change.
(Spanish Proverb)

Sickly women live longer. (Spanish Proverb)

The man deliberates, the woman decides.
(Spanish Proverb)

What a woman wills God wills.
(Spanish Proverb)

An ailing woman lives forever.
(Spanish Proverb)

Man, woman, and love created fire.
(Spanish Proverb)

No mirror ever reflected an ugly woman.
(Spanish Proverb)

Woman, wind, and luck soon change.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Women and glasses are always in danger.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Women are always better the following year.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Women have long skirts and short minds.
(Romanian Proverb)

Modesty is the beauty of women.

(Scottish Proverb)

Trust not a woman, even when dead.

(Latin Proverb)

Women's jars breed men's wars.

(Latin Proverb)

Truth is what women do not tell.

(Luxembourgan Proverb)

Man and woman, fire and chaff.

(Latin Proverb)

An old woman would dance!

(Latin Proverb)

Away with grieving, only fit for women.

(Latin Proverb)

Women's quarrels cause the men's wars.

(Japanese Proverb)

All women are heirs to Mother Eve.

(Jewish Proverb)

Silence is a woman's best garment.

(Jewish Proverb)

Only believe a woman one day later.

(Kenyan Proverb)

Many women, many words.

(Kurdish Proverb)

Woman decides impromptu; man, on reflection.

(Italian Proverb)

Women naturally deceive, weep and spin.

(Italian Proverb)

Women, asses, and nuts, require strong hands.

(Italian Proverb)

Women, priests, and poultry, never have enough.

(Italian Proverb)

Women's tears are a fountain of craft.

(Italian Proverb)

Words are for women, actions for men.

(Italian Proverb)

Beautiful woman, beautiful trouble.

(Jamaican Proverb)

A woman has many mouths.

(Japanese Proverb)

All married women are not wives.

(Japanese Proverb)

Watching women is labor in vain.

(German Proverb)

Women are as fickle as April weather.

(German Proverb)

Women are as wavering as the wind.

(German Proverb)

Women are necessary evils.

(German Proverb)

Women are watches that keep bad time.

(German Proverb)

Women only keep quiet about their age.

(German Proverb)

Women, fortune, and gold, favor fools.

(German Proverb)

Women are as changeable as the sea.

(Greek Proverb)

Priests and women never forget.

(German Proverb)

Priests even smile pleasantly on young women. (German Proverb)

Prudent men woo thrifty women.

(German Proverb)

Where the woman goes the devil follows.

(French Proverb)

With money you can comfort any woman.

(French Proverb)

All good women are in the graveyard.

(French Proverb)

Women are like wasps in their anger.

(English Proverb)

Women and fools never forgive. (Chinese)

Women never praise without gossiping.

(Chinese Proverb)

All women may be won. (Danish Proverb)

An ill-tempered woman is the devil's door-nail.

(Danish Proverb)

Lovely women, lovely quarrels.

(American Proverb)

Even the one-eyed man winks to women.

(Arab Proverb)

Obedience to a woman leads to hell.

(Arab Proverb)

WORLD:

The heaviest thing in the world is an empty pocket. (Yiddish Proverb)

In the world of books, the mind-set of the reader is of great importance. (Zimbabwean)

To change the the world we must first change ourselves. (Tibetan Proverb)

When you die, you rejoice, and the world cries. (Tibetan Proverb)

In the world there is more madness than sanity. (Togolese Proverb)

If the world is flooded, it will be easy for the duck. (Turkish Proverb)

He who has not traveled thinks that his mother is the best cook in the world. (Ugandan Proverb)

In the entire world, things are two and two. (Ugandan Proverb)

The world is wide to everyone. (Welsh Proverb)

If everyone were allowed to take from the world all her heart desired, there would be nothing left for anyone else. (Yiddish Proverb)

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All the world's Great Journeys begin with the first step. (Tibetan Proverb)

It is easier to put leather on the soles of one's feet than cover the world with leather. (Tibetan Proverb)

The justice of God is better than the justice of the world. (Sicilian Proverb)

The world is a wheel, there are some at the top and some who go to the bottom. (Sicilian)

The young cock said to the young chicken: the whole world is like our home. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you don't have what it takes you won't get on in the world. (Spanish Proverb)

It's a Small world. (Spanish Proverb)

It's not the end of the world. Worse things happened at sea. (Spanish Proverb)

If you're not a King don't make new laws; leave the world the way you find it. (Sicilian)

June rains consume the world.

(Sicilian Proverb)

No man is born into the world, whose work is not born with him. (Romanian Proverb)

The world is a ladder for some to go up and some down. (Romanian Proverb)

A liar can go round the world but cannot come back. (Russian Proverb)

Crows are black the world over.

(Russian Proverb)

Lenin's truth makes great strides all around the world. (Russian Proverb)

Thread off the world ? shirt for naked.

(Russian Proverb)

If you had all the wit in the world fools would fell you. (Romanian Proverb)

At a time a cockerel matures, it begins to crow to tell the world the time of day.

(Nigerian Proverb)

However much the world degenerates, man shall never find worms in salt.

(Nigerian Proverb)

It is a pot of water that is already half full that the world would like to help in filling to the brim. (Nigerian Proverb)

Mother's soup is always the best in the world. (Nigerian Proverb)

Our elders quote the cock as saying that "it would not be good if one becomes the only person in the world, and that is why they crow every morning to show their number". (Nigerian Proverb)

When a dying man cries, it is not because of where he is going which he knows nothing about, but because of what he wishes he would have done in the world he is leaving behind. (Nigerian Proverb)

Without retaliation, evils would one day become extinct from the world. (Nigerian Proverb)

Be as hard as the world requires you to be, and as soft as the world allows you to be. (Okinawian Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life so that when you die, the world cries and you rejoice. (Native American Cherokee Proverb)

The one who tells the stories rules the world.
(Native American Hopi Proverb)

Knowledge is rooted in all things--the world is a library.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

The power of the world always works in circles.(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Ask me what is the greatest thing in the world, I will reply: It is people, it is people, it is people.(Maori Proverb)

Like the migrating Maruiwi, who all disappeared into the world of spirits Dead like the moa.(Maori Proverb)

In the world there are more insane than sane.
(Maltese Proverb)

The world is a wheel and men are the fellows, and the devil prowling around spins.
(Maltese Proverb)

Treat the world well. It was not given to you by your parents. It was willed to you by your children.(Kenyan Proverb)

A person who never travels, believes his mother's cooking is the best in the world.
(Kiganda Proverb)

Even if you hide yourself from the world, don't lose sight of your real nature.

(Japanese Proverb)

If you have only two pennies left in the world, with the first penny, you should buy rice to feed your family. With the second penny, say the wise Japanese, you should buy a lily. The Japanese understand the importance of dreaming...(Japanese Proverb)

Let's live helping each other in this world.

(Japanese Proverb)

The world is the world for the world.

(Japanese Proverb)

Hope is the pillar of the world.(Kanuri)

In a world of blind people, a one-eyed man is king.(Italian Proverb)

To the person with little shame, the whole world is his.(Italian Proverb)

Who can do, don't want to; Who wants to, can't do; Who knows how to do, won't do it; Who does it, doesn't know how to; and, so, badly goes the world.(Italian Proverb)

Yes and no rule the world.(Italian Proverb)

There is nothing in the world so poor as going to hell. (Irish Proverb)

What's all the world to a man when his wife is a widow. (Irish Proverb)

A person who uses the world as his carrying pad will find himself carrying his load on his bare head. (Igbo Proverb)

The world is like a goat's udder. It does not yile any milk, unless you punch and squeeze at it. (Igbo Proverb)

As day breaks, the glowworms say As day breaks, the glowworms say "We've lit up the world!" (Indian Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life in such a manner that when you die, the world cries and you rejoice. (Indian Proverb)

Nothing is perfect in this world. (Indonesian Proverb)

The opposite of It's A Small World. (Indonesian Proverb)

The night hides a world, but reveals a universe. (Iranian Proverb)

There is not only one pied dog in the world.
(Hungarian Proverb)

There are all kinds of people in the world:
asses and mules, dogs and hogs, and also
worms.(Hebrew Proverb)

There is one moral duty that moralists
underrate almost criminally - the duty to enjoy
god's world.(Hebrew Proverb)

Three things have a flavor of the world to
come: sabbath, the sun, and married love.
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Through faith man experiences the meaning of
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The world is sustained by three things: justice,
truth and peace.(Hebrew Proverb)

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Whoever welcomes his friend with a smile, it's as though he gave his friend the finest gifts in the world.(Hebrew Proverb)

Once out of the throat it spreads over the world.(Hindustani Proverb)

Our caravan is our family, and the world is our family.(Gypsy Proverb)

The world is a ladder, in which some go up and others go down.(Gypsy Proverb)

A stupidly devout man, the slyly evil, and the sanctimonious woman - these will destroy the world.(Hebrew Proverb)

A lie travels round the world while truth is putting her boots on.(French Proverb)

One half the world knows not how the other half lives.(French Proverb)

One half the world laughs at the other.

(French Proverb)

The world can be conquered with words, but not withdrawn swords. (Georgian Proverb)

Our caravan is our family, and the world is our family. (Gypsy Proverb)

Smile, and the world smiles with you. Cry, and you cry alone. (English Proverb)

Unprofitable is a fever of the world. (English)

When money speaks the world is silent.

(English Proverb)

Where every man is master the world goes to wreck. (English Proverb)

With great learning, a horse, and money, you may travel the world. (English Proverb)

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Where every man is master the world goes to wreck. (English Proverb)

With great learning, a horse, and money, you may travel the world. (English Proverb)

Money makes the world go around.

(English Proverb)

Half the world does not know how the other half lives. (English Proverb)

A lie can be halfway around the world before the truth gets its boots on. (English Proverb)

The world is like a ladder: some go up and some go down. (Corsican Proverb)

You have to come into the world in order to enjoy the world. (Corsican Proverb)

A woman's honor consists in the good opinion the world has of her. (Cuban Proverb)

Every head is a world. (Cuban Proverb)

The way of this world is to praise dead saints and persecute living ones.

(Dominican Proverb)

A cheeky person owns half the world.

(Dutch Proverb)

Before preparing to improve the world, first look around your own home three times.

(Chinese Proverb)

Before you plan to improve the world, look around your own house three times.

(Chinese Proverb)

No banquet in the world that never ends.

(Chinese Proverb)

The world is our house. (Chinese Proverb)

When there is order in the nation, there will be peace in the world. (Chinese Proverb)

When you have only two dollars left in the world, buy a loaf of bread with one, and a rose with the other. (Chinese Proverb)

The best place in the world is on the back of a horse, and the best thing to do in time is to read a book. (Arabic Proverb)

Truth may walk through the world unarmed. (Bedouin Proverb)

The world is a journey, the afterworld is home. (Beninese Proverb)

The happiest place in the world to live is within one's income. (Albanian Proverb)

Religion is the best armor in the world, but the worst cloak. (Albanian Proverb)

One half the troubles in this world can be traced to saying 'yes' too quick or saying 'no' not soon enough. (Albanian Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. (Albanian Proverb)

There are many echoes in the world, but few voices. (Albanian Proverb)

In this world, nothing is permanent except change. (Albanian Proverb)

Human nature is the same all the world over. (Albanian Proverb)

Home is the father's kingdom, the children's paradise, the mother's world. (Albanian)

Blind chance sweeps the world along. (Albanian Proverb)

The world is story. (African Proverb)

The world has changed dramatically. (African Proverb)

The world does not make promises to anybody. (African Proverb)

The world about us. (African Proverb)

A feather is just a delicate thing when removed from a bird because it carries the bird everywhere in the world. (African Proverb)

It is better to be kind to our neighbors than to cross the world to offer incense to our ancestors. (African Proverb)

In all the world, things are two and two. (African Proverb)

A lie can travel half way around the world while the truth is still putting on its shoes. (African Proverb)

As long as the beard exists, the world clenches its fists. (Afghan Proverb)

The world will not find rest by just saying The world will not find rest by just saying "peace." (Afghan Proverb)

The world will not find rest by just saying The world will not find rest by just saying "peace." (Afghan Proverb)

The world lives on hope. (Afghan Proverb)

Whatever accomplishment you boast of in the world, there is someone better than you. (African Proverb)

There are three things that a man must know to survive in this world: what is too much for him, what is too little, and what is just right.
(African Proverb)

There are three friends in this world: courage, sense, and insight.(African Proverb)

Live patiently in the world; know that those who hate you are more numerous than those who love you.(African Proverb)

What you see in yourself is what you see in the world.(Afghan Proverb)

No matter how much the world changes, cats will never lay eggs.(Bambara Proverb)

The world is a pot, man but a spoon in it.
(Armenian Proverb)

If a rich man dies, all the world is moved; if a poor man dies, nobody knows it.
(Armenian Proverb)

The world is like carrion; those who love and eat from it are dogs.(Arab Proverb)

The nail supports the hoof, the hoof the horse, the horse the man, the man the world.
(Arab Proverb)

The awakening of a giant shakes the world.
(Arab Proverb)

Look and keep silent, and if you are eating meat, tell the world it's fish.(Arab Proverb)

When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. Live your life in a manner so that when you die the world cries and you rejoice.
(American Proverb)

The cemeteries are filled with people who thought the world couldn't get along without them.(American Proverb)

God is not without sins: He created the world.
(Bulgarian Proverb)

Two things rule the world -- reward and punishment.(Bosnian Proverb)

Before you prepare to improve the world, look around your own house three times.
(Chinese Proverb)

A man should choose a friend who is better than himself. There are plenty of acquaintances in the world; but very few real friends.(Chinese Proverb)

If you can command yourself, you can command the world.(Chinese Proverb)

If there is beauty in character, there will be harmony in the home. If there is harmony in the home, there will be order in the nation. If there is order in the nation, there will be peace in the world. (Chinese Proverb)

Govern yourself and you can govern the world. (Chinese Proverb)

The heart is but the beach beside the sea that is the world. (Chinese Proverb)

Of all meat in the world drink goes down the best. (Chinese Proverb)

Killing a man to save the world, does not save the world. (Chinese Proverb)

If you want to go up in the world, veil ambition with the forms of humanity. (Chinese Proverb)

The world is our house. Keep it clean. (Chinese Proverb)

When you have only two pennies left in the world, buy a loaf of bread with one, and a lily with the other. (Chinese Proverb)

When people only talk about things they understand then a great silence will descend upon the world. (Chinese Proverb)

Better the world should know you as a sinner
than God know you as a hypocrite.

(Danish Proverb)

A customary railer is the devil's bagpipe,
which the world danceth after.

(Danish Proverb)

Our parents taught us to speak and the world
taught us to be silent. (Czech Proverb)

If there were no sighing in the world, the world
would stifle. (Native American Creole Proverb)

If envy were a fever, all the world would be ill.

(Danish Proverb)

If he waits long enough the world will be his
own. (Dutch Proverb)

I wot well how the world wags, He is most
loved that hath most bags. (Dutch Proverb)

He that well considers the world, must own he
has never seen a better. (Dutch Proverb)

Nothing in this world is certain but death and
next winter's snows. (Darkovan Proverb)

No man can make another's destiny and all
the wishing in the world will not make it so.

(Darkovan Proverb)

Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep,
and you weep alone. (English Proverb)

A man's first care should be to avoid the
reproaches of his own heart, his next to
escape the censures of the world.
(English Proverb)

Love and let the world know, hate in silence.
(Egyptian Proverb)

Better be mad with all the world than wise
alone. (French Proverb)

All is luck or ill luck in this world.
(French Proverb)

The world is a good teacher, but it charges a
huge fee. (Finnish Proverb)

The world is a barrel, for all to draw from.
(French Proverb)

The gown is hers that wears it; and the world
is his who enjoys it. (French Proverb)

Six things have no business in the world: a
fighting priest, a coward knight, a covetous
judge, a stinking barber, a soft-hearted
mother, and an itchy baker. (French Proverb)

Nobility is nothing but ancient riches, and money is the world's idol.(French Proverb)

He that has lost his credit is dead to the world.
(German Proverb)

One half the world laughs at the other half.
(German Proverb)

One half of the world does not know how the other half lives.(German Proverb)

O foolish world, why are you scratching around in the dark?(German Proverb)

There are only two good women in the world; the one is dead, the other not to be found.
(German Proverb)

The world could have been great if only people had been more useful.(German Proverb)

Take the world as it is, not as it ought to be.
(German Proverb)

So it goes in the world: one has the purse, the other has the gold.(German Proverb)

When money is talking, the rest of the world shuts up.(German Proverb)

Were I a hatter, men would come into the world without heads. (German Proverb)

As day breaks, the glowworms say "We've lit up the world!" (Indian Proverb)

The rest of the world does not know what newlyweds know. (Greek Proverb)

What is the world to a man when his wife is a widow. (Irish Proverb)

The world would not make a racehorse of a donkey. (Irish Proverb)

If you come up in this world, be sure not to go down in the next. (Irish Proverb)

Who is the happiest person in the world? An unfaithful husband. (Indian Proverb)

Who is blind? He who can see no other world. Who is dumb? He who can say nothing pleasant about his lot. Who is poor? He who is troubled with too many desires. Who is rich? He who is happy with his lot. (Indian Proverb)

To the world wisdom is folly; to the wise the world is foolish. (Indian Proverb)

Only two things matter in this world: a son and a daughter. (Indian Proverb)

He that will not strive in this world should not have come into it. (Italian Proverb)

He is the world's master who despises it, its slave who prizes it. (Italian Proverb)

Of the wealth of the world each has as much as they take. (Italian Proverb)

Wealth conquered Rome after Rome had conquered the world. (Italian Proverb)

To go safely through the world you must have the eye of a falcon, the ear of an ass, the face of an ape, the mouth of a pig, the shoulders of a camel, and the legs of a deer.
(Italian Proverb)

To become rich in this world, it needs only to turn one's back on God. (Italian Proverb)

The world is like a staircase; some go up, others go down. (Italian Proverb)

The world is for him who has patience.
(Italian Proverb)

One with the courage to laugh is master of the world almost as much as the one who is ready to die. (Italian Proverb)

If charity cost nothing and benevolence caused no heartache, the world would be full of philanthropists. (Jewish Proverb)

If all pulled in one direction, the world would keel over. (Jewish Proverb)

God created a world full of little worlds. (Jewish Proverb)

Each child brings his own blessing into the world. (Jewish Proverb)

A man too good for the world is no good for his wife. (Jewish Proverb)

One can stand still in a flowing stream, but not in a world of men. (Japanese Proverb)

He who is always right will never get round the world. (Japanese Proverb)

Who hath little shame the world is all his own. (Italian Proverb)

Who has no shame all the world is his own. (Italian Proverb)

Who has a tongue in his head can go all the world over. (Italian Proverb)

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It is more difficult to contend with oneself than with the world. (Kurdish Proverb)

Two burdens: to Moses water, to God the world. (Jewish Proverb)

To save one man is like saving the world. (Jewish Proverb)

The world is in the hands of fools. (Jewish Proverb)

The world is a tavern and the way hereafter is our home. (Jewish Proverb)

The heart is small and embraces the whole wide world. (Jewish Proverb)

One of life's greatest mysteries is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry your daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world. (Jewish Proverb)

My conscience is more to me than what the world says. (Latin Proverb)

Morn with her rosy locks dispels the shades of night, and the sun puts to flight the stars, lighting up the world. (Latin Proverb)

To the patient man will come all the riches of the world. (Liberian Proverb)

The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world. (Latin Proverb)

You only hear three voices in this world: the babbling of the stream, Jewish law, and money. (Palestinian Proverb)

Poor thanks is the way of the world. (Norwegian Proverb)

Not to know the good we have Till time has stolen the cherish'd gift away, Is cause of half the misery that we feel, And makes the world the wilderness it is. (Nigerian Proverb)

It takes all sorts to make a world. (Nigerian)

The world is nonsense: what looks beautiful in the morning looks ugly in the evening. (Maltese Proverb)

The world is a wheel and men are the felloes, and the devil prowling around spins. (Maltese Proverb)

Enjoy yourself, for there is nothing in the world we can call our own. (Maltese Proverb)

When I am dead the world can be an ocean or a dried up ditch. (Persian Proverb)

The world is a rose; smell it and pass it on to your friends. (Persian Proverb)

Better be out of the world than out of the fashion. (Portuguese Proverb)

All the world will beat the man whom fortune buffets. (Portuguese Proverb)

The world is a big place but there is so little room in it. (Polish Proverb)

The liar will travel the world over, but chooses not to go back home. (Polish Proverb)

When I am dead the world can be an ocean or a dried up ditch. (Persian Proverb)

With lies you may go ahead in the world, but you can never go back. (Russian Proverb)

For him who does not believe in signs, there is no way to live in the world. (Russian Proverb)

He who has a trade may travel through the world. (Spanish Proverb)

All things of this world are nothing, unless they have reference to the next.
(Spanish Proverb)

War with all the world, and peace with England. (Spanish Proverb)

The world is a round gulf, and he who cannot swim must go to the bottom. (Spanish Proverb)

The thorn comes into the world point foremost. (Spanish Proverb)

The official who can't lie may as well be out of the world. (Spanish Proverb)

There are three things which if one does not know, one cannot live long in the world: what is too much for one, what is too little for one, and what is just right for one.
(Swahili Proverb)

A tune is more lasting than the song of the birds, and a word more lasting than the wealth of the world. (Traditional Proverb)

In the world all things are two and two.
(Tanzanian Proverb)

The tongue is the worst piece of meat in the world. (Swiss Proverb)

If there is light in the soul, there will be beauty in the person If there is beauty in the person, there will be harmony in the house If there is harmony in the house, there will be order in the nation If there is order in the nation, there will be Peace in the World.

(Traditional Proverb)

How wonderful, O Lord, are the works of your hands, the sun and the stars, the valleys and the hills, the rivers and lakes all disclose your presence. The beasts of the field, the birds of the air bespeak your wondrous will. In your goodness you have made us able to hear the music of the world, a divine voice sings through all creations. (Traditional Proverb)

For stern as death is love, relentless as the nether world is devotion its flames are a blazing fire. Deep waters cannot quench love, nor floods sweep it away.

(Traditional Proverb)

Everyone finds himself in the world where he belongs. The essential thing is to have a fixed point from which to check its reality now and then. (Traditional Proverb)

Before the world finds a place for you, find a place for yourself in the world.

(Traditional Proverb)

May you live a thousand years, and I, a thousand less one day that I might never know the world without you.

(Traditional Proverb)

Make yourself a good man, then you can be certain there is at least one less skunk in the world. (Traditional Proverb)

Let him not destroy, or cause to be destroyed, any life at all, nor sanction the acts of those who do so. Let him refrain from even hurting any creature, both those that are strong and those that tremble in the world.

(Traditional Proverb)

Laugh alone and the world thinks you're an idiot. (Traditional Proverb)

Know the world in yourself. Never look for yourself in the world, for this would be to project your illusion. (Traditional Proverb)

Routine and prejudice distort vision. Each man thinks his own horizon is the limit of the world. (Traditional Proverb)

One lives in the world's memory only by what they have done in the world's behalf.

(Traditional Proverb)

No two people share exactly the same universe. Every universe creates its own world.(Traditional Proverb)

This world is not so bad a world as some folks try to make it. But whether good or bad depends on how you take it.

(Traditional Proverb)

There's only one pretty child in the world, and every mother has it.(Traditional Proverb)

The whole world is a dream, and death the interpreter(Traditional Proverb)

The world is like that: one gives a melon, the other gets the stomach cramps.

(Turkish Proverb)

If you weep for all the sorrows in this world, in the end you will have no eyes.(Turkish)

You don't really see the world if you only look through your own window.(Ukranian Proverb)

This world is a harsh place, this world.
(Zulu Proverb)

It's a dog eat dog world. (Traditional Proverb)

The pillar of the world is hope.
(Nigerian Proverb)

All the world loves a lover.
(Portuguese Proverb)

The real world is a special case. (Latin Proverb)

Nobody leaves this world alive. (Mexican)

The world is governed with little brains.
(Italian Proverb)

"Yes" and "no" govern the world.
(Italian Proverb)

Whom fortune favours, the world favours.
(German Proverb)

Faith keeps the world going. (Indian Proverb)

I being satisfied, the world is satisfied.
(Italian Proverb)

Ingratitude is the world's reward.
(German Proverb)

The sun shines for all the world.
(French Proverb)

Money rules the world.(Dutch Proverb)

Love makes the world go round.
(Dutch Proverb)

Money rules the world.(Dutch Proverb)

Lies and Latin go round the world.
(Danish Proverb)

The world is the traveler's inn.
(Afghan Proverb)

WORRY:

Worry gives a small thing a big shadow.
(Swedish Proverb)

If you forget your worries, the storm will blow over.(Moroccan Proverb)

Beggars have no worries.(Kikuyu Proverb)

Worries go down better with soup.
(Israeli Proverb)

The horse should worry, he has a big head.
(Hungarian Proverb)

Why worry? If you worry - you die. If you don't worry - you'll still die. So why worry?

(English Proverb)

Worry is like a rocking chair it swings you back and forth and it takes you nowhere.

(African Proverb)

It is not work that kills, but worry.

(African Proverb)

Living in worry invites death in a hurry.

(American Proverb)

When we have nothing to worry about we are not doing much, and not doing much may supply us with plenty of future worries.

(Chinese Proverb)

Worries go down better with soup than without.

(Jewish Proverb)

Worry often gives a small thing a big shadow.

(Swedish Proverb)

With much wealth comes many worries.

(Traditional Proverb)

If there be no remedy, why worry?

(Spanish)

People worry, and God smiles.

(Jewish)

Worries go better with soup than without.
(Jewish Proverb)

A pretty basket does not prevent worries.
(Congolese Proverb)

WORSHIP:

Worship the gods of where you live.
(Russian Proverb)

The world rests on three things: the bible, religious worship, and deeds of loving kindness. (Hebrew Proverb)

Wealth makes worship. (Latin Proverb)

More cost, more worship. (Latin Proverb)

Hospitality is one form of worship.
(Jewish Proverb)

Much worship, much cost. (French Proverb)

WRITING:

Writing is the mother of eloquence and the father of artists. (Syrian Proverb)

Men die, but writing remains.
(Corsican Proverb)

Inscribe science in writing. (Arabic Proverb)

Writing will be your companion through the darkest and brightest days of your life if that is what you want. It exposes pain and guilt and the greatest joy. It is your own assessment of who you are. You should write as much as you can and as much as you want to. It will be something to turn to.
(Traditional Proverb)

Y CATEGORY

YOUTH:

Better than the young man's knowledge is the old man's experience. (Tibetan Proverb)

The old man has his death before his eyes; the young man behind his back.
(Traditional Proverb)

Young people talk of what they are doing; old people of what they have done; and fools of what they have a mind to do.

(Traditional Proverb)

The value of youth will be known in old age.

(Turkish Proverb)

Even though it is black, the raven loves its young.

(Tywa Proverb)

Old feel the blows suffered when young.

(Welsh Proverb)

The old know and the young suspect."

(Welsh Proverb)

The young cock said to the young chicken: the whole world is like our home.

(Sicilian Proverb)

When the old man falls, don't laugh, the young have also fallen.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who fails to show restraint in their youth, will be miserable in their old age.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who lives foolishly as a youth, wails in old age.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Who spares himself while young, will work until he's old.

(Sicilian Proverb)

Youth spent freely, old age spent in poverty.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Do you want to see a wolf with young? Marry your daughter. (Spanish Proverb)

He who runs in his youth, trots in his old age.
(Spanish Proverb)

Lear young, lear fair. (Scottish Proverb)

Youth and age will never agree.
(Scottish Proverb)

A good kid goat comes from a young goat and a good lamb from a strong sheep.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Acquire virtue while you're young.
(Sicilian Proverb)

Get your ox from a young cow and your horse from an old mare. (Sicilian Proverb)

If the young had the motivation and the old had the strength, there'd be nothing that couldn't be accomplished. (Sicilian Proverb)

If you marry you'll suffer in your youth, if you don't marry you'll suffer in your old age.
(Sicilian Proverb)

If you want a faithful dog start rearing him when he is young. (Sicilian Proverb)

Love is the rock of youth and the shoal of old age. (Sicilian Proverb)

The arm of the young and the head of the old. (Sicilian Proverb)

The fourth fever kills the old and cures the young. (Sicilian Proverb)

What youth is used to, age remembers. (Romanian Proverb)

Youth will have its course. (Romanian Proverb)

Guard your honor from your youth, and your weapons once you've got them in hand. (Russian Proverb)

Take care of clothes since they are new, take care of your honor since you are young. (Russian Proverb)

Take care of your dress from when it's new and your honor from your youth. (Russian Proverb)

As the old Cock craws, the young Cock leers. (Scottish Proverb)

Youth is intoxication without wine; old age,
wine without intoxication. (Peruvian Proverb)

What a young absorbs, the old loses.
(Polish Proverb)

An idle youth, a needy age. (Romanian Proverb)

If the young man would and the old man
could, there would be nothing undone.
(Romanian Proverb)

If you lay upon roses when young, you'll lie
upon thorns when old. (Romanian Proverb)

If you wish to die young, make your physician
your heir. (Romanian Proverb)

If you would not live to be old, you must be
hanged when you are young.
(Romanian Proverb)

Cherish youth, but trust old age.
(Native American Pueblo Proverb)

Guard your tongue in youth, and in age you
may mature a thought that will be of service to
your people. (Native American Sioux Proverb)

When young, it's all dreams; when old, all
memories. (Mexican Proverb)

Youth is a folly; maturity, a struggle; old age a remorse. (Mexican Proverb)

Do not speak of evil for it creates curiosity in the hearts of the young.
(Native American Lakota Proverb)

Better an old but wise man than a young but foolish man. (Maltese Proverb)

See a sheaf of corn in the morning and a young woman in the evening. (Maltese Proverb)

Alone a youth runs fast, with an elder slow, but together they go far. (Luo Proverb)

It is better to be poor and live long than to be rich and die young. (Maasai Proverb)

Fools die young. (Klingon Proverb)

While young, the tree can be easily bent.
(Japanese Proverb)

Bend the tree while it is young.
(Italian Proverb)

If the young man knew, if the old man could, there is nothing but would be done.
(Italian Proverb)

Death is in front of the old person and at the back of the young person. (Irish Proverb)

Praise the young and they will make progress. (Irish Proverb)

Praise the youth and they will come. (Irish Proverb)

The young shed many skins. (Irish Proverb)

While young, it's all dreams; when old, all memories. (Irish Proverb)

You can't put a wide head on young shoulders. (Irish Proverb)

Youth likes to wander. (Irish Proverb)

Youth sheds many a skin. The steed does not retain its speed forever. (Irish Proverb)

Youth will have its fling. (Irish Proverb)

What an elder sees sitting; the young can't see standing. (Ibo Proverb)

If a young man is not prudent in seeking what killed his father, what killed his father may also kill him. (Igbo Proverb)

I was young, now I'm old, and i did not see a righteous man forsaken and his children begging for bread.(Hebrew Proverb)

Young men forgive, old men never.
(French Proverb)

If the young palm tree wants to stay alive, it grows next to the odum tree.
(Ghanaian Proverb)

An eagle's old age is worth a sparrow's youth.
(Greek Proverb)

They who would be young when they are old must be old when they are young.
(English Proverb)

Young folk may dee, auld folk maun dee.
(English Proverb)

Youth never casts for peril.(English Proverb)

Youth will be served.(English Proverb)

Who is a piece of stick in youth will be a block of wood in old age.(Estonian Proverb)

Who is quick in youth will be diligent in old age.(Estonian Proverb)

Old be, or young die.(English Proverb)

Hang a thief when he's young, and he'll no' steal when he's old.(English Proverb)

You will use in the old what you have learned young.(Czech Proverb)

As the old ones sing, the young ones twitter.
(Danish Proverb)

Young pigs grunt as old pigs grunted before them.(Danish Proverb)

If you lie upon roses when young, you will lie upon thorns when old.(Darkovan Proverb)

Learned young is done old.(Dutch Proverb)

Old cows like young grass.(Burmese Proverb)

youth and void and edginess ruin men.
(Arabic Proverb)

Young suga-cane gives no beer.(Bajan Proverb)

Young man, countries practice witchcraft on one another.(Bantu Proverb)

The mysterious road beckons the young man.
(Angolan Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?"

(Arabic Proverb)

Don't send an old man to buy a donkey, nor a young man to woo a wife.

(Arabic Proverb)

Youth is a blunder, manhood a struggle, old age a regret.

(Albanian Proverb)

Young courage and old caution are a strong pair.

(Albanian Proverb)

It is easy to fool the young wolf.

(Albanian Proverb)

In spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to what the woman has been thinking all winter.

(Albanian Proverb)

Better an old man's darling than a young man's slave.

(Albanian Proverb)

Where the young know, is where they believe it's raining.

(African Proverb)

What the elders see while sitting the young ones standing on their toes won't see.

(African Proverb)

It's the young trees that make up the forest.
(African Proverb)

Age lasts; youth devours.(Albanian Proverb)

It's the big birds that teach the young ones to flight.(African Proverb)

Every old man was once a young man but not every young man will become an old man.
(African Proverb)

An elder uses old eyes to see and so the young use young eyes.(African Proverb)

An animal that gives birth to a young one in the desert must suckle it in the desert.
(African Proverb)

In childhood you are playful, In youth you are lustful, In old age you are feeble, So when will you before God be worshipful?(Afghan Proverb)

When you get older you keep warm with the wood you gathered as a youth.
(Bambara Proverb)

Choose a friend with the eyes of an old man, and a horse with the eyes of a young one.
(Armenian Proverb)

Youth is a kind of illness cured only by the passing years. (Arab Proverb)

What is learned in youth is carved in stone. (Arab Proverb)

I came to the place of my birth and cried, "The friends of my youth, where are they?" And echo answered, "Where are they?" (Arab Proverb)

If a young woman says no to marriage just wait until her breasts sag. (Burundian Proverb)

Doctors must be old and lawyers must be young. (Burmese Proverb)

It is only good when the old and the young respect each other. (Chinese Proverb)

The Yangtze never runs backwards; man recaptures not his youth. (Chinese Proverb)

Happy is he who knows his follies in his youth. (Danish Proverb)

Hang the young thief, and the old one will not steal. (Danish Proverb)

An old fool is worse than a young simpleton. (Danish Proverb)

A young man married is a young man marred.
(Danish Proverb)

The flesh of a young animal tastes flat.
(Congolese Proverb)

Man is like palm-wine: when young, sweet but without strength; in old age, strong but harsh.
(Congolese Proverb)

Young pigs grunt as old swine grunted before them.(Danish Proverb)

Young people must be taught, old ones be honored.(Danish Proverb)

You have either to suffer a lot or die young.
(Danish Proverb)

Young twigs may be bent, but not old trees.
(Dutch Proverb)

Young fools think that the old are dotards, but the old have forgotten more than the young fools know.(Dutch Proverb)

Young folks think old folks to be fools, but old folks know young folks to be fools.
(Dutch Proverb)

Young folk, silly folk; old folk, cold folk.
(Dutch Proverb)

Young cats will mouse, young apes will louse.
(Dutch Proverb)

What the old ones sing, the young ones whistle.(Dutch Proverb)

The old ones sing, the young ones pipe.
(Dutch Proverb)

Where old age is evil, youth can learn no good.
(English Proverb)

Better be an old man's darling than a young man's slave.(French Proverb)

The old man looks death in the eye, the young man keeps him behind his back.
(Estonian Proverb)

Young people don't know what age is, and old people forget what youth was.(English Proverb)

You must not expect old heads upon young shoulders.(English Proverb)

When all sins grow old covetousness is young.
(French Proverb)

When all other sins are old, greed still stays young.(French Proverb)

What the colt learns in youth his continues in old age.(French Proverb)

The man has neither sense nor reason who leaves a young wife at home.(French Proverb)

The graveyards are full of young lawyers, lost inheritance and young doctors.
(French Proverb)

The devil was handsome when he was young.
(French Proverb)

In youth, one has tears without grief; in age, grief without tears.(French Proverb)

If the young only knew; if the old only could.
(French Proverb)

He that corrects not youth, controls not age.
(French Proverb)

Hang a thief when he's young, and he'll not steal when he's old.(French Proverb)

If you want to be old, hang yourself when you are young.(German Proverb)

Even the devil's grandmother was a nice girl when she was young.(German Proverb)

Even the devil is beautiful when he is young.
(German Proverb)

Eat your fish while it is still fresh and marry
the girl while she is still young.
(German Proverb)

As the old cock crows so crows the young.
(German Proverb)

As the old birds sings, the young ones twitter.
(German Proverb)

Youth may stray afar yet return at last.
(French Proverb)

Youth lives on hope, old age on remembrance.
(French Proverb)

Young people tell what they are doing, old
people what they have done, and fools what
they wish to do.(French Proverb)

With an old husband's hide one buys a young
one.(French Proverb)

On poor people's beards the young barber
learns his trade.(German Proverb)

The tree must be bent while it is young.
(German Proverb)

What one is accustomed to in youth, one does in old age. (German Proverb)

Young men may die, but old men must die. (German Proverb)

Who would be young in age, must in youth be sage. (German Proverb)

You have to put a young girl onto an old man. (Greek Proverb)

The old age of an eagle is better than the youth of a sparrow. (Greek Proverb)

Take a young woman for the pleasure of possessing her until she is old. (Greek Proverb)

Poor in my youth, and in life's later scenes -
Rich to no end, I curse my natal hour, Who
naught enjoyed while young, denied the
means And naught when old enjoyed, denied
the power. (Greek Proverb)

In the young, silence is better than speech. (Greek Proverb)

Youth does not mind where it sets its foot. (Irish Proverb)

Walk straight, my son - as the old crab said to the young crab. (Irish Proverb)

The crab instructs its young: "Walk straight ahead -- like me." (Indian Proverb)

He hangs the May-branch at every door.
(Alluding to the Italian custom of young men hanging out May-branches overnight before the door of their mistress. (Italian Proverb)

If the young knew and the old could, there is nothing that couldn't be done. (Italian Proverb)

Dying while young is a boon in old age.
(Jewish Proverb)

From the old ox the young one learns to plough. (Latin Proverb)

Be old when young, if you would be young when old. (Latin Proverb)

An old lion is better than a young ass.
(Latin Proverb)

It is soon known which trees will bear fruit.
[A natural bent for good or evil is easily perceptible in youth.] (Latin Proverb)

Wine mars beauty and destroys the freshness of youth. (Latin Proverb)

We pay when old for the excesses of youth. (Latin Proverb)

We expiate in old age the follies of our youth. (Latin Proverb)

The warnings of age are the weapons of youth. (Latin Proverb)

The intemperate die young, and rarely enjoy old age. (Latin Proverb)

The greatest consideration is due to the innocence of youth. (Latin Proverb)

Seven hours of sleep is enough for the young and the aged. (Latin Proverb)

Only the soil knows when a young mouse is ill. (Palestinian Proverb)

Teaching in youth is like carving in stone. (Moroccan Proverb)

Instruction in youth is like engraving in stone. (Moroccan Proverb)

Divorce a young woman and you make another man happy. (Malagasy Proverb)

If you lie upon roses when you're young, you'll lie upon thorns when you're old.
(Romanian Proverb)

You have to suffer a lot or die young.
(Portuguese Proverb)

Ill fares the young bird in the urchin's hand.
(Portuguese Proverb)

You can't put an old head on young shoulders.
(Persian Proverb)

To serve our elders is a duty, our equals it is polite, but serving the young is humiliating.
(Serbian Proverb)

Learn young, learn fair; learn old, learn more.
(Scottish Proverb)

What the young one begs for, the grown-up throws away. (Russian Proverb)

If you want to be a hundred you must start young. (Russian Proverb)

He who does not whip the child does not mend the youth. (Spanish Proverb)

The old man at home, and the young abroad,
lie after the same fashion. (Spanish Proverb)

The old for want of ability, and the young for
want of knowledge, let things be lost.
(Spanish Proverb)

So wise, so young, they say, do ne'er live long.
(Spanish Proverb)

The young should be taught, the old should be
honored. (Swedish Proverb)

Being young is a fault which improves daily.
(Swedish Proverb)

He who teaches a boy teaches three a youth, a
young man, and an old man.
(Traditional Proverb)

Better have an old man to humor than a
young rake to break your heart.
(Traditional Proverb)

As the person who has health is young, so the
person who owes nothing is rich.
(Traditional Proverb)

It is less painful to learn in youth than to be
ignorant in age. (Traditional Proverb)

When a young woman grows old her vanity
turns to shame.(Traditional Proverb)

What would a young cat do but eat mice.
(Traditional Proverb)

There would be miracles if youth could know
and age could do.(Traditional Proverb)

There was a young lady of Leeds Who
swallowed six packets of seeds In a month,
silly lass She was covered in grass And she
couldn't sit down for the weeds.
(Traditional Proverb)

The cart leads the horse the young instruct
the old.(Traditional Proverb)

Where you will sit when you are old shows
where you stood in youth.(Traditional Proverb)

If you marry a young woman, make sure your
friends stay outside.(Ukranian Proverb)

Young bamboo trees are easy to bend.
(Vietnamese Proverb)

The flower of one's youth.(Traditional Proverb)

Flower of youth.(Traditional Proverb)

Knowledge in youth is wisdom in age.

(Traditional Proverb)

A good drink makes the old young.

(Traditional Proverb)

A lazy youth, a lousy age. (Spanish Proverb)

We pardon faults in youth. (Latin Proverb)

Whom the gods love die young. (Latin Proverb)

The good die young. (Maltese Proverb)

Neither beautiful, nor young.

(Latin Proverb)

Bend the willow while it is young.

(Latin Proverb)

Old age devours your youth. (Kenyan Proverb)

To a young heart everything is sport.

(Italian Proverb)

Old age cures us of our youth.

(Japanese Proverb)

Young drinkers, old beggars. (German Proverb)

Young gamblers, old beggars. (German Proverb)

Young soldiers, old beggars. (German Proverb)

Youth and white paper take any impression.
(German Proverb)

A heart that loves is always young.
(Greek Proverb)

Young wood makes a hot fire. (Greek Proverb)

Age is honorable and youth is noble.
(Irish Proverb)

Praise the young and they will blossom.
(Irish Proverb)

Youth has a small head. (Irish Proverb)

Youth is wasted on the young. (Irish Proverb)

Youth sheds many a skin. (Irish Proverb)

An old horse for a young soldier.
(Italian Proverb)

Mother's truth keeps constant youth.
(German Proverb)

Priests even smile pleasantly on young women. (German Proverb)

Rejoiced in youth, repented in age.

(German Proverb)

The old forget, the young don't know.

(German Proverb)

Young saints, old devils.(French Proverb)

Youth must be served.(French Proverb)

A glutton young, a beggar old.

(German Proverb)

Reckless youth makes rueful age.

(French Proverb)

A little sheep always seems young.

(French Proverb)

The young may die, the old must.

(Dutch Proverb)

Youth is beauty, even in cattle.

(Egyptian Proverb)

An abundance of money ruins youth.

(English Proverb)

Young men may die, old men must.

(English Proverb)

Young men's knocks old men feel.

(English Proverb)

Honor the old, teach the young.

(Danish Proverb)

We must suffer much, or die young.

(Danish Proverb)

Young dogs have sharp teeth. (Danish Proverb)

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